

Community Safety **Starts With You**

Subsidy Scheme

The City offers three subsidy schemes for residents on low-income:



Safety Scheme

Make your home safer and more secure.



Home Modification or Assistive Equipment Scheme

Manage everyday tasks and remain in your own home longer (available to seniors only).



Information Technology Scheme

Become more connected to friends, family, resources and information (available to seniors only).

Subsidies of up to \$100 per scheme per year are available to assist City of Rockingham residents to:

- make your home safer and more secure
- adapt your home or purchase assistive equipment to help manage your everyday tasks
- become more connected with friends, family, resources and information.

A few examples for each scheme are listed below (visit the City's website for a list of eligible items).

Safety

Car seat or restraint
Child-proof lock
Fire screen
Window and door deadlocks
Smoke detectors and fire equipment
Pool gate locks and/or latches



Home Modification or Assistive Equipment

Ramps
Dressing aids
Transfer aids
Walkers



Information Technology

Tablet or iPad
Laptop
Personal Computer



Subsidy Scheme Application Form

Eligibility

- Items must be purchased and/or installed and invoiced within the current financial year
- Applicants must be aged:
 - **18+**: Safety
 - **60+**: Home Modification or Assistive Equipment
 - **60+**: Information Technology
- Applicants must be a Pensioner/Concession/Health Care Cardholder
- Only one claim per subsidy type per resident and residential property per financial year is permitted.

Applications are processed July-May each year. Applications received during June will not be processed as part of the current financial year.

Outcomes will be known within 30 working days of the City receiving a completed application.

How to submit an application

1. Purchase and/or install an approved device.
2. Complete the application form.
3. Attach a copy (front and back) of your Pensioner/Concession/Health Care Card.
4. Obtain and attach a tax invoice stating a \$0 balance (a quote does not constitute a tax invoice).
5. Return the completed application form, together with all documents as outlined above to:

City of Rockingham

PO Box 2142 Rockingham DC WA 6967

I wish to apply for the following subsidy/subsidies:

Safety

I confirm:

- I am aged 18 years and over
- I have attached a copy of my Pensioner/Concession/Health Care Card
- I have attached a copy of the original tax invoice with a \$0 balance

Home Modification or Assistive Equipment

I confirm:

- I am aged 60 years and over
- I have attached a copy of my Pensioner/Concession/Health Care Card
- I have attached a copy of the original tax invoice with a \$0 balance

Information Technology

I confirm:

- I am aged 60 years and over
- I have attached a copy of my Pensioner/Concession/Health Care Card
- I have attached a copy of the original tax invoice with a \$0 balance

The City of Rockingham provides no guarantee that a rebate will be provided to all applicants. If the purchase or installation of your item is dependent on the approval of the rebate, please ensure you read the instructions carefully.

For a list of eligible items or for more information, visit www.rockingham.wa.gov.au or contact the City on customer@rockingham.wa.gov.au or **9528 0333**.

Personal Details:

Name of Applicant:

Address:

Suburb:

Postcode:

Contact Number:

Email:

Age:

Amount requested:

Bank Details:

Your rebate will be directly deposited into your bank account. Please provide your details and signature in the space below. Strict procedures are in place to ensure your bank details are kept secure.

Account Name:

BSB:

Account No:

Date:

Signature:

Are you the owner of the property?

Yes

No

If you are not the home owner and your application refers to a home modification or fixture installation, please complete the home owner's consent below.

Name of owner/landlord/property manager:

Phone number:

Postal address:

I, the owner/agent, approve the home modification/fixture/safety device(s) installation to the above mentioned property.

Owner/agent's signature:

OFFICE USE ONLY:

Reference Number:

Approved

Declined

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Name:

Title:

Signature: