March 2011

URBAN Single Adult Male (age 25+)

Income from working full time on NMW* - No entitlement to secondary benefits

Housing and car costs excluded

ltem	Description	Cost/PW	ltem	Description	Cost/PW
Food Clothing	Man clothing	73.65 13.29	Social Inclusion & Participation	Holidays, TV License, Socializing, Sports Goods, Sports Activates, Outings, Photography, Gardening, Games, Seasonal	54.22
	Dry Cleaning		Education	Items Night course	2.90
		9.42			
Personal Care	Personal Hygiene Cosmetics		Transport	30 day Rambler Ticket 1 Night-Link Ticket	29.23
Health Related Costs	Over the counter healthcare, GP, prescriptions, optician etc	2.33	Household Fuel	Gas ESB	8.50
Household Goods	Lounge/dining furniture Bed/bathroom furniture Floor Coverings	8.65	Personal Costs	Trade Union Fees Charity Donations	4.93
	Textile and Soft Furnishings		Insurance	Health	14.56
	Appliances gas/electric Stationary/paper goods Kitchen and hardware		Savings & Contingencies	Savings Emergencies/ contingencies	15.64
	Toilet paper/cleaning materials				
	Miscellaneous				
Household Services		00.00			
Communications	Postage, Telephone & Mobile phone	16.63			

Total Weekly Expenditure €253.94

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Weekly Household Expenditure for the following income situations:

- Working full time on NMW, Private Rented Accommodation no car
- In receipt of Jobseekers Benefit, Private Rented Accommodation no car
- Working full time on NMW no entitlement to benefits and housing excluded

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Euro per week March 20	11		
Household Types	In receipt of Jobseekers Benefit/ no car	Working Full Time/ no car	Working Full-time on NMW/ no benefits/housing excluded
Food	73.65	73.65	73.65
Clothing	13.29	13.29	13.29
Personal Care	9.42	9.42	9.42
Health Related Costs	0.13	0.13	2.33
Household goods	8.65	8.65	8.65
Household Services	0.00	0.00	0.00
Communications	16.63	16.63	16.63
Social inclusion and participation	54.22	54.22	54.22
Educational Costs	2.90	2.90	2.90
Private Rented Housing	115.96	115.96	00.00
Transport ¹	29.23	29.23	29.23
Household Fuel	8.50	8.50	8.50
Personal costs	2.16	4.93	4.93
Insurance Costs	00.00	00.00	14.56
Savings/ contingency costs	15.64	15.64	15.64
Actual Costs	350.38	353.14	253.94
Medical Card ²	Full medical card	Full medical card	No medical card

¹ Transport is made up of a 30 day Dublin Bus Rambler ticket and 1 Nite-link ticket.

² Medical expenses (not including over the counter medical items) such as GP, Optician etc (€2.20) and Health Insurance (€14.56) have been deducted for those entitled to a medical card, totaling €16.76.

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Total weekly income, expenditure and shortfall/discretionary income for the 2 different income situations

Income Expenditure Scenario ³	Total cash income €	Total ME Budget costs* €	Shortfall/ Discretionary Income €
Dependent on Jobseekers Benefit/ no car	277.96	350.38	72.42 Shortfall
Income from F/T on NMW/ no car	313.85	353.14	39.29 Shortfall

³ It should be noted that the similarity in incomes of the adult male working full time and that of the unemployed adult is due to a supplementary rent supplement of €9.96 per week. An unemployed male also receives unemployment benefits of €188.00 per week.