



BaptistCare
Amberlea

Key Features

Correct as at 1 July 2026

Aged care home location

5 Pearson Road, Drouin VIC 3818

Level of care

All levels of care, including a memory support unit (dementia care).

About Amberlea

Nestled between green farming pastures on tree-lined Pearsons Road, BaptistCare Amberlea is a warm and welcoming residential aged care community right near the heart of Drouin.

The gentle, rolling hills and paddocks surrounding us speak to Drouin's rich history as a dairy farming region and our beautiful on-site gardens carry that same sense of calm and belonging. Everyone is welcome here, and our dedicated team is committed to providing personalised care that puts you first. When you're ready to head out, the town centre is less than a kilometre away with cafés, shops and the famous flowering Eucalyptus ficifolia lining the way - a truly special part of life in Drouin.

Residents are welcome to bring a favourite chair, a small bookshelf or a quilt or blanket they love – whatever helps create a cosy and comfortable space that feels right.

Memory support unit

Amberlea has one wing dedicated to memory support in a secure, safe environment with 24 hour care by professional nurses and trained staff. There is a lounge room as well as secure gardens to encourage residents to spend some time outdoors enjoying fresh air.

Facilities

- Dining rooms
- Large communal area for recreation & social activities
- Lounge areas with large screens & music
- Sitting room & quiet spaces
- Chapel area and multipurpose room
- Library
- Hairdressing salon
- Central courtyard & manicured gardens
- Open-air pergola with BBQ facilities

Number of rooms

- 3 Banksia (shared), 4 Wattle, 74 Huon, 7 Eucalypt
- Memory Support Unit: 15 rooms

Rooms inclusions

- Ensuite bathroom
- Adjustable, electric hi-lo bed
- Bedside cabinet with lockable drawer
- Built-in wardrobe with lockable storage
- Heating / air conditioning
- Bedside table
- Sitting Chair
- Window aspect of external gardens
- Emergency call system

Contact us today

Our friendly team can help you with any questions about residential care.

Call 13 22 78 | 8.00am-6.00pm. | Monday to Friday

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Costs and funding

Based on an assessment of your income and assets, you may be eligible for assistance with your accommodation payment. The Australian Government may pay for part of your accommodation costs. Further information will be available on the My Aged Care website www.myagedcare.gov.au

Residents can choose to pay for their accommodation by a refundable accommodation deposit (RAD), a daily accommodation payment (DAP), or a combination of both. A refundable deposit is paid as a lump sum amount.

A combination payment includes both a partial lump sum and daily payments

Basic daily fee

The basic daily fee is set by the Australian Government. For some people, this is the only fee they are required to pay.

Higher everyday living fee

This home offers higher everyday living services, known as our EverydayPlus program. Please refer to the EverydayPlus brochure or talk to our team for more information.

Non-Clinical Care Contribution

Residents may be required to pay towards their care through a Non-Clinical Care Contribution (NCCC). This amount is calculated by Services Australia, which has an annual and lifetime cap, and is done through the government's income and asset assessment process.

This fee will be applied from the date of entry, and you will be advised the amount by Services Australia. Services Australia also conducts quarterly reviews and may adjust your Non-Clinical Care Contribution if your circumstances have changed during the last quarter.

Hotelling supplement fee

The Hotelling Supplement is payable by some residents and is calculated by Services Australia based on your income and assets.

The Hotelling Supplement helps cover everyday living costs such as meals, cleaning, laundry and utilities. It is means-tested, with residents above certain thresholds contributing partly or fully.

The fee is indexed annually on 20 September, based on advice from the Independent Health and Aged Care Pricing Authority (IHACPA).

Banksia (shared) room					
Room size	Avg. 25m ²	RAD	\$420,000	DAP	\$97.00
Example of payment for this category as a 50% RAD and 50% DAP		50% RAD	\$210,000	50% DAP	\$48.50
Wattle room					
Room size	Avg. 16m ²	RAD	\$460,000	DAP	\$106.24
Example of payment for this category as a 50% RAD and 50% DAP		50% RAD	\$230,000	50% DAP	\$53.12
Huon room					
Room size	Avg. 16m ²	RAD	\$510,000	DAP	\$117.79
Example of payment for this category as a 50% RAD and 50% DAP		50% RAD	\$255,000	50% DAP	\$58.89
Eucalypt room					
Room size	Avg. 19.5m ²	RAD	\$605,000	DAP	\$139.73
Example of payment for this category as a 50% RAD and 50% DAP		50% RAD	\$302,500	50% DAP	\$69.87