

TYPICAL PRIVATE HOME CARE COSTS

Assumptions:

A private home care agency is used and the aides are considered to be employees of that private agency.

The private home care agency is responsible for the screening, insuring, and bonding of the aides.

The private home care agency is responsible for providing substitute employees in the event an aide is ill or cannot show up for work on a given day.

Scenarios: (Costs are based on approximate fee of \$30/hour.)

Four hours per day (\$120/day)

Days Per Week	Cost Per Week	Cost Per Month	Cost Per Year
Two days per week	\$240/week	\$1,040/month	\$12,480/year
Three days per week	\$360/week	\$1,560/month	\$18,720/year
Five days per week	\$600/week	\$2,600/month	\$31,200/year
Seven days per week	\$840/week	\$3,640/month	\$43,680/year

Eight hours per day (\$240/day)

Days Per Week	Cost Per Week	Cost Per Month	Cost Per Year
Two days per week	\$480/week	\$2,080/month	\$24,960/year
Three days per week	\$720/week	\$3,120/month	\$37,440/year
Five days per week	\$1,200/week	\$5,200/month	\$62,400/year
Seven days per week	\$1,680/week	\$7,280/month	\$87,360/year

Twelve hours per day (\$360/day)

Days Per Week	Cost Per Week	Cost Per Month	Cost Per Year
Five days per week	\$1,800/week	\$7,800/month	\$93,600/year
Seven days per week	\$2,520/week	\$10,920/month	\$131,040/year

Twenty-four hours per day (\$720/day, generally two twelve-hour shifts)

Days Per Week	Cost Per Week	Cost Per Month	Cost Per Year
Five days per week	\$3,600/week	\$15,600/month	\$187,200/year
Seven days per week	\$5,040/week	\$21,840/month	\$262,080/year



Live in care (\$350 per day generally two staff)

Days Per Week	Cost Per Week	Cost Per Month	Cost Per Year
Seven days per week	\$2,450/week	\$10,617/month	\$127,400/year