# Government subsidies and your contribution.

# Government

subsidies	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 4
Basic Subsidy	\$24.46 per day	\$43.03 per day	\$93.63 per day	\$141.94 per day
Maximum p.a.	\$8,927.90	\$15,705.95	\$34,174.95	\$51,808.10

The basic subsidy may be supplemented for those with special needs such as people with Dementia, veterans, or those requiring oxygen or enteral feeding as prescribed by the Home Care Packages Guidelines. Any Government Supplements (if applied) will be added directly to your funds to be spent on services.

### Costs and Fees\*\*

### **Basic Daily Fee**

The Australian Government recommends a basic daily fee of up to the maximum of \$10.75 per day (or 17.5% of the maximum basic pension rate).

Uniting does not charge a basic daily fee for ANY Home Care Packages.

### **Care Fee**

This fee is the same for every level of Home Care Packages. The Care Fee which you will be asked to contribute is income-tested and assessed by Centrelink.

The lifetime cap is \$67,409.85

### Your contribution\*\*

\$0

### **Full Pensioners:**

\$0

### **Part Pensioners:**

Up to \$15.43 per day (up to \$5,617.47p.a.)\*

### Self-Funded Retirees:

Up to \$30.86 per day (up to \$11,234.96 p.a.)\*

\*Based on single person income rate.

To get an estimate on the amount you may be asked to contribute, visit myagedcare.gov.au/estimate-fees-for-aged-care-services



<sup>\*\*</sup> Costs and fees effective 1 July 2020

# Our costs and fees

Effective from 1 July 2020

# Level 1 Government subsidy \$8,927 p.a.

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Government subsidy available for purchase of services (approx.) p.a.

Premium	\$2,147 (24.05%) First 12 hours included	\$6,780 \$130 per week / \$565 per month
Economy	\$1,791 (20.07%) First 8 hours included	\$7,136 p.a. \$137 per week / \$594 per month

# Level 2 Government subsidy \$15,705 p.a.

# Case/PackageManagement\*p.a.

Government subsidy available for purchase of services (approx.) p.a.

Premium	\$4,117 (26.22%) First 22 hours included	\$11,588 \$222 per week / \$965 per month
Economy	\$2,869 (18.27%) First 8 hours included	\$12,836 \$246 per week / \$1,069 per month

# Level 3 Government subsidy \$34,174 p.a.

### Case/PackageManagement\*p.a.

Government subsidy available for purchase of services (approx.) p.a.

Premium	\$8,054 (23.57%) First 42 hours included	\$26,120 \$502 per week / \$2,176per month
Economy	\$5,201 (15.22%) First 10 hours included	\$28,973 \$557 per week / \$2,414 per month

## **Level 4** Government subsidy \$51,808 p.a.

### Case/PackageManagement\*p.a.

Government subsidy available for purchase of services (approx.) p.a.

Premium	\$11,729 (22.64%) First 55 hours included	\$40,079 \$770 per week / \$3,339 per month
Economy	\$7,714(14.89%) First 10 hours included	\$44,094 \$847 per week / \$3,674 per month

### **Additional costs**

Case management fee, in addition to the included hours p.a.	\$99 per hour
Nursing assessment (if required)	\$99 per hour
Travel charges for Case Manager/Uniting Nurse home visits	\$1.70 per km
Exit fee (which is deducted from unspent government funds)	\$300 maximum
After hours care coordination (charged in 15 min increments)	\$125 per hour

<sup>\*</sup>Case management hours includes all administration and other associated costs.