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**Effective 1 July 2025**

**Section 1. Client Contribution** –Commonwealth and State Funded services

Applies to all clients eligible for Government Funded Services including Commonwealth Home Support Packages (CHSP), Home and Community Care Program for Younger People (HACC-PYP) and Community Health funded services (SRHS Primary Care). Please see [Community health fees policy | health.vic.gov.au](http://health.vic.gov.au) and [CHSP National Unit Price Ranges and Client Contributions](#)


<b>Service</b>	<b>Concession Rate</b>	<b>Non-Concession Rate</b>
Initial Needs Identification	No Charge	
Social Support Group (plus cost of meal on outing days)	\$15.00/day	\$24.00/day
Day Respite Service	\$18.00/day	\$24.00/day
Allied Health Services (Dietetics, Exercise Physiology, Occupational Therapy, Physiotherapy)	\$12.00/appointment	\$20.00/appointment
Community Nursing Services (Diabetes Education, Stoma Services, Wound Clinic, Sexual Reproductive Health)	\$12.00/appointment	\$20.00/appointment
Allied Health group sessions (including Moovers)	\$10.00/session	\$15.00/session
Allied health group block (Including Moovers)	\$100 (10 weeks)	\$150 (10 weeks)
Balance Group	\$80 (8 wk program incl pre/post assessment)	\$120 (8 wk program incl pre/post assessment)
Allied Health Home Visit	\$20.00/visit	\$30.00/visit
District Nursing Home Visits (7 days a week)	\$6.00/visit	\$30.00/visit
Foot Clinic	\$12.00/appointment \$11.00 per nail set as required	
Transition Care Program	Residential (hospital) bed \$12/day Home based bed \$6/day	Residential (hospital) bed \$12/day Home based bed \$6/day
Breast Care Nursing Youth Assist Clinic Social Work/Counselling	No charge	
Wound Dressings	Low \$5/visit Medium \$10/visit High \$15/visit	
Consumables	Fully cost recovered plus 10% All costs discussed and approved with client	
Home Exercise Program	\$20 per initial and annual assessment (in centre) \$30 per session (in home)	

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## Section 2. Full cost service schedule (plus GST)

<b>Service</b>	<b>Monday-Friday</b> plus GST / min. shift 45mins*	<b>Sat/Sun</b> plus GST / min. shift 45mins*	<b>Public Holidays</b> plus GST / min. shift 45mins*
Initial Needs Identification	No Charge		
Social Support Group	\$24.00/hr plus cost of meal if bought elsewhere	N/A	
Day Respite Service (including meal and activities)	\$120.00 up to 4 hrs \$200.00/day	N/A	
Allied Health Services (Dietetics, Exercise Physiology, Occupational Therapy, Physiotherapy) including home visits	\$160.00/hr min. shift 45mins*	N/A	
Allied Health Therapy Assistant	\$120.00/hr min. shift 45mins*	N/A	
Home Exercise Program	\$160 per initial and annual assessment \$70 per home visit	N/A	
Community Nursing (Diabetes Educator, Sexual Reproductive Health, Wound Clinic, Stoma)	\$160.00/hr min. shift 45mins*	N/A	
Allied Health group rehabilitation program (inc Moovers) in centre only	\$350.00 (per 10-week block) or \$35 per session	N/A	
Balance Group (in centre)	\$280.00 (per 8-week block)	N/A	
District Nursing (Community Home Visit)	\$160.00/hr min. shift 45mins*	\$195.00 / \$215.00/hr min. shift 45mins*	\$230.00/hr min. shift 45mins*
Foot Clinic	\$124.00 per hour	N/A	
Breast Care Nursing/Youth Assist Clinic/Social Work/Counselling	No charge		
Wound Dressings or Consumables	Full cost recovery plus 10%		

\*Unless otherwise negotiated and approved by Director Community Care


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**Section 3** Other details

- Restrictions apply on the allocation of some funded services according to eligibility criteria
- Fees may be waived applicable after Director's assessment of financial hardship
- Children under 18 will be charged at the concession rate
- Fee exemption for Government funded services exists for all DVA gold card holders
- Level 1&2 Home Care package clients may be eligible for some Commonwealth funded services as per the current [HCP and CHSP Guidelines](#).

**Section 5** - Room Fees as at 1 July 2025

Length of time room used	Cost (plus GST)
60 minutes	\$30.00 (\$33.00)
½ day from 0830-1300 or 1300-1730	\$70.00 (\$77.00)
Full day from 0830-1730	\$90.00 (\$99.00)
Additional hours on top of ½ or full day bookings	\$16/hr (\$17.60)
Function room bookings	\$125 /day (\$137.50) \$72.50 per 1/2 day (\$79.75)

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