



## Housing ACT Fact Sheet

# Housing Assistance Income Barriers

### **PUBLIC RENTAL HOUSING ASSISTANCE**

As from **02 March 2010** the income barriers applying to rental housing assistance are as follows:

#### **Single applicant with no dependants**

\$575 gross per week

#### **Family applicants**

**Family of two persons**  
\$716 gross per week

**Family of three or more persons**  
\$716 gross per week plus \$95 each for the third, fourth, fifth person, etc.

Eligibility for assistance is assessed on the gross income of the applicant/joint applicants, plus 10% of the incomes of any other household members whose income is equal to or greater than \$100.00 gross per week.

The income eligibility criterion is reviewed every three (3) months.

### **RENTAL BOND LOAN ASSISTANCE**

As from **02 March 2010** the income barriers applying to bond loan assistance are as follows:

#### **Single applicant with no dependants**

\$1,383 gross per week

#### **Family applicants**

**Family of two persons**  
\$1,717 gross per week

**Family of three or more persons**  
\$1,717 gross per week plus \$171 each for the third, fourth, fifth person, etc.

Eligibility for assistance is assessed on the gross income of the applicant/joint applicants, plus 18% of the incomes of any other household member whose income is equal to or greater than \$100.00 gross per week.

The income eligibility criterion is reviewed every three (3) months.

## Further Information

For more information, telephone 133427,  
or visit the Applicant Services Centre.

## Applicant Services Centre

Nature Conservation House  
Cnr Emu Bank & Benjamin Way  
Belconnen Town Centre  
(Open 9:00am to 5:00pm Mon to Fri)

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CHINESE	如果你需要传译员的帮助，请打电话：
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