Market Position Statement – Published Rates for Residential and Nursing Beds, Domiciliary Care and Supported Living 2024/25

When undertaking a review of the fee increase for Shropshire and out of county care providers in 2024/25 we have given consideration to the following priorities:

- Provider feedback and current challenges
- The impact of changes to the National Minimum Wage
- Demand and capacity in the market
- The Council's budget position
- Benchmarking with other local authorities
- Delivering <u>The Shropshire Plan 2022-2025</u>

In recognition of the impact of financial pressures on providers and our commitment to support a sustainable and varied market, the Council has revised its rates for new purchasing in 2024/25. The Council will seek to commission care at these standard rates wherever possible, it is always open to it to deviate from them in exceptional circumstances where the particular needs of the individual require it.

The new Shropshire Council published rates set out below apply to new placements in 2024/25 only.

Residential and Nursing for older people	Shropshire Council Published Weekly Rate
	24/25
Residential care	£750.00
Residential complex including dementia care	£850.00
Nursing care*	£900.00
Nursing complex including dementia Care*	£1000.00
Residential and Nursing for people with a learning	disability and autism
Learning Disability and Autism Residential Care	£1,992.00
Learning Disability and Autism Nursing Care*	£1,324.00
Residential and Nursing for people with a mental h	ealth condition
Mental Health Residential Care	£1013.15
Mental Health Nursing Care*	£1450.82
Domiciliary care & Supported Living	Shropshire Council Published
	Hourly Rate 24/25
Domiciliary Care	£24.70
Supported Living daytime rate	£21.00

^{*} Our rates exclude Funded Nursing Care (FNC) rate. From April 2024 the new rate for FNC is standard rate: £235.88; Higher rate: £324.50.