

Department of Social Development

Standard Family Contribution from Income

Net Income Scale for In-home Services: This is family income (minus income taxes, statutory employment deductions, private health insurance premiums and LTC insurance premiums).

The net income contribution is based on the following gradual income scale:

These ranges in effect from October 1- September 30 each year	Family income range, single		Family income range, couple		Family income range (spouse and one dependent at home)		For each additional dependent
	\$0	Social assist. for single	\$0	Social assist. for 2 people	\$0	Social assistance for 2 people + \$588	
0% of income between	\$0	Social assist. for single	\$0	Social assist. for 2 people	\$0	Social assistance for 2 people + \$588	Add \$588 to upper limit threshold
plus, 5% of income between	Social assistance for single	OAS/GIS maximum for single	Social assist. for 2 people	OAS/GIS maximum for couple	Social assist. for 2 people + \$588	OAS/GIS for couple + \$12,000	Add \$588 to lower limit threshold
plus 30% of income between	OAS/GIS maximum for single	\$25,000	OAS/GIS max. for couple	\$35,000	OAS/GIS for couple + \$12,000	\$50,000	Add \$1,800 to upper limit threshold
plus, 100% of income over	\$25,000		\$35,000		\$50,000		Add \$1,800 to lower limit threshold

Net Income Scale for Residential Services when there is a spouse or dependent at home: The VAC disability pension is not assessed when calculating the client contribution for his/her spouse in a residential facility.

The net income contribution is based on the following gradual income scale:

These ranges in effect from October 1- September 30 each year	Family income range (spouse at home)		Family income range (spouse and one dependent at home)		For each additional dependent
	\$0	OAS/GIS for single	\$0	OAS/GIS for couple + \$12,000	
0% of income between	\$0	OAS/GIS for single	\$0	OAS/GIS for couple + \$12,000	Add \$588 to upper limit threshold
plus, 80% of income between	OAS/GIS for single	Twice the OAS/GIS for single	OAS/GIS for couple + \$12,000	OAS/GIS for couple + \$12,000 + OAS GIS for single	Add \$588 to lower limit threshold
plus, 30% of income between	Twice the OAS/GIS for single	OAS/GIS for single + \$25,000	OAS/GIS for couple + \$12,000 + OAS GIS for single	\$65,000	Add \$1,800 to upper limit threshold
plus, 100% of income over	OAS/GIS for single + \$25,000		\$65,000		Add \$1,800 to lower limit threshold

NOTE: A subsidized client in a residential facility retains or receives a monthly comfort and clothing allowance.

Clients without a spouse or dependent at home, entering a residential placement, are assessed on 100% of their net income