STATE BENEFIT & CARE FUNDING SUMMARY 2022/23

STATE BENEFITS

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Basic State Pension	
Single New State Pension	£141.85 £185.15
Attendance Allowance (aged 66 and over)*	
Higher Rate Lower Rate	£92.40 £61.85
Carer's Allowance (cannot be paid in addition to state pension)	
All	£69.70
Personal Independence Payment (age under 66)	

Daily living component: enhanced	£92.40
Daily living component: standard	£61.85
Mobility component: enhanced	£64.50
Mobility component: standard	£24.45

Pension Credit

(There isn't a savings limit for Pension Credit. However, if over £10,000 in savings, this will affect how much will be received.)

Single	£182.70
Couple	£278.70
Severe Disability Additional single	£69.30

Savings Credit

(Only available to those reaching State Pension age before 6 April 2016)

Single	£14.48
Couple	£16.20

STATE BENEFIT NOTES

- Attendance Allowance aged under 66 Disability Living Allowance or Personal Independence Payment may apply.
- · AA, DLA care component and PIP daily living component stop after 28 days, or sooner if linked to a recent stay in hospital or statefunded care home.

STATE BENEFIT REGIONAL VARIANCES

• In Scotland Carer's Allowance (Supplement) is an extra payment paid 2 times a year

LOCAL AUTHORITY CAPITAL LIMITS

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England	
Lower / Upper (annual) Personal Expense Allowance	£14,250 / £23,250 £25.65
Scotland	
Lower / Upper (annual) Personal Expense Allowance	£18,500 / £29,750 £31.00
Wales	
Set Standard Limit (annual)	Residential £50,000 Non-residential £24,000
Minimum income allowance care home	£35.00
Northern Ireland	
Lower Upper (annual) Personal Expense Allowance	£14,250 / £23,250 £27.19



NHS FUNDED NURSING CARE

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England	
Nursing Care (standard rate) Nursing Care (higher rate)*	£209.19 £258.08
Scotland	
Nursing Care Personal Care	£85.80 £212.85
Wales	
Nursing Care	£179.97
Northern Ireland	
Nursing Care (flat allowance)	£100.00

NHS FUNDED NURSING CARE NOTES

Some people in England may receive weekly payments of £258.08. This is because before 1 October 2007, FNC had three different rates, with £253.02 being the highest. If they qualified for the highest rate of FNC before October 2007 they continue to do so. This is subject to review in 2022/23.

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