



Renfrewshire Council Charging Policy for non- residential Health and Social Care Services



What is the Charging Policy



This is an easy read guide about Renfrewshire Council's Charging Policy for non-residential Health and Social Care Services.



Care and support services for adults in Renfrewshire are provided by Renfrewshire Health and Social Care Partnership.



Services include day centres, community alarms and care at home.



Paying for services



If you need care and support services you may have to pay some money towards this.



We look at the money you get.
This is called a financial assessment.



We look at how much you need to pay for things like rent and council tax.



If the money you get is more than you need to live on, you may be asked to pay something for the services you get.

Disability Related Expenses



You may need to spend money to help you with a disability or a long-term health condition.



You might spend money on equipment to help you move about, transport, energy bills or extra laundry because of your disability or health condition.



This is called a disability related expense. There is a form which can be used to tell us what you spend on these things.



We look at how much you need to pay for these things and this may make a difference to the amount you need to pay for your services.

Getting help with charges and money



If you want to speak to us about charges for your services, you can call **0300 300 0211** or email cpcommunityteam@renfrewshire.gov.uk



You can get help and advice about money and benefits.

You can get help and advice from:



Advice Works **0300 300 1238**

Citizens Advice Bureau **0141 889 2121**

You First Advocacy **0141 849 1229**