
GOVERNMENT NOTICE

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT

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INCREASE IN RESPECT OF SOCIAL GRANTS

The Minister for Social Development has, in terms of the Social Assistance Act, 2004 (Act No. 13 of 2004) as amended, with the concurrence of the Minister of Finance, announced an increase in social grants.

The new maximum monthly amounts are as follows:

Type of Grant	Current Amount	New Amount 1 April 2013	New Amount 1 October 2013
Older Persons (60 – 74 yrs)	R 1 200	R 1 260	
Older Persons (75+ yrs)	R1 200 + R20	R1 260 + R20	
War Veterans'	R1 200 + R20	R1 260 + R20	
Disability	R 1 200	R 1 260	
Care Dependency	R 1 200	R 1 260	
Child Support	R280	R290	R300
Grant-in-Aid	R280	R290	R300
Foster Child	R770	R800	

The increase will be effected on 1 April 2013.

**MINISTER OF SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT**

DATE: 15. 03. 13