

Hardship Assistance for Persons with Disabilities Rate Table

Hardship Support for Persons with Disabilities

Effective: September 1, 2016

<i>The asterisk indicates the most recent rate table changes</i>			
Family Unit Composition	Age of Applicant or Recipient	Maximum Amount of Support	Transportation Support Allowance (can be provided as cash or as in-kind bus pass)
Sole applicant/recipient and no dependent children	Applicant/recipient is a person with disabilities	*\$556.42	*\$52
Sole applicant/recipient and one or more dependent children	Applicant/recipient is a person with disabilities	*\$697.08	*\$52
Two applicants/recipients and no dependent children	One applicant/recipient is a person with disabilities, the other is not a person with disabilities and is under 65 years of age	*\$725.56	*\$52
Two applicants/recipients and no dependent children	Both applicants/recipients are persons with disabilities	*\$999.06	*\$104
Two applicants/recipients and no dependent children	One applicant/recipient is a person with disabilities, the other is not a person with disabilities but is 65 or more years of age	*\$974.06	*\$52
Two applicants/recipients and one or more dependent children	One applicant/recipient is a person with disabilities, the other is not a person with disabilities and is under 65 years of age	*\$819.56	*\$52
Two applicants/recipients and one or more dependent children	Both applicants/recipients are persons with disabilities	*\$1093.06	*\$104
Two applicants/recipients and one or more dependent children	One applicant/recipient is a person with disabilities, the other is not a person with disabilities but is 65 or more years of age	*\$1068.06	*\$52

Hardship Shelter for Persons with Disabilities

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Family Unit Composition	Maximum Shelter Allowance
1 person	\$375
2 persons	\$570
3 persons	\$660

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Family Unit Composition	Maximum Shelter Allowance
4 persons	\$700
5 persons	\$750
6 persons	\$785
7 persons	\$820
8 persons	\$855
9 persons	\$890
10 persons	\$925

Note:

- All rates are monthly.
- *The Transportation Support Allowance can be provided as \$52 in cash or as an in-kind bus pass.
- In addition to the support allowance, families receive a monthly payment for each child under 19 years of age. Families receive either:
 - a federally administered payment that is comprised of the British Columbia Basic Family Bonus and the National Child Benefit Supplement, which are collectively known as the Family Bonus under the BCEA legislation;
 - a top-up amount from the ministry if their Family Bonus payment is less than the Family Bonus top-up supplement rates in the General Supplements rate table or the child is ineligible for the federal payment.