

Social Security Scotland Management Information

Carer Support Payment pilot applications

Initial management information indicates that from Monday 20 November to Sunday 17 December 2023, 160 applications for Carer Support Payment had been received. Overall, 55 applications had been processed by Sunday 17 December. Of these, 40 applications were authorised, 5 were denied, and 10 were withdrawn. A total of 25 payments had been issued to clients by Sunday 17 December.

These figures are based on management information sourced from Social Security Scotland's case management system and rounded to the nearest five for disclosure control. A data cut was extracted on Monday 18 December for internal reporting purposes. This data is subject to change and later data cuts from the case management system may include retrospective changes to application numbers for this time period. The pilot launch covers Dundee City, Perth and Kinross and Na h-Eileanan Siar (Western Isles).

As these figures are based on management information, they have not yet been quality assured to the same standard as Official Statistics. A release of Official Statistics on Carer Support Payment, covering applications and payments up to 31 December 2023, will be released on 13 February 2024.

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