

Please note that no matter how many of your household qualify for a discount, if two of you do not, then a full charge is payable.

The following people usually qualify for a discount –

- 1) Student nurses
- 2) Apprentices
- 3) Youth Training trainees
- 4) Foreign language assistants.
- 5) Long-stay patients in hospital.
- 6) Long-stay patients in care homes, etc.
- 7) Those receiving care in certain hostels or night shelters; having no fixed abode.
- 8) Persons under 20 who left school or college between 30 April and 1 November may be disregarded for that period
- 9) Care workers working for low pay, usually for charities, living in provided accommodation
- 10) Those caring for and resident with someone with a disability who is not a spouse, partner or child under the age of 18
- 11) Members of visiting forces eg those lodging with British Citizens
- 12) Members of certain international Headquarters or International Defence Organisations
- 13) Members of religious communities
- 14) Those in prison
- 15) 18 or 19 year olds for whom Child Benefit is payable
- 16) Diplomats, certain members of a diplomat's household, or benefiting from diplomatic immunity
- 17) Certain students in higher and further education
- 18) Non-British spouses of full-time students prevented by the terms of their Visa from taking
- 19) The severely mentally impaired