

SSI Benefit Levels Chart effective January 1, 2014 (reflects the 1.5% federal COLA for January 2014)

Fed L/A Code	State Supp Code	New York State Living Arrangement	Individual			Couple		
			Federal	State	TOTAL ¹	Federal	State	TOTAL ¹
A	A	Living Alone	\$721	\$87	\$808	\$1,082	\$104	\$1,186
A, C (B)	B (F)	Living With Others (Living in the Household of Another) ²	721 (480.66)	23	744 (503.66)	1,082 (721.33)	46	1,128 (767.33)
A	C	Congregate Care Level 1 - Family Care <input type="checkbox"/> OCFS certified Family Type Homes for Adults <input type="checkbox"/> OMH or OPWDD certified Family Care Homes <i>NYC, Nassau, Rockland, Suffolk and Westchester Counties</i>	721	266.48	987.48	1,082	892.96	1,974.96
		<i>Rest of State</i>	721	228.48	949.48	1,082	816.96	1,898.96
A	D	Congregate Care Level 2 - Residential Care <input type="checkbox"/> OMH or OMRDD certified Community Residences, Individualized Residential Alternatives and OASAS certified Chemical Dependence Residential Services <i>NYC, Nassau, Rockland, Suffolk and Westchester Counties</i>	721	435	1,156	1,082	1,230	2,312
		<i>Rest of State</i>	721	405	1,126	1,082	1,170	2,252
A	E	Congregate Care Level 3 - Enhanced Residential Care <input type="checkbox"/> DOH certified Adult Homes and Enriched Housing programs <input type="checkbox"/> OPWDD certified Schools for the Mentally Retarded	721	694	1,415	1,082	1,748	2,830
D	Z	Title XIX (Medicaid certified) Institutions ³	30	0 ⁴	30 ⁴	60	0 ⁴	60 ⁴
A	Z	(see below) ⁵	721	0	721	1,082	0	1,082

Minimum Personal Needs Allowances
<input type="checkbox"/> Congregate Care Level 1 - \$139
<input type="checkbox"/> Congregate Care Level 2 - \$160
<input type="checkbox"/> Congregate Care Level 3 - \$190

Limits on Countable Resources
<input type="checkbox"/> Individuals \$2,000
<input type="checkbox"/> Couples \$3,000

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Statutory References: Chap. 57 of L. 2013

- ¹ The combined federal and State SSI benefit provided to eligible individuals and eligible couples with no countable income.
- ² The *Living With Others* category includes recipients whose federal benefit has been reduced by the "value of the 1/3 reduction" (VTR) due to the federal determination that they are both: *a*) living in someone else's household, *and b*) receiving some amount of free or subsidized food and shelter (room and board).
- ³ Applies when an SSI recipient is residing in a medical facility, is not expected to return home within 90 days, and Medicaid is paying for at least 50% of the cost of care.
- ⁴ Recipients in nursing homes licensed by DOH receive an additional monthly grant of \$25 issued by OTDA called a State Supplemental Personal Needs Allowance (SSPNA). Residents of other medical facilities receive an SSPNA of \$5.
- ⁵ This zero federally-administered State supplement applies: a) when an SSI recipient is residing in a private medical facility and Medicaid is paying for less than 50% of the cost of care, or b) when a Recipient resides in certain publicly operated residential facilities serving 16 or fewer residents, or c) while a recipient resides in a public emergency shelter for 6 calendar months during a 9 month period.