

Special Collection or Regular Collection (for Category 1 Insured)

Special Collection

Insured individuals who receive 180,000 yen or more per year from old-age, retirement, disability or survivor's pensions (excluding old-age welfare pensions), as of April 1.

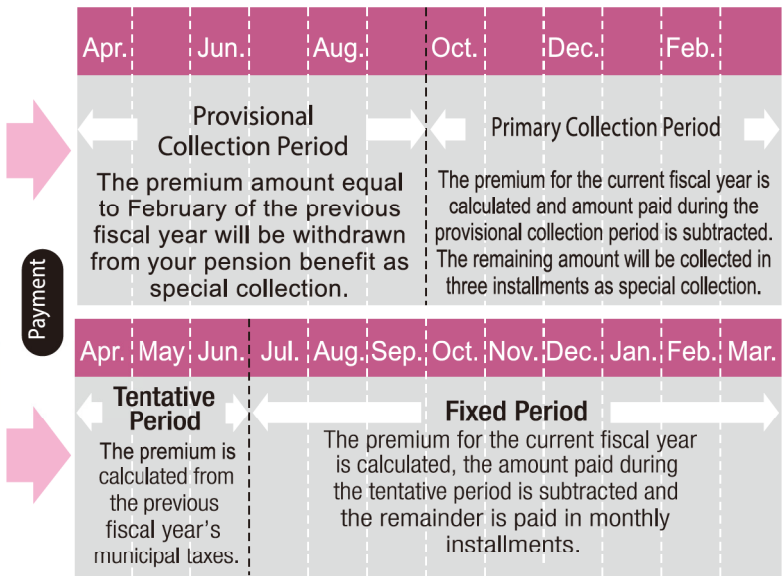
The premium is deducted from the pensions to be granted.

Regular Collection

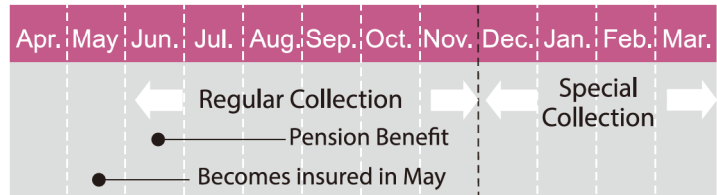
Insured individuals who receive less than 180,000 yen per year from old-age or retirement pensions as of April 1.

Payments should be made according to the payment slips. (Payable by bank transfer)

Newly insured individuals who receive 180,000 yen or more annually from old-age or retirement pensions will have the Long-Term Care Insurance premium specially collected from their pension benefits 6 months after they begin receiving their pensions.



Example: An individual who becomes insured in May and begins receiving a pension in June.



Note: The collection method may not be chosen by the insured individuals.

Insurance Premium Notification (for Category 1 Insured)

Special Collection (Payment from Pension)

- The yearly insurance amount is calculated based on the current fiscal year's municipal taxes. In mid-July, you will be notified of the amounts to be specially collected in October, December, and February of that year as well as the provisional amounts to be specially collected in April, June, and August of the following fiscal year.
- If there is a large difference between the amounts withdrawn in the first half (April, June, and August) and the second half (October, December, and February), the amounts to be withdrawn in June and August will be changed so that payment amounts will be equal. You will receive notification in mid-April.

Regular Collection

- In mid-April, you will be notified of the yearly insurance amount which is tentatively calculated every April based on the previous fiscal year's municipal taxes.
 - If there are any changes in the amount or collection method after the recalculation based on the current fiscal year's municipal taxes, you will receive another notification in mid-July.
- A notification will be sent if your insurance premium level or the method of collection changes at any point during the fiscal year.