

Alberta Seniors Benefit

Thresholds, rates and percentages

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Provides a benefit to eligible seniors with low income to assist with living expenses.

Period	July 1, 2020		July 1, 2021	
	Single	Couple	Single	Couple
Total income thresholds	Threshold: \$28,785	Threshold: \$46,745	Threshold: \$29,285	Threshold: \$47,545
Non-Deductible Income Amounts	Threshold: \$21,515	Threshold: \$32,205	Threshold: \$21,925	Threshold: \$32,820
Residence Type: Homeowner, Renter, Lodge Resident, Long-term Care, Designated Supportive Living	Max benefit: \$3,431 Percentage: 15.90	Max benefit: \$5,146 Percentage: 15.94	Max benefit: \$3,431 Percentage: 15.60	Max benefit: \$5,146 Percentage: 15.64
Residence Type: Other	Max benefit: \$2,390 Percentage: 11.08	Max benefit: \$4,779 Percentage: 14.81	Max benefit: \$2,390 Percentage: 10.88	Max benefit: \$4,779 Percentage: 14.53

- Maximum benefits are listed in annual amounts. To calculate the monthly Alberta Seniors Benefit: begin with the applicable Maximum Benefit subtract [income used to calculate benefits multiplied by applicable percentage] divide by 12.
- Minimum Benefit: \$10 per month | Negative Result: Not eligible for benefit

Supplementary Accommodation Benefit

Provides a benefit to eligible seniors with low income who entered long-term care or designated supportive living after October 1, 2007.

Period	July 1, 2020	July 1, 2021
Residence Type: Long-Term Care, Designated Supportive Living	Maximum benefit: \$8,340 Private room rate: \$2,074 Monthly disposable income: \$322	Maximum benefit: \$8,340 Private room rate: \$2,132 Monthly disposable income: \$322

- Maximum benefits are listed in annual amounts. To calculate the monthly Supplementary Accommodation Benefit: begin with the monthly long-term care private room rate add the monthly disposable income, subtract senior's previous year's monthly total income (less any Supplementary Accommodation Benefit provided to the senior in that previous year). The difference is the senior's monthly benefit to a maximum of \$695.
- Minimum Benefit: \$10 per month | Maximum Benefit: \$695 per month Negative Result: Not eligible for benefit

Provides a benefit to eligible seniors with low income who resided in long-term care or designated supportive living before October 1, 2007.

Period	July 1, 2020	July 1, 2021
Residence Type: Long-Term Care, Designated Supportive Living	Maximum benefit: \$14,259 Percentage: 68.83	Maximum benefit: \$15,025 Percentage: 69.83

- Maximum benefits are listed in annual amounts.