

# Bulletin to Residents of Long-Term Care Homes: Important News Regarding Long-Term Care Home Accommodations Charges

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## Co-Payment Rate Increase Suspension

Due to the COVID-19 outbreak, the annual long-term care home resident co-payment rate increase will be suspended for the entire 2021-22 cycle and deferred for the first three months of the 2022-23 cycle from July 1, 2022 to September 30, 2022. The next scheduled co-payment rate increase will be on October 1, 2022.

## Basic Accommodation Rates

On January 1, 2022, the co-payment that residents pay for basic accommodation in Long-Term Care (LTC) homes **will remain at \$62.18 per day per day.**

## Preferred Accommodation Rates

The maximum charges will also be remaining at the current rate as of **January 1, 2022.**

The premium charged for semi-private accommodation will remain at \$12.78 per day, and the premium for private accommodation remain at \$26.64 per day.

The table below provides the rates that will apply until October 1, 2022 to all types of accommodation based on a residents' date of admission to the bed.

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Type of Accommodation	Daily Rate	Monthly
<b>Long-Stay Resident:</b>		
<b>Basic</b>	\$62.18	\$1,891.31
<b>Semi-Private</b>		
Residents admitted to newer beds on or after July 1, 2015.	\$74.96	\$2,280.04
Residents admitted to newer beds on or after September 1, 2014, but prior to July 1, 2015.	\$73.89	\$2,247.49
Residents admitted to newer beds on or after July 1, 2013, but prior to September 1, 2014.	\$72.83	\$2,215.25

Residents admitted to newer beds on or after July 1, 2012, but prior to July 1, 2013.	\$71.75	\$2,182.40
Residents occupying older beds, or residents admitted to newer beds prior to July 1, 2012.	\$70.70	\$2,150.46

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**Private**

Residents admitted to newer beds on or after July 1, 2015.	\$88.82	\$2,701.61
Residents admitted to newer beds on or after September 1, 2014, but prior to July 1, 2015.	\$86.96	\$2,645.04
Residents admitted to newer beds on or after July 1, 2013, but prior to September 1, 2014.	\$85.08	\$2,587.85
Residents admitted to newer beds on or after July 1, 2012, but prior to July 1, 2013.	\$83.22	\$2,531.28
Residents occupying older beds, or residents admitted to newer beds prior to July 1, 2012.	\$81.35	\$2,474.40

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<b>Short-Stay Resident (Respite Bed)</b>	\$40.24	N/A
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**NOTE:** "Newer beds" – beds classified as "NEW" or "A" according to ministry design standards

"Older beds" – beds classified as "B", "C", "Upgraded D" or "D" according to ministry design standards

If you have requested a transfer from your current accommodation into a preferred accommodation bed, please call the LTC home administrator to confirm the rate that you will be required to pay. Preferred rates for semi-private and private accommodation in your current LTC home or in another LTC home may be different if you are offered a bed on or after October 1, 2022.

**If you are currently paying less** than \$62.18 per day because you are receiving a reduction in the basic co-payment, known as a "Rate Reduction", then you continue to receive rate reduction. However, you are required to reapply when the current rate reduction expires on **June 30, 2022**. Staff at your LTC home will provide you with the application form and will help you to submit your application to the Ministry of Long-Term Care.

For more information on co-payment rates or the changes to the rate reduction application process, please speak with your home's Administrator. Should you have any additional questions, please contact: LTC Homes Action Line at **1-866-434-0144**.