

Merkblatt über Pflege- und Sondergebühren - englisch**BULLETIN ON CARE FEES AND SPECIAL FEES**

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A. CARE FEES effective from 01. January 2017

Care fees (fees for in-patient care) are calculated, legally announced rates covering all hospital services such as medical services, nursing services, drug costs and accommodations and board for the patient.

- a) Care fee for self-pay patients without statutory health insurance (and persons that have private insurance without a direct billing agreement**) per day of care amounts to

€ 1.166,00

- b) No care fees need be paid if the statutory health insurance assumes the costs. The care fee for socially insured patients is billed according to a case-by-case calculation with *Wiener Gesundheitsfonds*.

- c) For foreign citizens (except persons who are nationals of contracting parties to the Agreement on the European Economic Area, EEA-agreement, or from EU member states) in accordance with § 51 Wiener Krankenanstaltengesetz (Vienna Hospitals Act) without status as a non-rejectable person in accordance with § 36 para 4 Wiener Krankenanstaltengesetz (Vienna Hospitals Act) the care fee per day for care in Austrian territory amounts to

€ 1.383,00

- d) Care fee for admission in semi-hospital wards

€ 291,00

B. SPECIAL FEES effective from 01. January 2017

Institutional fees are special fees to compensate special “hotel” service (inter alia rooms offering greater comfort and featuring better furnishings/equipment) for special class patients.

- a) **Institutional fee:** In addition to the daily care fee, special class patients are charged an institutional fee amounting to

€ 256,00

- b) **Daily surcharge for a single-bed room:**

€ 62,00

- d) **Lump-sum amount: Patients** who have no statutory health insurance and who are only entitled to submit claims to a private insurance with a valid direct billing agreement are charged a lump-sum fee instead of the official care fee and institutional fee. This lump-sum fee **per day of care and per patient** amounts to

€ 592,00

The admission day and release day both count as days of care regardless of how many hours the patient was actually in the hospital on this day. Under the *Wiener Krankenanstaltengesetz* (Vienna Hospitals Act), public hospitals are authorized to collect in advance the care fee and special fee for the probable duration of care, at most however, for 28 days, from the patient liable to pay, the patient's family members obliged to support him, the insured party, or the person accompanying the patient. The final settlement of the bill is done on the patient's release. The nursing and special class fees must be paid at Admissions or at the hospital cashier's office in exchange for a receipt of payment. Otherwise, a pertinent bill is sent.

**) Any words referring to human beings and expressed in feminine or masculine form refer equally to women and men.*

****]** The following private insurance companies are among those that have a direct billing agreement

- Cigna
- Mu-Ki Versicherung auf Gegenseitigkeit Austria
- Allianz-Elementar Versicherung AG Austria
- Generali Versicherung AG Austria
- UNIQA Personenversicherung Aktiengesellschaft Austria
- Allianz World Wide Care, Dublin and Brüssel
- Wiener Städtische Allgemeine Versicherung AG Austria
- Merkur Versicherung Aktiengesellschaft Austria
- Donau Versicherung AG Vienna Insurance Group Austria