

Support at Home

The Australian Government is changing in-home care to help you live independently at home for longer.

The Support at Home program begins on 1 November. It will replace the Home Care Packages (HCP) Program and Short-Term Restorative Care (STRC) Program. Support at Home is part of the new Aged Care Act, which puts the rights of older people first.

About Support at Home Program

Under Support at Home, you will have better access to services, products, equipment and home modifications to help you remain healthy, active and socially connected.

Support at Home Includes:

- More funding levels to support complex needs
- Better access to assessments and reassessments as care and service needs change
- The Restorative Care Pathway, to maintain and improve independence through Allied Health service
- The Assistive Technology and Home Modifications scheme for access to products, equipment and home modifications to meet assessment needs
- The End-of Life Pathway, which will provide extra funding to support older people to stay at home in their last months of life

<https://www.health.gov.au/our-work/support-at-home?language=en>

Based on your Aged Care Assessment and eligibility, InHome Care SA will discuss with you the mix of needs and support services to meet individual budgets.

If you are already receiving a Home Care Package through InHome Care SA, talk to us about moving to Support at Home and what it means for you. If you have yet to be approved / apply for an Aged Care Assessment, please reach out – we will happily guide you through the process