



ONTARIO WORKS Rate Chart

October 2018

Basic Needs (Renters and Owners), Reg. 41(1)1

Applicants/Recipients Living with Parents, Reg. 44(3), 51.1ii

# of Dependants (other than spouse)	Dependants 18+ or older	Dependants 0-17 years	Single Recipient	Couple
0	0	0	\$343	\$494
1	0	1	\$360	\$494
	1	0	\$623	\$652
2	0	2	\$360	\$494
	1	1	\$623	\$652
	2	0	\$781	\$826
3	0	3	\$360	\$494
	1	2	\$623	\$652
	2	1	\$781	\$826
	3	0	\$956	\$1001

For each additional dependant add \$175 if dependent in 18 years or older and \$0 if the dependent is 0-17 years of age.

Maximum Amounts for Board and Lodging, Reg. 44(1)1

# of Dependants (other than spouse)	Dependants 18+ or older	Dependants 0-17 years	Single Recipient	Couple
0	0	0	\$533	\$688
1	0	1	\$664	\$752
	1	0	\$752	\$790
2	0	2	\$737	\$813
	1	1	\$825	\$851
	2	0	\$873	\$887
3	0	3	\$806	\$874
	1	2	\$894	\$912
	2	1	\$942	\$948
	3	0	\$980	\$984

For each additional dependant 18+ years of age add \$120 for a single parent, \$100 for a couple. For each additional 0-17 years of age add \$69 for a single parent and \$61 for a couple.

Remote Communities Allowance (formerly Northern Allowance), Reg. 41(1)2, 44(3)2

Renters/owners/Living with Parents

# of Dependants (other than spouse)	Recipient	Recipient and Spouse
0	\$272	\$403
1	\$430	\$502
2	\$526	\$602

For each additional dependant, add \$102.

Shelter Maximum, Reg. 42(2)2

Benefit Unit Size	Maximum Monthly Shelter Allowance
1	\$390
2	\$642
3	\$697
4	\$756
5	\$815
6+	\$844

Remote Communities Allowance (Formerly Northern Allowance), Reg. 44(1)2

# of Dependants (other than spouse)	Recipient	Recipient and Spouse
0	\$272	\$403
1	\$420	\$485
2	\$511	\$578
3	\$605	\$672

For each additional dependant, add \$99.

Dependant(s) of Dependants, Reg. 44(2)

# of Dependants (other than spouse)	Maximum	North of 50th
1	\$366	+\$212
2	\$419	+\$98
3	\$479	+\$102
4	\$537	+\$102
5 or more	\$568	+\$102

Special Boarder Allowance, Reg. 44(1)5, 44(3)4

\$71/case added to Board & Lodging and applicant /recipient living with parents.

Personal Needs Allowance (PNA), Reg. 43(1),(3), 44.1(2) and (3)

Persons in eligible institutions	\$149
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Pregnancy Nutritional Allowance, Reg. 41(1)6, 44.1(6), 44(2)6, and 44(3)5

Milk-Based (Lactose Tolerant)	\$50/ month
Non-Dairy (Lactose intolerant)	\$50/ month

Temp Care - Reg. 57(5)

	North of 50th
First Child	\$274
Each additional child	\$224

Benefits, Reg. 55

Full Time Employment (once /12 Months)	\$500
Guide Dog Benefit	\$84
Other Employment and Employment Assistance Activities (formerly ESUB) (once /12 Months)	\$253
Transition Child Care Benefit (per child) up to max	\$230

Asset Limits, Reg. 38(1)

# of Dependants (other than spouse)	Single (\$)	Couple (\$)
0	\$10,000	\$15,000
For each additional dependant add		
	\$500	\$500
Child under Temporary Care or Dependant of Dependant		
	\$500	\$500

Advanced Age Item, Reg. 41(1)5, 44(1)4

\$44	Each member of the benefit unit aged 65 and over.
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Earnings Exemption, Reg. 49(1)

First \$200 of net earnings is fully exempt for each adult member with earnings.

50% of net earnings (i.e. after allowable mandatory deductions)

Child care expenses: Licensed (no max.)
Unlicensed (max \$600/child)

Special Diet, Reg. 41(1)4, 44(1)3, 44(2)5, and 44(3)3

Max \$250/month per member of the benefit unit.

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\$116.91 per month

Emergency Hostel Services, Reg. 43(2)

First Nations Delivery Partners

The budgetary requirements for an applicant or recipient of emergency hostel services shall be an amount approved by the Director for providing the benefit unit with board, lodging and personal needs.

Emergency Hostel Services, OW Directive 2.7 - First Nations Delivery Partners

\$47.70	per day for board and lodging
\$4.95	for in-kind/cash
Up to a max of \$52.65	per day, where emergency hostel operators provide personal items and/or money in addition to board and lodging.