

## Riverside Campus – 30 Residential Aged Care beds

Riverside Campus is nestled in country Victoria in the town of Robinvale located on the banks of the Murray River. Here at Riverside, we provide permanent and respite care services in a supporting, caring environment for those who need and deserve high quality care in their later years.

Appetising and well-balanced meals are prepared on premises and served in the spacious dining room. We nourish the continuation of community life, relationships, family and friends and all things that are important to people living in rural communities.

Riverside Campus offers you an opportunity to be part of a family orientated, friendly environment where you will feel welcomed, cared for and safe.

**Room Features:** Rooms are light, spacious, and tastefully decorated. Each room has an ensuite for absolute privacy and convenience. Our Companion/Shared Rooms have shared ensuite. Beds, bedside table, chair, and double built-in wardrobes are in each room. There is space for you to bring along your treasured items to personalise your room.

**Common Areas:** All Residents have access to our open plan living and dining room which is tastefully decorated with curtains, blinds, bookcases, and cabinets creating a homelike atmosphere. A piano, TV and stereo are in this area. There is also a smaller lounge area with a TV and an area for activities where various programs are ran by our lifestyle co-ordinator. Riverside is set amongst attractive landscaped gardens with courtyards and BBQ areas. Added security provided through keypad entry and exit.

Additional care or services included in the room price: Robinvale District Health Service employs allied and primary healthcare professionals including physiotherapist, podiatrist, occupational therapist, dietician, and social workers. These services are available to residents at no cost.

**Optional additional care or services not included in the room price, charged at extra costs:** Our Health & Wellness Centre hosts several visiting private practitioners that are available to our residents. These services are charged at the private practitioner's own fee schedule. Residents are responsible for the cost of their own pharmaceutical supplies. Visiting Hairdressers attend onsite and charge for services according to their own fee schedules.

For expressions of interest and appointments to have the aged care entry process and financial aspects of residential aged care explained – contact RDHS Aged Care Services Navigator/Mandy Holdsworth

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## **Riverside Campus- Fees and Charges**

To find out if you will be asked to pay an accommodation payment, use the <u>fee estimator</u> located on My Aged Care Website and confirm if you need to complete a Means Assessment with Services Australia or Department of Veterans' Affairs.

One of 2 different types of fee arrangements apply if you enter residential aged care on or after 1 November 2025. These may include the following fees and contributions:

- 1 July 2014 fee arrangements- basic daily fee, means tested care fee.
- If you were receiving a Home Care Package or approved and waiting for a package on or before 12 September 2024, and you subsequently move into residential care, you are protected by the 'no worse off principle' and will pay fees under the 1 July 2014 fee arrangements. Otherwise, you will be on the 1 November 2025 fee arrangements.
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  - o Basic daily fee everyone pays a basic daily fee, regardless of their means. The basic daily fee is set at 85% of the single person rate of the basic age pension. The government indexes it on 20 March and 20 September each year. Current Rate \$65.55 per day
  - Hotelling contribution The hotelling supplement is means tested and indexed in March and September each year. Your income and assets (means) will be assessed to work out if you need to contribute towards it in the form of a hotelling contribution. If payable, the contribution will be up to a limit of the hotelling supplement which is currently \$22.15 per day.
  - Non-clinical care contribution If your means assessment resulted in you paying the full hotelling contribution, you may also be asked to contribute towards your non-clinical care. This contribution is capped at \$105.30 per day. There is also a Lifetime Cap. A lifetime cap means that residents no longer must pay the non-clinical care contribution once they reach \$135,318.69 (indexed) in total contributions, or after 4 years of cumulative contributions whichever comes first.
  - An Accommodation Payment The amount you contribute is worked out by Services Australia based on your income and assets. If you have income below \$34,762.00 and assets below \$63,000.00 the Australian Government will pay your full accommodation costs. These income and asset amounts change with indexation and are up to date until 19 March 2026.
    - If you are eligible for government assistance (low means), the government will pay some or all of your accommodation costs to your provider. You will be asked to pay an Accommodation Contribution if the government does not pay the full amount.
    - If you're not eligible for government assistance with your accommodation costs (not low means), you will pay the room price listed on this published price agreement sheet. (Price agreed with RDHS)

If you are eligible to pay an Accommodation Payment, you can choose to pay by a refundable deposit, non-refundable daily payments, or a combination of both.

RAD/RAC retention applies to everyone who first enters residential aged care on or after 1 November 2025 and pays by refundable deposit (RAD or RAC) in full or in part. Under this arrangement, RDHS will keep a small portion of each new RAD or RAC. The amount retained is calculated at a rate of 2% per annum. This rate is applied to the daily RAD or RAC balance, with the amount deducted regularly. After 5 years, no more retention amounts will be deducted.

