



Inspired Care... Enriching Lives... Together

Extended Aged Care at Home – Dementia Packages (EACH D)

Extended Aged Care at Home – Dementia (EACH D) packages are individually tailored packages of care to assist older Australians with dementia, who may experience difficulties in their daily life due to the symptoms associated with dementia.

How do I get one?

To be eligible to receive an EACH D Package, your needs must first be assessed by an Aged Care Assessment Team (ACAT) member, and established as requiring high level care. You must also be experiencing symptoms and behaviours associated with dementia, which may be significantly impacting on your ability to live independently in the community.

Do I need a referral?

Yes. You must be referred by the ACAT Assessment team to receive an EACH package.

What types of care can be provided?

- Domestic assistance and support
- Health monitoring/ specialized nursing care
- Medication monitoring
- Support with pain management
- Respite for carers
- Transport to appointments
- Socialisation and Lifestyle Support
- Continence management/ advice
- Assistance with Personal Hygiene
- Support with pressure area care
- Assistance with preparation of meals
- Wound Management advice
- Advocacy referral

What are the costs?

An affordable fee for services applies. We will discuss fees with you and your family or representative, and explain any monies you may be required to pay as recommended by the Commonwealth Government. People who may feel financially disadvantaged are not excluded from receiving services, and should discuss this matter with a Case Manager.

Is there emergency support?

Yes. A support person is on call 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

Can I have an advocate?

An advocate of your choice is welcome. If you require an advocate, we can recommend an advocacy service or will contact the advocate/ advocacy service of your choice.