



Budget 2024-25

This information is accurate as of 14 May 2024.

Commonwealth Rent Assistance – increase the maximum rates

This measure will increase the maximum rates of Commonwealth Rent Assistance by 10%. Regular indexation will also be applied on top of the increase.

The measure is led by the Department of Social Services. Services Australia will get \$18.2 million through to 2026–27 to support this measure.

This measure is subject to legislation passing.

Who this measure affects

This affects people who get the maximum rate of Commonwealth Rent Assistance.

When this starts and finishes

This measure starts 20 September 2024 and is ongoing.