



ADULT COMMUNITY SERVICES FINANCIAL CIRCULAR

DEVON COUNTY COUNCIL

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CHARGES FOR SERVICES 2009/2010

The following charges have been agreed Please note effective dates that vary throughout the circular.

1. Charges to Other Local Authorities

Residential Care	Current	New Charge	Period	Effective Date
DCC Homes for the Elderly	£584.71	£599.34	Week	01/04/09
DCC Homes for the Learning Disabled	£1102.50	£1130.08	Week	01/04/09

Day Care	Current	New Charge	Period	Effective Date
Multi-purpose Day Centres(all client groups)	£38.10	£39.06	Session	01/04/09

Note the effective date for full cost charges for service users in DCC homes is 06/04/2009.

The threshold by which we advise service users that they will be required to pay the full cost for their care for 2009/10 £23,000, effective from 6/04/2009.

2 Domiciliary & Day Care Services:

Home Care	Current	New Charge	Charge per	Effective Date
Hourly Charge*	£14.12	£14.48	Hour	06/04/09
Night Sitting*	£50.52	£51.80	Night	06/04/09
Night Sleeping*	£50.52	£51.80	Night	06/04/09
Day Care				
Standard Rate*	£20.50	£21.00	Day or part day	06/04/09
Day Care Flat Rate Charges				
Transport	£1.25	£1.30	Single journey	06/04/09
Meals	£3.35	£3.45	Meal	06/04/09

*Charges marked with an asterisk are subject to an individual fairer charging assessment.

3. Community Meals

	Current	New Charge	Charge per	Effective Date
Community Meals				
Hot Meals	£3. 70	£3. 80	Meal	06.4.2009
Frozen direct delivery service)	£2.95	£3.00		
Luncheon Clubs	£3.70	£3. 80	Meal	06.4.2009

A DCC letter detailing the increase in charge for Community Meals will be distributed to service users by Apetito.

4. Community Alarm Services

	Current	New charge	Charge per	Effective Date
Hire	£3.80	£3. 90	Week	28.4.2009

5 Hire of Premises (new charges effective from 01.4.09)

	BASIC RATE FOR UP TO TWO HOURS £	FOR EACH ADDITIONAL HOUR £
Small Room/Office or Kitchen (for tea making)	£5.60	£2.75
Dining Room or Hall	£10. 95	£5. 55

The above figures include an allowance for cleaning. If additional caretaking / cleaning is required it should be at cost.

Extra Charges for Equipment Where Available	PER DAY
Visual aid Equipment	£9. 90
Video Equipment, Sound Systems	£9.60

Note: Local managers are authorised to vary the standard charges to take into account the circumstances of the accommodation for which they are responsible.

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