

# Rules on shared living costs

You can share your expenses with cohabitants aged 27 and over. As such, the amount of your social assistance benefit will change. The amount is adjusted according to the number of cohabitants older than 27. This is also known as the cost-sharing standard.

**Who are not considered cost sharers?**



Your partner does not count as a cost sharer



**How much does the social assistance benefit change?**

2 people: 50%  
3 people: 43.33%  
4 people: 40%

A student living at home over 27 years old is not a cost sharer



A child living at home up to 27 years old is not a cost sharer

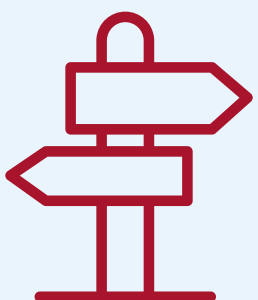


Boarders or room renters: depending on the lease agreement



**Allowances**

Always notify the Tax Administration of any changes. A cohabitant can affect your allowances.



For more information about the rules on shared living costs, visit [www.hollandskroon.nl](http://www.hollandskroon.nl) You can also report changes in your situation there.