



Home Care & Support Service

Providing home support services to

Augusta, East Augusta, Hamelin Bay,
Kudardup and Karridale



Staying In Place

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The Augusta Community Resource Centre Inc (CRC), in conjunction with HomeMade & Mable :- a Commonwealth approved home and community care provider for older people can offer a wide variety of home care support and services so you can continue to enjoy living at home.

Whatever your needs, we will work with you to put a plan into action so that you can live your best life at home in your own community.

**A Home Care Package
can be tailored to your
needs to support you to
continue living at home**

Wherever you live in Augusta, East Augusta, Hamelin Bay, Kudardup and Karridale and/or nearby - whatever level of care you require - we will work with you.

Our Home Care Packages are personalised packages of care designed to help you live a healthy, safe and independent life at home for as long as you choose.

The Augusta Community Resource Centre, in consultation with you, will help identify the home services you require so you can get the home support you need and get back to doing the things you love or need to do.

- *We can help you to apply for an Australian Government subsidised home care package.*
- *We can coordinate the supply of services you need once you have a home care package subsidised by the Australian Government.*
- *We can coordinate the supply of services you need if you are a private client and need support at home.*

Home Care Packages Subsidised by the Australian Government are available in 4 levels based on your needs

If you are over 65, or an Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander over 50, you could be eligible for a Home Care Package funded by the Australian Government.

Under each level, we've listed some popular services we offer as examples only.

Depending on the package you are allocated, you can pick and choose the services that suit you and your budget.

Level 1

Worth approximately \$10,687* a year for basic needs like:
essential cleaning, pet care, social outings

Level 2

Worth approximately \$18,794* a year for services like:
meal preparation, cleaning, gardening and home maintenance

Level 3

Worth approximately \$40,906* a year for higher care and support needs such as:
meal preparation, domestic assistance, personal care, gardening and home maintenance, social support, allied health services

Level 4

Worth approximately \$62,014* a year for high level care and support such as:
meal preparation, nursing care and allied health services, personal care, domestic assistance, medication support, social support, gardening and home maintenance

**Homecare package amounts as at January 2025.*

Your Home Care Package will provide you with choice, control and flexibility in the way your care and support is delivered

How much will a Home Care Package cost me?

Being eligible for an Australian Government Subsidised Home Care Package (HCP) means that the government will subsidise the cost of your care. If you are on a full pension, you will not be asked to make any personal contribution for our home support services if you are assessed as eligible for a HCP prior to 12 September 2024. If you are assessed after this date, you may be required to make a contribution to services other than clinical care.

- **Basic Daily Fee:** Homemade & Mable do not charge a basic daily fee. The basic daily fee is an amount that organisation may choose to ask clients to pay.
- **Income Tested Fee (ITF):** The income tested fee is a contribution that some people pay, as determined through an income assessment. This fee is based on individual income, including a part-pension. However, full pensioners and people with an income up to \$33,027.80 do not pay an income tested fee.
- **Clinical Governance and Package Maintenance Fee:** These fees help cover necessities including general management, ongoing assessment and care planning, compliance and quality assurance, management of incidents, scheduling of services, financial oversight and funding, sourcing and ordering equipment and products, additional visits and correspondence as required.
- **Co-contributions for Pensioners** - 5% of cost for independence services and 17.5% for domestic services and gardening
- **Co-contributions for Self Funded Retirees** - Up to 50% for independence services and 80% for domestic and gardening.

Homemade/Mable care management fees and package management fees are less than the average for service providers

Get in touch to find out more:

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