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| **Pensions** |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Adult pensions** |  |  | **Previous amount** | **1 Jul 2021** | **Increase** |  |
| Income free areas for maximum payment |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| Single |   |   | $178.00 | $180.00 | $2.00 |  pf  |
| Couple (combined) |   |   | $316.00 | $320.00 | $4.00 |  pf  |
| Illness-separated (couple combined) |   |   | $316.00 | $320.00 | $4.00 |  pf  |
| Disqualifying income limits |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| **Resident** |  |  |  |   |   |   |
| Single |   |   | $2,083.40 | $2,085.40 | $2.00 |  pf  |
| Couple (combined) |   |   | $3,188.40 | $3,192.40 | $4.00 |  pf  |
| Illness-separated (couple combined) |   |   | $4,126.80 | $4,130.80 | $4.00 |  pf  |
| **Non-resident** |  |  |   |   |   |   |
| Single |   |   | $1,963.40 | $1,965.40 | $2.00 |  pf  |
| Couple (combined) |   |   | $3,014.40 | $3,018.40 | $4.00 |  pf  |
| Illness-separated (couple combined) |   |   | $3,886.80 | $3,890.80 | $4.00 |  pf  |
| Assets free areas for maximum payment |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| **Homeowners** |  |  |   |   |   |   |
| Single |   |   | $268,000 | $270,500 | $2,500 |   |
| Couple (combined) |   |   | $401,500 | $405,000 | $3,500 |   |
| Illness-separated (couple combined) |   |   | $401,500 | $405,000 | $3,500 |   |
| **Non-Homeowners** |  |  |   |   |   |   |
| Single |   |   | $482,500 | $487,000 | $4,500 |   |
| Couple (combined) |   |   | $616,000 | $621,500 | $5,500 |   |
| Illness-separated (couple combined) |   |   | $616,000 | $621,500 | $5,500 |   |
| **Retirement village and granny flat residents** |  |  |   |   |   |   |
| Extra allowable amount |   |   | $214,500 | $216,500 | $2,000 |   |
| **Special Disability Trust** |  |  |   |   |   |   |
| Concessional Asset Value Limit |   |   | $694,000 | $700,250 | $6,250 |   |
| **Exempt Funeral Investment** |  |  |   |   |   |   |
| Exempt Funeral Investment Threshold |   |   | $13,500 | $13,500 | - |   |
| Disqualifying asset limits |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| **Resident** |  |  |   |   |   |   |
| Single, homeowner |   |   | $585,750 | $588,250 | $2,500 |   |
| Single, non-homeowner |   |   | $800,250 | $804,750 | $4,500 |   |
| Couple (combined), homeowner |   |   | $880,500 | $884,000 | $3,500 |   |
| Couple (combined), non-homeowner |   |   | $1,095,000 | $1,100,500 | $5,500 |   |
| One partner eligible, homeowner |   |   | $880,500 | $884,000 | $3,500 |   |
| One partner eligible, non-homeowner |   |   | $1,095,000 | $1,100,500 | $5,500 |   |
| Illness-separated (couple combined), homeowner |   | $1,037,000 | $1,040,500 | $3,500 |   |
| Illness-separated (couple combined), non-homeowner |   | $1,251,500 | $1,257,000 | $5,500 |   |
| **Non-resident** |  |  | - |   |   |   |
| Single, homeowner |   |   | $565,750 | $568,250 | $2,500 |   |
| Single, non-homeowner |   |   | $780,250 | $784,750 | $4,500 |   |
| Couple, homeowner (combined) |   |   | $851,500 | $855,000 | $3,500 |   |
| Couple, non-homeowner (combined) |   |   | $1,066,000 | $1,071,500 | $5,500 |   |
| One partner eligible, homeowner |   |   | $851,500 | $855,000 | $3,500 |   |
| One partner eligible, non-homeowner |   |   | $1,066,000 | $1,071,500 | $5,500 |   |
| Illness-separated, homeowner (couple combined) |   | $997,000 | $1,000,500 | $3,500 |   |
| Illness-separated, non-homeowner (couple combined) |   | $1,211,500 | $1,217,000 | $5,500 |   |

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| **Pensions (continued)** |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Transitional pensions** |  |  | **Previous amount** | **1 Jul 2021** | **Increase** |  |
| Disqualifying income limits |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| **Resident** |  |  |  |  |  |   |
| Single |   |   | $2,168.75 | $2,170.75 | $2.00 |  pf  |
| Single with one dependent child |   |   | $2,193.35 | $2,195.35 | $2.00 |  pf  |
| Couple (combined) |   |   | $3,528.00 | $3,532.00 | $4.00 |  pf  |
| Illness-separated (couple combined) |   |   | $4,297.50 | $4,301.50 | $4.00 |  pf  |
| **Non-resident** |  |  |   |   |   |   |
| Single |   |   | $1,971.50 | $1,973.50 | $2.00 |  pf  |
| Single with one dependent child |   |   | $1,996.10 | $1,998.10 | $2.00 |  pf  |
| Couple (combined) |   |   | $3,314.00 | $3,318.00 | $4.00 |  pf  |
| Illness-separated (couple combined) |   |   | $3,903.00 | $3,907.00 | $4.00 |  pf  |
| Disqualifying asset limits |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| **Resident** |  |  |   |   |   |   |
| Single, homeowner |   |   | $533,500 | $536,000 | $2,500 |   |
| Single, non-homeowner |   |   | $748,000 | $752,500 | $4,500 |   |
| Couple (combined), homeowner  |   |   | $830,000 | $833,500 | $3,500 |   |
| Couple (combined), non-homeowner  |   |   | $1,044,500 | $1,050,000 | $5,500 |   |
| One partner eligible, homeowner |   |   | $830,000 | $833,500 | $3,500 |   |
| One partner eligible, non-homeowner |   |   | $1,044,500 | $1,050,000 | $5,500 |   |
| Illness-separated, homeowner (couple combined) |   | $932,500 | $936,000 | $3,500 |   |
| Illness-separated, non-homeowner (couple combined) |   | $1,147,000 | $1,152,500 | $5,500 |   |
| **Non-resident** |  |  |   |   |   |   |
| Single, homeowner |   |   | $507,250 | $509,750 | $2,500 |   |
| Single, non-homeowner |   |   | $721,750 | $726,250 | $4,500 |   |
| Couple (combined), homeowner  |   |   | $801,500 | $805,000 | $3,500 |   |
| Couple (combined), non-homeowner  |   |   | $1,016,000 | $1,021,500 | $5,500 |   |
| One partner eligible, homeowner |   |   | $801,500 | $805,000 | $3,500 |   |
| One partner eligible, non-homeowner |   |   | $1,016,000 | $1,021,500 | $5,500 |   |
| Illness-separated, homeowner (couple combined) |   | $880,000 | $883,500 | $3,500 |   |
| Illness-separated, non-homeowner (couple combined) |   | $1,094,500 | $1,100,000 | $5,500 |   |
| **Disability Support Pension, under 21 without children** | **Previous amount** | **1 Jul 2021** | **Increase** |  |
| Disqualifying income limits |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| Single, under 18, at home |   |   | $1,072.40 | $1,074.40 | $2.00 |  pf  |
| Single, 18 - 20, at home |   |   | $1,176.60 | $1,178.60 | $2.00 |  pf  |
| Single, independent |   |   | $1,497.40 | $1,499.40 | $2.00 |  pf  |
| Couple (combined) |   |   | $2,942.40 | $2,946.40 | $4.00 |  pf  |
| Disqualifying asset limits |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| **Homeowners** |  |  |   |   |   |   |
| Single, under 18, at home |   |   | $417,250 | $419,750 | $2,500 |   |
| Single, 18 - 20, at home |   |   | $434,500 | $437,000 | $2,500 |   |
| Single, independent |   |   | $488,000 | $490,500 | $2,500 |   |
| Couple (combined) |   |   | $839,500 | $843,000 | $3,500 |   |
| **Non-Homeowners** |  |  |   |   |   |   |
| Single, under 18, at home |   |   | $631,750 | $636,250 | $4,500 |   |
| Single, 18 - 20, at home |   |   | $649,000 | $653,500 | $4,500 |   |
| Single, independent |   |   | $702,500 | $707,000 | $4,500 |   |
| Couple (combined) |   |   | $1,054,000 | $1,059,500 | $5,500 |   |

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| **Pensions (continued)** |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Other amounts** |  |  | **Previous amount** | **1 Jul 2021** | **Increase** |  |
| Deeming thresholds |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| Single |   |   | $53,000 | $53,600 | $600 |   |
| Couple (combined) |   |   | $88,000 | $89,000 | $1,000 |   |
| Primary production attribution thresholds |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| Assets |   |   | $1,263,250 | $1,274,500 | $11,250 |   |
| Income |   |   | $55,626 | $56,137 | $511 |  pa  |
| Essential Medical Equipment Payment (EMEP) |  |  |   |   |   |   |
| Payment amount |   |   | $163.00 | $164.00 | $1.00 |  ea  |
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| **Allowances** |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Disqualifying asset limits for allowances (independent)** | **Previous amount** | **1 Jul 2021** | **Increase** |   |
| **Homeowners** |  |  |  |  |  |   |
| Single |   |   | $268,000 | $270,500 | $2,500 |   |
| Couple (combined) |   |   | $401,500 | $405,000 | $3,500 |   |
| **Non-Homeowners** |  |  |   |   |   |   |
| Single |   |   | $482,500 | $487,000 | $4,500 |   |
| Couple (combined) |   |   | $616,000 | $621,500 | $5,500 |   |
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| **Parenting Payment** |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Income test** |  |  | **Previous amount** | **1 Jul 2021** | **Increase** |  |
| Income free areas  |   |   |   |   |
| Single^ |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| Income free area |  |  | $192.60 | $194.60 | $2.00 |  pf  |
| *^Values differ for parents with more than one child* |   |   |
| Disqualifying income limits |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| Single^ |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| Under Age Pension age, including Pharmaceutical Allowance | $2,363.60 | $2,365.60 | $2.00 |  pf  |
| *^Values differ for parents with more than one child.* |   |   |
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| **Miscellaneous Amounts** |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Paid Parental Leave** |  |  | **Previous amount** | **1 Jul 2021** | **Increase** |  |
| Disqualifying income limit |   |   | $150,000 | $151,350 | $1,350 |  pa  |
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| **Family Payments** |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Family Tax Benefit (Part A) per fortnight** |  |  | **Previous amount** | **1 Jul 2021** | **Increase** |  |
| Maximum rates of payment, excluding supplement |  |  |  |  |  |   |
| **For each child** |  |  |  |  |  |   |
| Aged under 13 years |   |   | $189.56 | $191.24 | $1.68 |  pf  |
| Aged 13-15 years |   |   | $246.54 | $248.78 | $2.24 |  pf  |
| Aged 16-19 years, secondary student |   |   | $246.54 | $248.78 | $2.24 |  pf  |
| Aged 0-19 years, in an approved care organisation |   | $60.90 | $61.46 | $0.56 |  pf  |
| Base rates of payment |  |  |   |   |   |   |
| For each child |   |   | $60.90 | $61.46 | $0.56 |  pf  |
| Energy Supplement |  |  |   |   |   |   |
| Maximum Rate |  |  |   |   |   |   |
| **For each child** |  |  |   |   |   |   |
| Aged under 13 years |   |   | $3.50 | $3.50 | - |  pf  |
| Aged 13-15 years |   |   | $4.48 | $4.48 | - |  pf  |
| Aged 16-19 years, secondary student |   |   | $4.48 | $4.48 | - |  pf  |
| Aged 0-19 years, in an approved care organisation |   | $0.98 | $0.98 | - |  pf  |

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| **Family Payments (continued)** |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Energy Supplement (continued) |  |  | **Previous amount** | **1 Jul 2021** | **Increase** |  |
| Base Rate |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| For each child |   |   | $1.40 | $1.40 | - |  pf  |
| Multiple Birth Allowance |  |  |   |   |   |   |
| Triplets |   |   | $163.80 | $165.34 | $1.54 |  pf  |
| Quadruplets or more |   |   | $218.26 | $220.22 | $1.96 |  pf  |
| **Family Tax Benefit (Part A) per year** |  |  | **Previous amount** | **1 Jul 2021** | **Increase** |  |
| Maximum rates of payment, excluding supplement |  |  |  |  |  |   |
| **For each child** |  |  |  |  |  |   |
| Aged under 13 years |   |   | $4,942.10 | $4,985.90 | $43.80 |  pa  |
| Aged 13-15 years |   |   | $6,427.65 | $6,486.05 | $58.40 |  pa  |
| Aged 16-19 years, secondary student |   |   | $6,427.65 | $6,486.05 | $58.40 |  pa  |
| Aged 0-19 years, in an approved care organisation |   | $1,587.75 | $1,602.35 | $14.60 |  pa  |
| Base rates of payment |  |  |   |   |   |   |
| For each child |   |   | $1,587.75 | $1,602.35 | $14.60 |  pa  |
| Energy Supplement |  |  |   |   |   |   |
| Maximum Rate |  |  |   |   |   |   |
| **For each child** |  |  |   |   |   |   |
| Aged under 13 years |   |   | $91.25 | $91.25 | - |  pa  |
| Aged 13-15 years |   |   | $116.80 | $116.80 | - |  pa  |
| Aged 16-19 years, secondary student |   |   | $116.80 | $116.80 | - |  pa  |
| Aged 0-19 years, in an approved care organisation |   | $25.55 | $25.55 | - |  pa  |
| Base Rate |  |  |   |   |   |   |
| For each child |   |   | $36.50 | $36.50 | - |  pa  |
| Multiple Birth Allowance |  |  |   |   |   |   |
| Triplets |   |   | $4,270.50 | $4,310.65 | $40.15 |  pa  |
| Quadruplets or more |   |   | $5,690.35 | $5,741.45 | $51.10 |  pa  |
| Family Tax Benefit (Part A) Supplement |  |  |   |   |   |   |
| End of year lump sum per eligible child |   |   | $781.10 | $788.40 | $7.30 |  pa  |
| Family Tax Benefit (Part A) Penalty Reduction |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| Fortnightly reduction amount per child |   |   | $29.40 | $29.68 | $0.28 |  pf  |
| Daily reduction amount per child |   |   | $2.10 | $2.12 | $0.02 |  pd  |
| Income test |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| Income free areas for maximum payment |  |  | $55,626 | $56,137 | $511 |  pa |
| Income limit at which base rate begins to reduce |  |  | $98,988 | $99,864 | $876 |  pa |
| Maintenance Income Free Areas |  |  |   |   |   |   |
| Single parent or one of a couple receiving maintenance | $1,686.30 | $1,697.25 | $10.95 |  pa  |
| Couple, both receiving maintenance |   |   | $3,372.60 | $3,394.50 | $21.90 |  pa  |
| Add for each additional child |   |   | $562.10 | $565.75 | $3.65 |  pa  |
| **Family Tax Benefit (Part B) per fortnight** |  |  | **Previous amount** | **1 Jul 2021** | **Increase** |  |
| Maximum rates of payment, excluding supplement |   |   |   |   |   |
| Youngest child under 5 |   |   | $161.14 | $162.54 | $1.40 |  pf  |
| Youngest child 5-18 |   |   | $112.56 | $113.54 | $0.98 |  pf  |
| Energy Supplement |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| Youngest child under 5 |   |   | $2.80 | $2.80 | - |  pf  |
| Youngest child 5-18 |   |   | $1.96 | $1.96 | - |  pf  |
| **Family Tax Benefit (Part B) per year** |  |  | **Previous amount** | **1 Jul 2021** | **Increase** |  |
| Maximum rates of payment, including supplement |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| Youngest child aged under 5 |   |   | $4,580.75 | $4,620.90 | $40.15 |  pa  |
| Youngest child aged 5-18 |   |   | $3,314.20 | $3,343.40 | $29.20 |  pa  |
| Maximum rates of payment, excluding supplement |   |   |   |   |   |
| Youngest child under 5 |   |   | $4,201.15 | $4,237.65 | $36.50 |  pa  |
| Youngest child 5-18 |   |   | $2,934.60 | $2,960.15 | $25.55 |  pa  |
| Family Tax Benefit (Part B) Supplement |  |  |   |   |   |   |
| End-of-year lump sum per eligible family |   |   | $379.60 | $383.25 | $3.65 |  pa  |

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| **Family Payments (continued)** |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Energy Supplement |   |   | **Previous amount** | **1 Jul 2021** | **Increase** |   |
| Youngest child under 5 |   |   | $73.00 | $73.00 | - |  pa  |
| Youngest child 5-18 |   |   | $51.10 | $51.10 | - |  pa  |
| Primary earner income test |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Income limit |  |  | $100,000 | $100,900 | $900.00 |  pa  |
| Secondary earner income test |   |   |  |  |   |  |
| Income free area for maximum payment |   |   | $5,767 | $5,840 | $73.00 |  pa  |
| Secondary earner disqualifying income limit |  |  |   |   |   |   |
| *This income limit includes consideration of supplement* |  |   |   |   |   |
| With Energy Supplement |  |  |   |   |   |   |
|  Youngest child aged under 5 |   |   | $29,036 | $29,310 | $274.00 |  pa  |
|  Youngest child aged 5-18 |   |   | $22,594 | $22,813 | $219.00 |  pa  |
| Without Energy Supplement |  |  |   |   |   |   |
|  Youngest child aged under 5 |   |   | $28,671 | $28,945 | $274.00 |  pa  |
|  Youngest child aged 5-18 |   |   | $22,338 | $22,557 | $219.00 |  pa  |
| Disqualifying income limit |  |  |   |   |   |   |
| *This income limit excludes consideration of supplement* |  |   |   |   |   |
| With Energy Supplement |  |  |   |   |   |   |
|  Youngest child aged under 5 |   |   | $27,138 | $27,394 | $256.00 |  pa  |
|  Youngest child aged 5-18 |   |   | $20,696 | $20,897 | $201.00 |  pa  |
| Without Energy Supplement |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|  Youngest child aged under 5 |   |   | $26,773 | $27,029 | $256.00 |  pa  |
|  Youngest child aged 5-18 |   |   | $20,440 | $20,641 | $201.00 |  pa  |
| **Other amounts** |  |  | **Previous amount** | **1 Jul 2021** | **Increase** |  |
| Newborn Supplement |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| First child or multiple birth, payable over 13 weeks |   | $1,709.89 | $1,725.36 | $15.47 |  ea  |
| Second or subsequent child, payable over 13 weeks |   | $570.57 | $576.03 | $5.46 |  ea  |
| Additional upfront payment, per child |   |   | $570.00 | $575.00 | $5.00 |  ea  |
| Stillborn Baby Payment |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| Stillborn Baby Payment, per child |  |  | $3,606.81 | $3,639.04 | $32.23 |  |
| Disqualifying income limit |   |   | $64,311.00 | $64,890.00 | $579.00 |  ba  |
| Family Tax Benefit Advance |  |  |   |   |   |   |
| Maximum amount |   |   | $1,151.51 | $1,161.71 | $10.20 |  ea  |
| Average weekly earnings (AWE) indexation factor |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| Uplift factor, for adjustment of Assessable Family Income | 1.026 | 1.019 |   |   |

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| **Family Payments (continued)** |  |  |  |  |
| **Family Tax Benefit (Part A) income thresholds** |  |  |  |  |
| Income thresholds above which only the base rate of Family Tax Benefit (Part A) may be paid, per year |
| **1 Jul 2021** |  | **Number of children 13-15 years or secondary students 16-19 years** |
|   |   | Nil | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| **Number childrenaged 0-12 years** | Nil |  | $80,556(+$730) | - | - |
| 1 | $73,055(+$657) | $97,474(+$876) | - | - |
| 2 | $89,973(+$803) | - | - | - |
| 3 | - | - | - | - |
| *Note: These amounts may be higher if Energy Supplement and/or Rent Assistance is paid with Family Tax Benefit Part A.**Figures in brackets show the change relative to the previous year’s figure.* |

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| Income limits at which Family Tax Benefit Part A, may not be paid, per year

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| **1 Jul 2021** |  | **Number of children 13-15 years or secondary students 16-19 years** |
|   |   | Nil | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| **Number childrenaged 0-12 years** | Nil |  | $105,206(+$925) | $113,953(+$1,022) | $135,574(+$1,217) |
| 1 | $105,206(+$925) | $110,547(+$974) | $130,573(+$1,168) | $152,193(+$1,362) |
| 2 | $110,547(+$974) | $125,573(+$1,120) | $147,193(+$1,314) | $168,813(+$1,509) |
| 3 | $120,572(+$1,071) | $142,192(+1,265) | $163,812(+$1,460) | $185,433(+$1,655) |

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| *Note: These amounts may be higher if Energy Supplement and/or Rent Assistance is paid with Family Tax Benefit Part A.**Figures in brackets show the change relative to the previous year’s figure.* |