

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, 2025 – December 31, 2025		January 1, 2026 – June 30, 2026	
	Single	Couple	Single	Couple
Total income thresholds	Threshold: \$34,770	Threshold: \$56,820	Threshold: \$34,770	Threshold: \$56,820
Non-Deductible Income Amounts	Threshold: \$25,295	Threshold: \$37,865	Threshold: \$25,295	Threshold: \$37,865
Residence Type: Homeowner, Renter, Lodge Resident, Continuing care home	Max benefit: \$3,868 Percentage: 15.22	Max benefit: \$5,801 Percentage: 15.24	Max benefit: \$3,946 Percentage: 15.52	Max benefit: \$5,918 Percentage: 15.54
Residence Type: Other	Max benefit: \$2,695 Percentage: 10.61	Max benefit: \$5,388 Percentage: 14.17	Max benefit: \$2,749 Percentage: 10.82	Max benefit: \$5,496 Percentage: 14.45

- 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 a continuing care home after October 1, 2007.

Period	Effective January 1, 2026	Effective March 1, 2026
Residence Type: Continuing care home	Maximum benefit: \$8,520 Private room rate: \$2,433 Monthly disposable income: \$373	Maximum benefit: \$9,000 Private room rate: \$2,482 Monthly disposable income: \$373

- Maximum benefits are listed in annual amounts. To calculate the monthly Supplementary Accommodation Benefit: begin with the monthly continuing care home private room accommodation charge, 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 \$750.
- Minimum Benefit: \$10 per month | Maximum Benefit: \$750 per month Negative Result: Not eligible for benefit.

Provides a benefit to eligible seniors with low income who resided in a continuing care home before October 1, 2007.

Period	Effective January 1, 2026	Effective March 1, 2026
Residence Type: Continuing care home	Maximum benefit: \$21,145 Percentage: 83.59	Maximum benefit: \$21,729 Percentage: 85.90

- Maximum benefits are listed in annual amounts.