



What private aged care services can I receive in my home?

Do you love your home but struggle to keep up with the maintenance as you age?

Southcare's private services can provide you with fast-tracked, quality in-home support so you can continue to stay independent and live your best life.

This service is completely customised to suit the way you like to live. Our caring hands can do a little or a lot, it's your choice.

As a not-for-profit organisation, Southcare's priority is you. We want you to continue to live a safe and happy life in your home and in the community you know and love.



How does it work?

Private home care services are not subsidised by the Government. With private home care services, you skip the assessment process because you pay Southcare directly which means you can access high quality care much faster.

What private services can I receive?

The private services are designed to meet your specific needs and can include:

- Housekeeping
- Garden maintenance
- Personal driver service to medical appointments
- Individual post-hospital care to help you get back on your feet
- Tailored shopping trips
- Gourmet meal services

Contact us at any time with any questions or additional support you may require. Our caring hands are always ready to help!

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How I can receive private services?

You may receive private services if you have had an assessment of your care needs through My Aged Care portal and are not found to be eligible for Australian Government-subsidised aged care services. Or, are found to be eligible but are waiting for funded services to become available.

How much does it cost?

The table below shows the cost for private services delivered by Southcare.

Team member	Period	Weekday	Saturday	Sunday	Public holidays
Care worker	30 mins	\$53	\$72	\$88	\$110
Care worker	45 mins	\$69	\$88	\$110	\$135
Care worker	1 hour	\$80	\$110	\$132	\$159
Nursing	Service	\$130	\$189	\$222	\$255

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