



IG Outreach Visit Sliding Fee Scale

The IG Outreach Program uses a compassionate pricing approach to ensure our service is accessible to everyone. Our standard fee for service is \$35/hour and we provide an income-based sliding scale which ensures that services are available at an affordable rate for low-income older adults and market rate for older adults with an income above the Alberta average. All fees collected for the program go towards paying Outreach Visitors a living wage, program expenses, and creating a sustainable program that serves as many people as possible.

Annual Household Income* <i>(Monthly)</i>	Rationale	Rate	Estimated Monthly Cost**
Over \$33,800 (\$2,816.66)	Median income for AB persons aged 65+ ¹	\$35/hour	\$280/month
\$31,451-\$33,799 (\$2,621-\$2,816.58)	Above GIS cut-off, but below median income	\$30/hour	\$240/month
\$29,101-\$31,450 (\$2,425-\$2,620)		\$25/hour	\$200/month
\$20,951-\$29,100 (\$1,745-\$2,425)	Guaranteed Income Supplement (GIS) ² & Old Age Security (OAS) ³	\$20/hour	\$160/month
At or below \$20,950 (\$1,745)		\$15/hour	\$120/month

*Based on gross household income (before taxes and expenses)

**Based on one 2-hour visit/per week

¹ Statistics Canada. (2021). Table 11-10-0239-01 Income of individuals by age group, sex and income source, Canada, provinces and selected census metropolitan areas. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.25318/1110023901-eng>

² To receive GIS, annual income must be less than \$20,952

³ Maximum income for GIS and OAS (2023) is \$29,100