

WELFARE RIGHTS UNIT

Capital Limits April 2022

Income Support/income related Employment and Support Allowance/income based Job Seekers Allowance (for people under woman's pension age)

Upper limit £16,000

Disregard £6,000 (£10,000 care home)

Tariff income of £1 a week per £250 (or part of) between disregard and upper limit

Universal Credit

Upper Limit £16,000
Disregard £6,000
Tariff income of £1 a week per £250 (or part of) between disregard and upper limit

Pension Credit (for people over the qualifying age for Pension Credit)

Upper limit None Disregard £10,000

Tariff income of £1 a week per £500 (or part of) above disregard

Child Tax Credit & Working Tax Credit

No capital limits

Housing Benefit

Upper limit £16,000

No upper limit for those in receipt of Pension Credit Guarantee Credit

Disregard for people under the qualifying age for Pension Credit £6,000
Disregard for people over the qualifying age for Pension Credit £10,000
Tariff income of £1 a week per £250 (or part of) between disregard and upper limit

Council Tax Support

Upper limit for working age claimants £6,000
Upper limit for Pension Credit age claimants £16,000

No upper limit for those in receipt of Pension Credit Guarantee Credit

Home Care & Housing Related Support Charging

Upper limit £23,250
Disregard £14,250
Tariff income of £1 a week per £250 (or part of) between disregard and upper limit

Residential Care Charging

Upper limit £23,250
Disregard £14,250
Tariff income of £1 per week per £250 (or part of) between disregard and upper limit

Residential Care Charging (Personal Expenses Allowance)

Weekly Allowance £25.65 week

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