

Purchasing of Assistive Devices

These skin-contact devices unfit for rental can be purchased.

Note: Should be purchased from vendors designated by municipalities.

Consult with your care manager before purchasing.

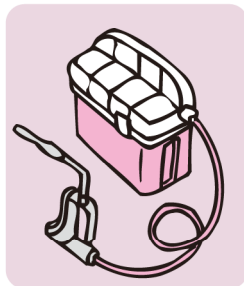
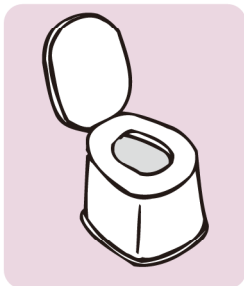
1. Sit-down toilets

2. Replaceable parts for automatic bodily waste processors

3. Bathing-support tools

4. Simple bathtubs

5. Hoisting attachments for mobile lifts



From FY2015 the “Water washing portable toilet” has been added under the “1. Sit-down toilets” category.

Purchasing Limit	Conditions
100,000 yen	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The maximum amount is 100,000 yen per year (from April 1 to March 31 of the next year). Users have to pay 10% or 20% of the cost. In principle, you may not purchase the same product more than once within the same year.

Home Renovation

To create an independent and care-oriented living environment, minor renovation works listed below will be funded.

Note: Application prior to renovation is necessary. Otherwise, you cannot receive the benefits.

Purchasing Limit	Conditions
200,000 yen	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The maximum amount is 200,000 yen. Users have to pay 10% or 20% of the cost. The entire amount, i.e. 200,000 yen, may be spread over several renovations. If your care level is reassessed to be higher by three levels or more, or if you change addresses, you will be allowed to use the renovation benefits again.

Applicable Renovations

1. Handrail installation
2. Step elimination
3. Resurfacing floors and hallways to prevent slipping and facilitate smooth movements
4. Replacing doors with sliding doors
5. Replacing Japanese-style toilets with Western-style toilets
6. Other necessary work accompanying 1-5 above

From FY2015 the “Change of location and direction of the toilet seat” has been added under the “5. Replacement of toilet seat with Western style toilet seat” category.