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| Public Sector Residential Aged Care Supplement  13031 |
| Outcome objective: Victorians are safe and secure  Output group: Ageing, Aged and Home Care  Output: Residential Aged Care |

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## 1. Service objective

The objective of this Supplement to is to offset the impact of the Adjusted Subsidy Reduction applied by the Commonwealth to adjusted subsidy places.

## 2. Description of the service

The Public Sector Residential Aged Care Supplement is the state contribution towards equalising the recurrent funding deducted by the Commonwealth from care subsidies paid to services with ‘adjusted subsidy reduction places’.   
Adjusted Subsidy places are those allocated as High Care prior to 1997 that are classified as State Government places by the Commonwealth and were the subject of negotiations with the Commonwealth and State that saw the Commonwealth assume responsibility as primary funder of State Nursing Homes. Services subject to the ASR are listed in the Adjusted Subsidy Determination.  
(Refer: Adjusted Subsidy Determination 2016 ACA Ch3 No.1/2016, Aged Care ACT 1997 (Cwth) Determination under paragraph 44-19(1)(B))

## 3. Client group

This supplement applies only to High Care services with adjusted subsidy places.   
The client group this activity is targeted at is people with higher care needs who require permanent residential aged care or respite and who are located in Melbourne as well as rural and regional Victoria.

## 4. Obligations specific to this activity

In addition to the obligations listed in the Service Agreement, organisations funded to deliver this activity must comply with the following:

### 4a. Registration and Accreditation

N/A

### 4b. Program requirements and other policy guidelines

* [Acknowledgement and publicity guidelines for Victorian Government funding support](https://fac.dhhs.vic.gov.au/acknowledgement-and-publicity-guidelines-victorian-government-funding-support)

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* [My Aged Care](https://www.myagedcare.gov.au/)

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* [Aged care reform fact sheets](https://agedcare.health.gov.au/publications-articles/factsheets)

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* [Aged Care Act 1997 (as amended)](https://www.legislation.gov.au/Details/C2008C00075)

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* [Commonwealth Department of Health and Ageing, The Residential Care Manual 2005](http://www.health.gov.au/internet/main/publishing.nsf/Content/ageing-manuals-rcm-rcmindx1.htm)

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* [Policy and Funding Guidelines](https://www.dhhs.vic.gov.au/policy-and-funding-guidelines-health-services)

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* [PSRACS financial data submitted to the department for the F1 data collection must be submitted using the Campus codes allocated to each Health Service](file:/F:/Oracle/Middleware/Oracle_Home/user_projects/domains/bi2)

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* [AIMS Public sector residential aged care services quality indicators](file:/F:/Oracle/Middleware/Oracle_Home/user_projects/domains/bi2)

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## 5. Performance

Funding is subject to achieving the performance targets specified in Schedule 2 of the Service Agreement.

Performance is measured as follows:

### Key performance measure 1: Number of occupied bed days

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| **Aim/objective** | To encourage efficient utilisation of funded places (beds). |
| **Target** | The performance measure target is provided in the Service Agreement |
| **Type of count** | Cumulative |
| **Counting rule** | Occupied bed days is derived by summing the total bed days for permanent residents (RCS and ACFI), Respite, Uncategorised Residents and Short-Term Restorative Care for all DHHS funded High Care places in the service. This is then expressed as a percentage of the available (i.e. operational) bed days to determine occupancy. Counting rules are contained in a document provided to personnel entering the data for each agency. |
| **Data source(s) collection** | * Residential Aged Persons Mental Health Data Collection |
| **Definition of terms** | RCS – Resident Classification Scale: resident classification used to determine Commonwealth funding up to June 2007. ACFI – Aged Care Funding Instrument: resident classification used to determine Commonwealth funding since July 2007. Respite residents: residents in residential aged care short term Uncategorised residents: residents in residential aged care prior to the aged care assessment. STRC – Short Term Restorative Care: residents in residential aged care short term. |

### Performance measure 2: Number of occupied bed days

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| **Aim/objective** | To encourage efficient utilisation of funded places (beds). |
| **Target** | The performance measure target is provided in the Service Agreement |
| **Type of count** | Non-cumulative |
| **Counting rule** | Occupied bed days is derived by summing the total bed days for permanent residents (RCS and ACFI), Respite, Uncategorised Residents and Short-Term Restorative Care for all DHHS funded High Care places in the service. This is then expressed as a percentage of the available (i.e. operational) bed days to determine occupancy. Counting rules are contained in a document provided to personnel entering the data for each agency. |
| **Data source(s) collection** | * Residential Aged Care Services Data Collection |
| **Definition of terms** | RCS – Resident Classification Scale: resident classification used to determine Commonwealth funding up to June 2007. ACFI – Aged Care Funding Instrument: resident classification used to determine Commonwealth funding since July 2007. Respite residents: residents in residential aged care short term Uncategorised residents: residents in residential aged care prior to the aged care assessment. STRC – Short Term Restorative Care: residents in residential aged care short term. |

## 6. Data collection

The reporting requirements for this service are:

| **Data collection name** | **Data system** | **Data set** | **Reporting cycle** |
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| Residential Aged Care Services Data Collection | AIMS | Residential aged care Form S5\_129 | Monthly |
| Residential Aged Persons Mental Health Data Collection | AIMS | Aged persons mental health Form S5\_115 | Monthly |

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