



**MINIMBAH CHALLENGE**

**SUPPORT AND ACTIVITY CHARGES**

Prices as at January 2024

**NDIS Support Charges**

Minimbah charges the prices at the rate shown in each prevailing NDIS Pricing Arrangements and Price Limits for the purposes of developing quotations and the billing of NDIS supports. This summary should be read in conjunction with Minimbah’s NDIS Service Agreement.

*(NDIS support prices are as reflected in the prevailing NDIS Pricing Arrangements and Price Limits and are subject to automatic change, as advised by the NDIA, without further notification, on the effective date of any change)*

| <b>Support Type</b>                                                                                                                                                | <b>\$/per hour (no GST)</b> |
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| Daytime is between 6.00am and 8.00pm (if support staff shift crosses over from Day to Evening, the evening rate applies to the entire shift of the support worker) |                             |
| Evening is between 8.00pm and 12.00am                                                                                                                              |                             |
| Overnight is 12.00am to 6.00am                                                                                                                                     |                             |
| <b>Note to support levels:</b>                                                                                                                                     |                             |
| For support levels greater than 1:1, the 1:1 rate is multiplied by the appropriate factor, e.g. x2 for 2:1 support, etc.                                           |                             |
| <b>Centre-based (arriving at and departing from Minimbah)</b>                                                                                                      |                             |
| <b><u>Weekday Daytime</u></b>                                                                                                                                      |                             |
| Group Activities in a Centre - 1:1 - Standard (TTP)                                                                                                                | \$66.45                     |
| Group Activities in a Centre - 1:1 - High Intensity (TTP)                                                                                                          | \$71.83                     |
| <b><u>Weekday Evening</u></b>                                                                                                                                      |                             |
| Group Activities in a Centre - 1:1 - Standard (TTP)                                                                                                                | \$73.21                     |
| Group Activities in a Centre - 1:1 - High Intensity (TTP)                                                                                                          | \$79.14                     |
| <b><u>Saturday</u></b>                                                                                                                                             |                             |
| Group Activities in a Centre - 1:1 - Standard (TTP)                                                                                                                | \$93.50                     |
| Group Activities in a Centre - 1:1 - High Intensity (TTP)                                                                                                          | \$101.07                    |
| <b><u>Sunday</u></b>                                                                                                                                               |                             |
| Group Activities in a Centre - 1:1 - Standard (TTP)                                                                                                                | \$120.56                    |
| Group Activities in a Centre - 1:1 - High Intensity (TTP)                                                                                                          | \$130.32                    |
| <b><u>Public Holiday</u></b>                                                                                                                                       |                             |
| Group Activities in a Centre - 1:1 - Standard (TTP)                                                                                                                | \$147.62                    |
| Group Activities in a Centre - 1:1 - High Intensity (TTP)                                                                                                          | \$159.57                    |



| <b>In-Community (picked up from home and returned to home, no centre access)</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |          |
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| <b><u>Weekday Daytime</u></b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |          |
| Access Community, Social & Rec Activities – 1:1 Standard (TTP)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | \$66.45  |
| Access Community, Social & Rec Activities – 1:1 High Intensity (TTP)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | \$71.83  |
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| <b><u>Assistance with Self Care Activities (in-home)</u></b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |          |
| <b><u>Weekday Daytime</u></b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |          |
| Assistance with Self-Care Activities - Standard (TTP)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | \$66.45  |
| Assistance with Self-Care Activities - High Intensity (TTP)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | \$71.83  |
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| <b><u>After Hours Supports</u></b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |          |
| <p>Minimbah provides staff in accordance with the support level requested and agreed to by the participant/nominee and for the hours requested. If a participant arrives late or departs early, Minimbah will still bill for the agreed hours, as staff rosters are unable to be changed at such short notice. From time to time situations occur when a participant may need to be picked up after the agreed time for supports as per the Service Agreement. As Minimbah incurs unrostered staff costs in such instances, Minimbah will bill in 15 minute increments after the agreed support finish time until the participant is pick-ed up (5 min grace period after the scheduled pick-up time).</p> |          |



| <b>Paramedic / Hospital Support</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |          |
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| <p>A number of Minimbah participants are subject to seizures or other medical conditions that may require urgent paramedic attention. Where hospitalisation is advised by the paramedics, it is often in the best interest of the participant that Minimbah support staff either accompany them in their patient transport vehicle or separately to provide emotional and physical support to the participant until a family member can attend. Minimbah will make every effort to contact the participant's nominee to seek instruction, however, if the matter is urgent and no contact can be made with the nominee and it is considered in the best interest and safety of the participant by the paramedics, a Minimbah support staff member will accompany the participant to the hospital until relieved by a designated family member. The staff time will be billed at the appropriate 1:1 rate as shown above including the time/cost for the staff member to return to Minimbah.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |          |
| <b>Escalation Periods</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |          |
| <p>From time to time, some of Minimbah's participants will require unscheduled support due to escalations of behaviour to ensure the safety and well-being of themselves, other participants and staff and/or the members of the community. As such times are unpredictable, Minimbah has a duty of care to all to ensure the safety of all persons in the vicinity. Should a situation arise where Minimbah needs to allocate additional unrostered staff resources to such a situation, Minimbah will bill from the participant's NDIS plan the amount of time and resources used that were necessary to create a safe environment for the period of the escalation.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |          |
| <b>Support Co-ordination</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |          |
| Co-ordination of Supports (Level 2)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | \$100.14 |
| <b>Other NDIS Registered Supports</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |          |
| <p>To ensure opportunities for the delivery of a full range of flexible core supports for participants and their families, Minimbah is registered with the NDIS for a number of supports/registration groups for which prices are not itemised above, as they are only delivered on request and would only serve to further complicate the above list. Minimbah uses the prices as set in the prevailing NDIS Pricing Arrangements and Price Limits for the delivery of such supports. Additional NDIS registration groups include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <u>Daily tasks / Shared Living</u> (<i>personal hygiene activities, or supervision of personal daily tasks; which support a participant to live as independently as possible at home, and in the community</i>)</li> <li>• <u>Assistance with Travel/Transport</u> (<i>to build capacity to independently travel</i>)</li> <li>• <u>Assistance with Personal Activities</u> (<i>assistance with a range of everyday activities in your home, supporting you to learn the skills needed to be as independent as possible, showering, dressing, grooming, etc.</i>)</li> <li>• <u>Personal Activities High</u> (<i>assistance with daily personal activities at/from home, higher support needs High Intensity/support requirements</i>)</li> <li>• <u>Assistance with access to and maintaining employment</u> (<i>assistance to build work-related skills to find and maintain employment</i>)</li> <li>• <u>Development of Life Skills</u> (<i>assist the development of everyday life skills to assist you to live as independently as possible - budgeting skills, meal planning, social network building, literacy and numeracy, health &amp; wellbeing, etc.</i>)</li> </ul> |          |

**Disclaimer: The above information is current at the time of publication. The NDIS can and does release updates on NDIS pricing at regular and unplanned dates. This Price list will be updated as soon as is practical**



to reflect any changes, until such time, the prevailing NDIS Pricing Arrangements and Price Limits figures will be used for billing purposes and over-ride any stated prices in this document.

### Non-NDIS Charges

| Activity Description                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | Cost                                                      |
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| <p><b><u>Daily Activity Fee</u></b><br/>           To avoid excessive administrative costs and time, Minimbah has averaged out the non-NDIS costs associated with general activity supplies and special occasion supplies for all participants. This takes into account the need for Minimbah and our participants to be flexible in the manner in which these activities, etc can be delivered. General activity supplies include (but not limited to) all cooking material (food and equipment); craft supplies, art supplies, games, outing equipment, exercise equipment, bikes, ipads, computers, music and musical instruments, drama supplies, vegetable and herb garden and sensory materials, special events such as animal farms visits, music groups, etc, special holiday and participant birthday events – Easter, Christmas, Mothers Day, Fathers Day, Australia Day, Halloween, Melbourne Cup Day, Valentines Day, etc (food and decorations, etc).</p>                  | \$4.50/day/participant                                    |
| <p><b><u>PARTICIPANT TRANSPORT</u></b><br/>           Minimbah has a fleet of 10 vehicles (as at October 2022) that have been modified for disability access that are used for group and 1:1 transport (6 Mercedes Sprinter vans and 4 Imax vans). This includes transport for outings and activities, as well as for providing drop-off and pick-up services within the local area, where requested. This is a non-NDIS support cost and can either be funded privately or where applicable through a participant’s NDIS Core Supports.<br/>           As of 1<sup>st</sup> March 2020, the NDIA now allows participant activity based transport vehicle costs (not the support costs or to/from primary residence) to be drawn from a participant’s core support budget, if they have sufficient funds and choose to do so.<br/>           Minimbah’s charges are based on a cost recovery calculation of the vehicle including insurance, fuel, maintenance, depreciation , etc.</p> |                                                           |
| <p><b>Vans: If group transport is required for activities and outings</b></p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | <b>\$20/trip/day/participant (excludes 1:1 transport)</b> |
| <p><b>Vans: If 1:1 transport is required</b><br/>           Where a van is required for 1:1 sole participant transport, the cost will be quoted, irrespective of whether funded through core supports or privately.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | <b>\$2.76/km; min \$15/trip.</b>                          |
| <p>Minimbah also offers a number of other specific community activities such as the Easter Show, and other events, etc. which need to incorporate externally set costs, as well as the transport. These will be quoted when they become available and all prices known.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | Prices available on request                               |

*Minimbah is committed to ensuring as much social inclusion as possible and appropriate (subject to a participant’s choice), in-centre and in the community, for our participants through our vision of “making*



*the best life for our people". If any of the above Non-NDIS costs present a financial hardship that would prevent appropriate social and community inclusion for a participant, please do not hesitate in contacting us for a discussion to work out a solution, [ceo@minimbah.org.au](mailto:ceo@minimbah.org.au) .*

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