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Allowances



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To apply for allowances, you need a DigiD (digital identity).

◦ **Childcare allowance**

Childcare allowance is a monthly contribution from the government for childcare. The allowance is calculated based on the parents' income and living situation. In addition, the number of children also affects the amount.

Entitlement to childcare allowance has a number of conditions:

- Both parents/carers must have Dutch nationality or a valid residence permit
- Both parents/carers must be working, studying or taking a compulsory integration course
- There is a written agreement with the childcare centre
- The childcare centre is registered in the National Register for Childcare and Nurseries (LRKP)

Check whether you are entitled to the allowance or apply for the allowance via Mijn Toeslagen: www.mijntoeslagen.nl



◦ **Rent allowance**

You can receive rent allowance if you live in a rented house. You can receive an amount from the government for rent. Whether you are entitled to rent allowance and how much depends on your living situation, rent, income and age.

The rent allowance is to help low-income people pay their rent. Via Mijn Toeslagen: www.mijntoeslagen.nl you can check whether you are entitled to rent allowance and apply for the allowance.

◦ **Care allowance**

Care allowance is an allowance from the government for the cost of health insurance. If you have a low income, you receive care allowance to help pay for most of your health insurance. The amount depends on your income and the Tax Administration determines whether you are entitled to it. You can apply for the care allowance via Mijn Toeslagen:

www.mijntoeslagen.nl.





◦ **Child benefit**

Child benefit is a contribution towards the cost of caring for your children up to the age of 18. The amount of the allowance depends on the age of your child and where your child lives. You receive child benefit every quarter. You can get child benefit if you live or work in the Netherlands.

You can start receiving child benefit by passing on your child's details to the SVB (Sociale Verzekeringsbank).

<https://www.svb.nl/nl/>

◦ **Child budget**

In addition to child benefit, you may also receive child budget. Child budget is also a contribution to the costs of children under 18. If you already receive child benefit, you will automatically receive child budget, if you are entitled to it.

The right to child budget depends on your income: if your income is not too high, you will receive the allowance.



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