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Table 1

**Increases in Maximum Weekly Rates of Social Insurance from January 2007**

	<b>Present Rate</b>	<b>New Rate</b>
	€	€
<b>Personal and Qualified Adult Rates</b>		
<b><u>State Pension (Contributory)</u></b>		
(i) Under 80:		
Personal rate	193.30	209.30
Person with qualified adult under 66	322.10	348.80
Person with qualified adult 66 or over	342.60	382.30
(ii) 80 or over:		
Personal rate	203.30	219.30
Person with qualified adult under 66	332.10	358.80
Person with qualified adult 66 or over	352.60	392.30
<b><u>State Pension (Transition)</u></b>		
Personal rate	193.30	209.30
Person with qualified adult under 66	322.10	348.80
Person with qualified adult 66 or over	342.60	382.30
<b><u>Widow's/Widower's Contributory Pension</u></b>		
(i) Under 66:	171.30	191.30
(ii) 66 and under 80:	193.30	209.30
(iii) 80 or over:	203.30	219.30
<b><u>Invalidity Pension:</u></b>		
(i) Under 65:		
Personal rate	171.30	191.30
Person with qualified adult under 66	293.50	327.80
Person with qualified adult 66 or over	320.60	364.30
(i) Age 65:		
Personal rate	193.30	209.30
Person with qualified adult under 66	315.50	345.80
Person with qualified adult 66 or over	342.60	382.30
<b><u>Carer's Benefit</u></b>		
Personal rate	180.70	200.70
<b><u>Occupational Injuries Benefit - Death Benefit Pension</u></b>		
(i) Personal rate under 66	194.60	213.70
(ii) Personal rate 66 and under 80	197.70	213.70
(iii) Personal rate 80 or over	207.70	223.70
<b><u>Occupational Injuries Benefit - Disablement Pension</u></b>		
Personal rate	196.90	216.90
<b><u>Illness/Jobseeker's Benefit</u></b>		
Personal rate	165.80	185.80
Person with qualified adult	275.80	309.10
<b><u>Injury Benefit/Health and Safety Benefit</u></b>		
Personal rate	165.80	185.80
Person with qualified adult	275.80	309.10
<b><u>Guardian's Payment (Contributory)</u></b>		
Personal rate	138.00	158.00
<b><u>Increases for a qualified child</u></b>		
All schemes except for those underneath	16.80	22.00
State Pension (Contributory), State Pension (Transition), Invalidity Pension	19.30	22.00
Widows/Widower's Contributory Pension (and related schemes)	21.60	22.00

Note: This table takes account of the changes to schemes as provided for in the Social Welfare Law Reform and Pensions Act 2006.

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Table 2

Increases in Maximum Weekly Rates of Social Assistance from January 2007

	Present Rate	New Rate
	€	€
<b>Personal and Qualified Adult Rates</b>		
<b><u>State Pension (Non-Contributory)</u></b>		
(i) Under 80:		
Personal rate	182.00	200.00
Person with qualified adult under 66	302.30	332.20
(ii) 80 or over:		
Personal rate	192.00	210.00
Person with qualified adult under 66	312.30	342.20
<b><u>Blind Person's Pension</u></b>		
Personal rate	165.80	185.80
Person with qualified adult under 66	275.80	309.10
<b><u>Widow's/Widower's Non-Contributory Pension</u></b>		
Personal rate	165.80	185.80
<b><u>One-Parent Family Payment</u></b> <i>(including one child)</i>		
Personal rate	185.10	207.80
<b><u>Carer's Allowance</u></b>		
(i) Under 66	180.00	200.00
(ii) 66 or over	200.00	218.00
<b><u>Disability Allowance</u></b>		
Personal rate	165.80	185.80
Person with qualified adult	275.80	309.10
<b><u>Supplementary Welfare Allowance</u></b>		
Personal rate	165.80	185.80
Person with qualified adult	275.80	309.10
<b><u>Jobseeker's Allowance</u></b>		
Personal rate	165.80	185.80
Person with qualified adult	275.80	309.10
<b><u>Pre-Retirement Allowance/Farm Assist</u></b>		
Personal rate	165.80	185.80
Person with qualified adult	275.80	309.10
<b><u>Guardian's Payment (Non-Contributory)</u></b>		
Personal rate	138.00	158.00
<b><u>Increases for a qualified child</u></b>		
All schemes except for those underneath	16.80	22.00
One Parent Family Scheme, State Pension (Non-Contributory)	19.30	22.00

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**Table 3**

Increases in Monthly Rates of Child Benefit from April 2007

	Present Rate	New Rate
	€	€
<b><u>Child Benefit</u></b>		
(i) First and Second Children	150.00	160.00
(ii) Third and Subsequent Children	185.00	195.00

**Table 4**

Increases in Maximum Weekly Rates of Health Allowances from January 2007

	Present Rate	New Rate
	€	€
<b><u>Supplementary Allowance payable to Blind Persons in receipt of a Blind Pension</u></b>		
(i) Blind Pensioner	51.60	57.80
(ii) Blind Married Couple	103.20	115.60
<b><u>Infectious Diseases Maintenance Allowance</u></b>		
(i) Personal Rate	165.80	185.80
(ii) Person with qualified adult	275.80	309.10
(iii) Personal Rate with qualified adult and qualified child	292.60	331.10





