

Tax relief on home care services

The Home Care Tax
Relief Scheme helps to
reduce the bills for
private home care for
the growing numbers of
families who need it.
It means that you or
your loved one can
access our quality care
services at a lower cost.



How does the home care tax relief scheme work?

You can claim tax relief on the cost of employing a Dovida caregiver, if you employ one for yourself, or for another family member.

While we hold all relevant responsibilities as the employer, you can claim tax relief on the costs of care at your marginal rate of tax (whether 20% or 40%).

If you are registered with Revenue's MyAccount service, you can apply directly through that.

Otherwise, you simply fill out a form called the HK1 Claim for an Allowance for Employing a Carer.

Then you can claim tax relief at the end of the year, or monthly through your pay.

If you are not working or paying tax, you can still receive this cash back through other members of your family, up to a total of €75,000 at their marginal tax rate, as long as they are paying the bill.

See overleaf how Dovida's private home care services empower you to live:

Your Life, Your Way.

Why consider private care with Dovida?



Dovida supports, empowers and uplifts clients in cities, towns and villages all over Ireland.

Our clients consistently rank us highly across all areas of service.

You can expect:

Experience

With two decades of professional experience in the sector, Dovida has a deep understanding of the unique needs and challenges faced by individuals requiring home care in Ireland.

Qualified caregivers

Our caregivers are carefully selected, vetted, and trained to deliver exceptional care. They are dedicated, compassionate professionals who prioritise the well-being and happiness of our clients.

A personalised approach

Our personalised care plans are tailored to meet the specific requirements and preferences of our clients, putting them at the heart of our Circle of Care.

Peace of mind

Choosing our home care services provides peace of mind, knowing that your loved ones are in capable hands. We strive to foster a warm, trusting relationship with our clients and their families, ensuring open communication and transparency.

What should I do next?

You can find the relevant forms online and bring them into your local Dovida Office.

We will explain the process to you, and we can also help you to complete the forms or answer any questions you might have.

We can also introduce our private care services to you in greater detail during a free, no-obligation care consultation.

In approximately 90% of the cases I have dealt with, family members are not aware of any home care tax relief scheme prior to consultation.

- Client family member

To learn more about how the Home Care Tax Relief scheme can help reduce your private home care costs, find your local Dovida office online or call 1800 911 855.