

# Higher Subsidies at Public Specialist Outpatient Clinics (SOCs) and Polyclinics

Lower- to middle-income Singapore Citizens can enjoy the following higher subsidies at public specialist outpatient clinics (SOCs) and polyclinics:

- **60% or 70% off subsidised SOC services**
- **75% off subsidised medications at SOCs and polyclinics**

Pioneer Generation (PG) and Merdeka Generation (MG) seniors automatically enjoy an additional 50% and 25% off the post-subsidy bill respectively, for subsidised services and medications.

## How to apply?

If you have been means-tested based on household income for other healthcare schemes (e.g. applied for CHAS before), subsidies will be accorded based on those results. Otherwise, you may approach SOC or polyclinic staff for assistance.

Households with income				
Household monthly income per person	Subsidy at Public SOCs ^		Subsidy at Polyclinics	Additional PG / MG subsidy
	Subsidised services	Subsidised medications	Subsidised medications for adults*	
\$1,200 and below <sup>1</sup>	70%	75%	75%	PG: Additional 50% off the remaining bill MG: Additional 25% off the remaining bill
\$1,201 to \$2,000 <sup>2</sup>	60%			
Above \$2,000 <sup>3</sup> / Unassessed	50%	50%	50%	

Households with no income				
Annual Value# (AV) of home	Subsidy at Public SOCs ^		Subsidy at Polyclinics	Additional PG / MG subsidy
	Subsidised services	Subsidised medications	Subsidised medications for adults*	
\$13,000 and below <sup>1</sup>	70%	75%	75%	PG: Additional 50% off the remaining bill MG: Additional 25% off the remaining bill
\$13,001 to \$21,000 <sup>2</sup>	60%			
Above \$21,000 <sup>3</sup> / Unassessed	50%	50%	50%	

\* To receive subsidies for public SOC visits, you will first need to be assessed and referred by a CHAS clinic or polyclinic. The doctor will refer you to a public SOC as a subsidised patient if needed.

\* Children (18 years or younger) and elderly (65 years or older) patients already receive 75% subsidy for subsidised medications at the polyclinics' general (medical and dental) clinics.

# The AV of your home is the estimated annual rent if it is rented out. It is assessed by IRAS.

<sup>1</sup> Corresponds to CHAS Blue tier eligibility.

<sup>2</sup> Corresponds to CHAS Orange tier eligibility.

<sup>3</sup> Corresponds to CHAS Green tier eligibility.



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