

This calculator can help you understand how much support you have available in your plan. It is based on how much funding you have available and how long you have left in your plan.

The calculator can provide an estimate of the funding available based on a selected timeframe (such as \$200 per month) or the number of hours of support (such as 10 hours per week).

This may help you work out how much support you can buy for the duration of your NDIS plan and stay within your budget.

## Important things to know

- This budget calculator can only be used for one type of support each time, for example one support worker on a weekday pay rate.
- The [support organiser \(XLSX 30KB\)](#) might be helpful if you have more than one support, for example 2 support workers on different pay rates for weekdays and weekends.
- If you have a lot of supports you might need to get specialist help to organise your plan budget. Your local area coordinator, early childhood partner or NDIS planner can help. If you have funding for a support coordinator they can help you too.
- There are sometimes delays in payments being made to providers. This means that the available funds showing in the myplace participant portal may be more than you actually have available.

## Information needed to use the calculator

- Your plan reassessment date (this helps work out how many months or weeks are left in your plan). This is the "NDIS plan reassessment due date" which you can find on page 1 of your NDIS plan.
- How much funding is in your plan for a particular support. You can find this in the Funded Supports part of your NDIS plan. The amount you need is from the budget column of the funding table.
- How much has already been spent for that support. You can find this in the Funding Report in the myplace participant portal. If you are at the start of your plan, you can use \$0
- For questions marked with a red asterisk \* you need to put an answer or 0

## User Guide

The following user guide may help you to use the budget calculator below. It includes an example.

- [User Guide \(PDF 2MB\)](#)
- [User Guide \(DOCX 2MB\)](#)

## Support organiser

- [support organiser \(XLSX 30KB\)](#)

### Budget calculator

Do you want an estimate of how much funding is available or how many hours of support are available?

☐ Hours of support

The calculator can estimate how much funding is left in your NDIS plan or how many hours of support you can buy.

How often will you use this support? (every month, fortnight, week or day)

☒ Month

☐ Fortnight

☐ Week

☐ Day

The calculator can tell you the dollar amount or the number of hours of support available every month, fortnight, week or day.

What is the hourly rate of the support you want? Some types of support are charged on a per hour basis. Your provider should give you this information in your service agreement.

\$

How much funding is in your plan for the support you are estimating?\* You might not need the whole amount from your plan for a particular support. Your plan might have money for a few different supports. For example, you might have a total budget for Improved Daily Living which may include several different sorts of supports, such as occupational therapy, psychology and some support worker help.

\$

How much funding has already been spent?\* If you have started using your plan, you might have already received some supports. The calculator needs to know how much has already been spent to work out what supports you can get in the future. You can get this number from the myplace participant portal or from your own records.

\$

When does your plan start? Leave empty to calculate your plan from today.

When is your current plan review date?\* Your NDIS funding is available for the duration of your plan. The review date is needed to help the calculator work out how much time is left in your current plan.

**Disclaimer:** Any amounts calculated by the Budget Calculator are indicative only and are based on the information you enter at the time.

You should not rely on the amounts calculated by the Budget Calculator and the National Disability Insurance Agency (NDIA) gives no warranty as to relevance, accuracy, currency or completeness of any calculation.

The NDIA is not responsible for any loss or damage you may suffer as a result of relying on a calculation from the Budget Calculator.

The NDIA does not use the Budget Calculator for the calculations of reasonable and necessary supports.

If you have any questions about the Budget Calculator, please use the feedback form at the bottom of this page or through Contacts on [ndis.gov.au](https://www.ndis.gov.au) or call the NDIA on [1800 800 110](tel:1800800110)

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Calculate

## Estimated available supports

(specific answer depends on user inputs above)

### Amount per month

\$0.00 Estimated available supports

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