



Woodford  
Manor

# Accommodation

## Costs and Key Features

# Welcome

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Woodford Manor Aged Care provides quality aged care, in a warm, friendly, and welcoming environment.

Our aged care home is a safe, comfortable, and nurturing environment where residents can feel at home. We look after their daily care needs and provide them with the freedom to live their life the way they want. We treat them with dignity, respect, and as a valued member of our community.

We see the potential in everyone to enjoy life. Our philosophy, care and lifestyle are all focused on what residents can do, so that they maintain their independence, dignity, and a sense of purpose in their daily lives.

We provide nursing and personal care, 24 hours a day, which supports residents to enjoy life. Residents can feel at home in one of our four households and enjoy home cooked meals in the spacious living and dining areas.

Features of the home include:

- Multi-purpose room for a variety of daily activities
- Theatre for movie nights
- Large café with selection of treats from the kitchen
- Chapel for reflection and regular services
- Hairdressing and beauty services
- Library with internet access
- Private dining room for special occasions
- Ladies lounge and Men's den for a quiet retreat or catch up with friends
- Physiotherapy gym for fitness and rehabilitation
- Landscaped courtyards and BBQ spaces
- 24-hour nurse call system within rooms
- 24/7 access to compassionate care and nursing staff
- Fresh daily prepared nutritious and healthy meals
- Registered nurses and friendly qualified staff

## Room pricing

Create a new home in our generous-sized single bedrooms with ensuite bathrooms.

Room Type	Room Features	Max Occupancy	Size* (sqm)	Daily Accommodation Payment (DAP)	Refundable Accommodation Deposit (RAD) up to a maximum of:
Superior	Smart TV. Built in robe. Private ensuite.	1	21	\$106.58	\$500,000
Deluxe	Access to courtyard. Smart TV. Built in robe. Private ensuite.	1	21	\$117.23	\$550,000
Premium	Country views, some with private balcony. Smart TV. Double built-in-robe Private ensuite.	1	21	\$138.55	\$650,000
Premium Suite	Private balcony. Smart TV. Double built-in-robe Private ensuite.	1	21	\$149.21	\$700,000

\*Size of room excludes ensuite.

The Effective Maximum Permissible Interest Rate is 7.78% from 1 July 2025 and is reviewed quarterly by the government and subject to change.

## Next Steps

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### **Assessing eligibility**

The first step when considering moving into an aged care home that is subsidised by the Australian Government is to arrange a free assessment with an Aged Care Assessment Team (ACAT).

The assessment is usually undertaken by a doctor and/or other health professionals who will assess your eligibility to receive care and determine the type of care required.

### **Applying to an aged care home**

Once you have met with ACAT and received a letter to say that you are approved as eligible for residential aged care, you can start looking for, visiting, and applying to aged care homes.

An application form is available by calling: 07 5420 4000. The application form requests personal information to enable the aged care home to understand your specific care needs.

### **Agreements with your aged care home**

If you are offered a place by an aged care home, you will be required to enter into a residential agreement before moving in. It is a formal agreement outlining services, fees, and rights and responsibilities.

## Fees and payments

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The Australian Government pays for the majority of aged care costs in Australia, but you will be asked to contribute to the cost of your care if you can afford to.

This may require a one-off payment or deposit, as well as ongoing fees for your care, accommodation, and daily living expenses. How much you pay depends on your financial situation.

### **Different types of fees**

You will be required to pay one or more of the following residential care fees:

#### **A basic daily fee**

The basic daily fee covers living costs such as meals, power, and laundry. All residents are required by the Federal Government to pay the basic daily care fee (BDCF) to cover their day-to-day living expenses. It is set by the government on 20 March and 20 September each year. The basic daily fee is 85% of the single aged care pension.

Prices are published on the [Department of Health Website](#).

#### **An accommodation payment**

This is for your accommodation in the aged care home. Some people will have their accommodation costs met in full or in part by the Australian Government, while others will need to pay the accommodation price agreed with the aged care home. Centrelink will advise you which applies to you based on an assessment of your income and assets.

#### **Fees for other services**

Refer to management for further details. Fees for 'Additional Services' apply at \$20 per day at Woodford Manor Aged Care.

#### **A means-tested care fee**

This is a contribution towards the cost of care that some people may be required to pay. Centrelink will work out if you are required to pay this fee based on an assessment of your income and assets and will advise you of the amount. There are annual and lifetime caps in place to limit the amount of the means-tested care fee you will need to pay.

## Accommodation payment options

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Residents can choose to pay for their accommodation by a daily accommodation payment (DAP), a refundable accommodation deposit (RAD), or a combination of both. A refundable accommodation deposit is paid as a lump sum amount.

The daily accommodation payment accrues daily and is paid periodically, for example monthly. A combination payment includes both a partial lump sum and daily accommodation payments.

### Daily Accommodation Payment (DAP)

A daily accommodation payment is similar to a rental-type payment system. The resident can choose to pay as a daily payment instead of, or in combination with, a RAD. You may also be required to pay a DAP if the amount of RAD that you are able to pay is limited by your assets.

The DAP is calculated by multiplying the RAD (or the unpaid portion of the RAD) by the interest rate set by government (currently 7.78% per annum) /365 days (/100).

For example:

\$500,000 x 7.78%

$365 / 100 = \$106.58$  DAP per day

Or a combination payment at 50% of the price by the RAD being \$250,000 and 50% of the price by the DAP being \$53.29 per day.

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If you are assessed as being a partially supported resident by the government, you may be required to pay a smaller accommodation payment either as a lump sum or daily fee. These payments are determined by the government and referred to as Refundable Accommodation Contribution (RAC) or Daily Accommodation Contribution (DAC).

Note: For concessional/fully supported residents the above accommodation fees do not apply.

## Accommodation payment options – continued

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### **Refundable Accommodation Deposit (RAD)**

A refundable accommodation deposit is a lump sum payment by a resident for entry into an aged care home and is like an interest free loan to Woodford Manor Aged Care.

RAD amounts are published on: [myagedcare.gov.au](https://myagedcare.gov.au) or [woodfordmanor.com.au](https://woodfordmanor.com.au)  
RAD amounts vary and are dependent on factors such as apartment type, features, and availability. The amount you are asked to pay in the form of a RAD may also be restricted by the level of your assets.

A resident has up to six months from the date of entry to pay the RAD. Interest will be calculated on unpaid RAD's at the current government legislated interest rate from the admission date.

The RAD is fully refunded when a resident leaves the home (less any amounts you have agreed to have deducted).

A RAD will be refunded within 14 days from the date of discharge or on the date of discharge if sufficient notice has been provided. If a resident is deceased, the RAD will be refunded within 14 days of receipt of a certified copy of probate.

### **Method of collecting fees**

All fees and charges (other than a RAD) are payable by each resident monthly in advance. Payment is preferred via direct debit and the resident is requested to complete a direct debit form upon entering the home.

For further information regarding fees, charges, and collection of information, please feel free to contact Woodford Manor Aged Care on 07 5420 4000.

Further information can also be obtained from the My Aged Care website [myagedcare.gov.au](https://myagedcare.gov.au) or call 1800 200 422.

For more information or to book a tour,  
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