

# Disablement Pension payment rates

Disablement Pension payment rates as of 1 April 2021.

## Weekly payment

A Disablement Pension paid from the day we got your completed application. It is calculated as a weekly financial support and paid:

- every two weeks within NZ, or
- every four weeks outside of NZ.

Payment dates (<https://www.veteransaffairs.mil.nz/for-clients/payments/payments/>)

About the Disablement Pension (<https://www.veteransaffairs.mil.nz/a-z/disablement-pension/>)

## Weekly payment rate

Your impairment percentage determines how much you will receive weekly.

All payment rates are before tax.

Your impairment percentage	Weekly payment amount
5-7%	NZD\$11.69
8-12%	NZD\$23.38
13-17%	NZD\$35.06
18-22%	NZD\$46.73
23-25%	NZD\$58.41
26-30%	NZD\$70.10
31-32%	NZD\$81.78
33-37%	NZD\$93.46
38-41%	NZD\$105.16
42-47%	NZD\$116.84
48-49%	NZD\$128.51
50%	NZD\$140.19

51% Your impairment percentage	NZD\$151.88 Weekly payment amount
52-54%	NZD\$163.56
55-57%	NZD\$175.24
58-61%	NZD\$186.94
62-66%	NZD\$198.62
67%	NZD\$210.31
68-74%	NZD\$221.97
75%	NZD\$233.67
76%	NZD\$245.35
77%	NZD\$257.03
78%	NZD\$268.70
79%	NZD\$280.40
80%	NZD\$292.08
81%	NZD\$315.44
82%	NZD\$338.81
83%	NZD\$362.17
84%	NZD\$385.54
85-100%	NZD\$411.25

You may be temporarily paid at maximum rate if you need treatment that requires you to take leave or live away from home for at least one day a week.

## If you have a terminal condition

If your illness or injury becomes terminal you will either:

- be paid at the maximum rate, or
- get a one-time payment worth 12 months of the maximum rate.

If you take the one-time payment and survive longer than 12 months you will continue to receive a Disablement Pension at your weekly amount.

