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NDIS Support Rates – Effective Monday 1st July 2026

Ark Care Partners charges NDIS participants the rates published in the *NDIS Pricing Schedule*, for the supports and services it provides. A new *Pricing Schedule* was issued on Monday 22nd June, which is applicable to supports delivered from 1st July 2026.

Rates have increased in line with increases to the SCHADS Awards which determines pay for support workers. There is no change to the kilometre rate for transportation or the rate for Support Coordination.

Please note that the NDIA will index the funds in your plan to accommodate the increase in charges, therefore, the level of supports available to you will be unchanged.
It may take a few weeks for you to see the adjustment of funds in your NDIS Plan.

We are including here the new rates for common services only. You can view both the *NDIS Pricing Arrangements and Price Limits* document and the *NDIS Pricing Schedule* at: *https://www.ndis.gov.au/providers/pricing-arrangements.*

Should you have any questions or concerns, please email us at *programsteam@arkcarepartners.com.au* or call 03 9799 4676 and ask for the Programs Team.

The new rates are shown below.

Kind regards

The Programs Team
Ark Care Partners

03 9799 4676

Table of Hourly Rates from 1st July 2026 – Common Supports

Assistance with Daily Life
Not typically provided on weekends or public holidays.

Support Item	Description	New Rate	Previous Rate
House Cleaning and other Household Activities (01_020_0120_1_1)	*Home Care*	**$60.10**	$58.03
House and/or Yard Maintenance (01_019_0120_1_1)	*Handyman work and gardening*	**$59.01**	$56.98

Transport

Support Item	Description	New Rate	Previous Rate
Participation In Community, Social and Civic Activities (04_590_0125_6_1)	*Activity-based Transport*	**No change**	**$1.00 per km**

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Assistance with Self-Care Activities

Support Item	Description	New Rate	Previous Rate
Assistance with Self-Care Weekday Daytime (6am – 8pm) (01_011_0107_1_1)	*Personal Care, e.g. showering, dressing, etc.*	**$73.58**	$70.23
Weekday Evening (8pm – midnight) (01_015_0107_1_1)		**$81.07**	$77.38
Saturday (01_013_0107_1_1)		**$103.54**	$98.83
Sunday (01_014_0107_1_1)		**$133.50**	$127.43
Public Holiday (includes Easter weekend) (01_012_0107_1_1)		**$163.46**	$156.03

Assistance with Self-Care Activities – Sleepovers & Night Support

Support Item	Description	New Rate	Previous Rate
Night-time Sleepover[1] (01_010_0107_1_1) Includes up to 2 hours of active supports[2].	*Sleepover.*	***$311.79 Flat rate***	***$286.56 Flat rate***
Weekday night support (01_002_0107_1_1) provides assistance with daily tasks, where the support worker ***does not*** have the option of sleeping when providing support.	*Active Sleepover.*	**$82.57** weekdays *Please call us for weekend and public holiday rates.*	

[1,2]*Night-time sleepover: provides a participant with assistance with, or supervision of, personal tasks of daily life where overnight support is needed, but the caregiver can sleep when not required to provide support. This support applies to any day of the week and on public holidays. This support item includes up to two hours of active supports provided to the participant for the duration of the period. Providers may claim for the third or additional hour at Saturday rates on weekdays, or at applicable rates on other days (Saturdays, Sundays or Public Holidays).*

Access Community, Social and Recreational Activities

Support Item	Description	New Rate	Previous Rate
Weekday Daytime (6am – 8pm) (04_104_0125_6_1)	*Taking participant shopping, to community and social groups, outings, etc.*	**$73.58**	$70.23
Weekday Evening (8pm – midnight) (04_103_0125_6_1)		**$81.07**	$77.38
Saturday (04_105_0125_6_1)		**$103.54**	$98.83
Sunday (04_106_0125_6_1)		**$133.50**	$127.43
Public Holiday (includes Easter weekend) (04_102_0125_6_1)		**$163.46**	$156.03

Others

Support Item	Description	New Rate	Previous Rate
Establishment Fee (01_049_0107_1_1) (04_049_0125_1_1) *Each provider can only claim an Establishment Fee in respect of a participant once across all plans. If a provider delivers services to a participant through more than one Registration Group or more than one Support Category they can only claim for one Establishment Fee, and only if they meet all other requirements. More than one provider is able to claim an Establishment Fee against a given plan as long as each provider meets the relevant requirements.*	*Costs that providers face in establishing arrangements with participants, where there is a service agreement to supply 20 hours per month for three or more consecutive months of personal care or social and community supports.*	**$735.80**	$702.30
Coordination of Supports (07_002_0106_8_3)	*Arranging supports, making the most of your NDIS plan, assisting with plan reviews, etc.*	**No change**	$100.14
Specialist Support Coordination (07_004_0132_8_3)	*As above for complex and specialised needs only.*	**No change**	$190.54