



Income Limits

To be eligible for public rental housing assistance the combined gross* weekly assessable income of the applicant, partner and co-applicant must be below the following limits. Other household members' income is not assessed for eligibility purposes. Additional income will be considered when the Department of Communities assesses your rent.

Note: Income limits provided below are weekly amounts

Number of people in household	For people with a disability							
	Metro and country		North West/ remote areas		Metro and country		North West/ remote areas	
	Single income	Dual income	Single income	Dual income	Single income	Dual income	Single income	Dual income
1 person	\$511	–	\$716	–	\$639	–	\$895	–
2 people	\$661	\$770	\$926	\$1078	\$827	\$963	\$1158	\$1349
3 people	\$776	\$890	\$1087	\$1246	\$970	\$1113	\$1358	\$1559
4 people	\$896	\$1030	\$1255	\$1442	\$1120	\$1288	\$1568	\$1804

- For households with more than four people, add \$115 for each additional person. For households with more than four people and at least one person with a disability add \$145 for each additional person.
- Do not include the district allowance in your household income (this allowance is to help people with the extra costs of living in remote areas and the North West). This will be included for rent assessment purposes once you are housed.

* Gross weekly assessable income is the income you earn, before tax is deducted, which the Housing Authority uses to assess your eligibility for housing assistance. For more information contact your local Department of Communities (Housing) office.

