

Housing Benefit Rates 2024/25 (working age)

Personal Allowances		Premiums	
Single		Family	£19.15
Under 25	£71.70	Disabled Child	£80.01
Or in WRAG/Support Group	£90.50	Carer	£45.60
25 or over	£90.50	ESA component	
Single Parent		Work related*	£35.95
Under 18	£71.70	Support	£47.70
Or in WRAG/Support Group	£90.50	OR	
Aged 18 – 66	£90.50	Disability	
Couple		Single	£42.50
Both aged under 18	£108.30	Couple	£60.60
Or in WRAG/Support Group	£142.25	Enhanced Disability	
At least one age 18 or over	£142.25	single	£20.85
Dependent Child		couple	£29.75
Two child limit rules apply	£83.24	child	£32.20
		Severe Disability	
		Single / couple (one qualifies)	£81.50
		couple (both qualify)	£163.00

Family Premium – Only included if HB claim included a child on or before 30.4.16 and has done continuously ever since. Only one premium payable regardless of number of children.

Disabled Child Premium – payable in respect of each child who gets DLA/CDP (any component, any rate) or on PIP/ADP (any component, any rate), or is certified as severely sight impaired or blind.

Carer Premium – payable where claimant or partner is receiving (or treated as receiving) Carers Allowance/Carer Support Payment.

ESA Component – only one payable even where couple, not payable in addition to Disability Premium, if couple and are both on ESA it is the component relevant to the HB claimant that will be awarded.

Work related - where claimant or partner gets ESA with work related activity component, or

Support – where claimant or partner gets ESA with support component.

Disability – payable if claimant and partner (if applicable) are both aged under 66, and

- claimant not on Employment and Support Allowance, and
- claimant or partner gets:
 - Disability Living Allowance/Child Disability Payment (any component any rate), or
 - Personal Independence Payment/Adult Disability Payment (any component, any rate) or
 - Armed Forces Independence Payment or
 - Attendance Allowance or Constant Attendance Allowance
 - disabled worker, or severe disability element included in Working Tax Credit
 - long-term rate of Incapacity Benefit (payable after 52 weeks), or Severe Disablement Allowance or
- claimant or partner is certified as severely sight impaired or blind; or
- claimant has been incapable of work for over 52 weeks.

Enhanced Disability – payable where claimant and partner under 66 and

- claimant getting ESA with support component,
- claimant, partner or child entitled to the highest rate care component of DLA/CDP or
- claimant, partner or child (16 or over) entitled to the enhanced rate of daily living component of PIP/ADP or
- claimant, partner or child getting Armed Forces Independence Payment

Severe Disability –

Single person

No non-dependant** aged 18 or over is normally residing with tenant, **and**

Single claimant receives a qualifying disability benefit **#** **and** no-one gets paid Carers Allowance/Carer Support Payment or has Carer Element in UC claim for looking after them.

Couple, single rate – one qualifies, is paid where:

No non-dependant*** aged 18 or over is normally residing with them, **and**

One gets a qualifying disability benefit **#**, no-one gets paid Carers Allowance/Carer Support Payment or has Carer Element in UC claim for looking after them, and the other is certified as severely sight impaired or blind.

Or

Both get a qualifying disability benefit **#** but Carers Allowance/Carer Support Payment is being paid or Carer Element in UC claim paid to a carer looking after just one of them,

Couple, couple rate is paid where:

No non-dependant*** aged 18 or over is normally residing with them, **and**

Both get a qualifying disability benefit **#** **and** no-one gets paid Carers Allowance/Carer Support Payment or has Carer Element in UC claim for looking after either of them.

** Does not include non-dependants who are getting a qualifying disability benefit **#** themselves or who are certified as severely sight impaired or blind.

Qualifying disability benefits for the Severe Disability Premium

Attendance Allowance

Middle or high rate care component of Disability Living Allowance

Daily living component of Personal Independence Payment (PIP) / Adult Disability Payment (ADP)

Armed Forces Independence Payment (AFIP)

Constant Attendance Allowance or Exceptionally Severe Disablement Allowance paid with Industrial Injuries Disablement Benefit or War Pension