

Fortnightly Caring Allowance rates schedule

Effective: 1 January 2024

FOSTER CARE ALLOWANCES	2023 Rate		2024 Rate	
Start-up allowance: Age 0-18	\$122.64		\$132.44	
Establishment Payments: All Ages	\$611.10		\$659.40	
	Daily Rate	Fortnightly	Daily Rate	Fortnightly
Caring Allowance: Age 0-5	\$40.51	\$567.14	\$43.71	\$611.94
Caring Allowance: Age 6-10	\$43.65	\$611.10	\$47.10	\$659.40
Caring Allowance: Age 11 & over	\$47.44	\$664.16	\$51.19	\$716.66
Regional Remote Loading: Age 0-5	\$4.08	\$57.12	\$4.41	\$61.74
Regional Remote Loading: Age 6-10	\$4.40	\$61.60	\$4.75	\$66.50
Regional Remote Loading: Age 11 & over	\$4.76	\$66.64	\$5.14	\$71.96
High Support Needs Allowance				
High Support Needs Allowance	\$14.26	\$199.64	\$15.39	\$215.46
Complex Support Needs Allowance				
Complex Support Needs Allowance 1	\$18.47	\$258.58	\$19.93	\$279.02
Complex Support Needs Allowance 2	\$36.90	\$516.60	\$39.82	\$557.48
Complex Support Needs Allowance 3	\$55.35	\$774.90	\$59.73	\$836.22