

TAX-DEDUCTIBLE PREMIUM -- 2017

Following are the Federal guidelines for premium deductibility for tax-qualified long term care policies. The amounts shown are PER PERSON.

In New York State, this deduction is a tax credit. A filer may deduct 20% of total long term care premium, off taxes owed. It is not necessary to itemize deductions. NYS Form IT-249 is required.

At the Federal level, the deduction is subject to the regulations pertaining to medical deductions, that is, the amount must exceed 7-1/2% of the taxpayer's adjusted gross income, and the filer must itemize deductions.

Age	2017 Deduction
Under 40	410.00
Age 40-50	770.00
Age 51-60	1,530.00
Age 61-70	4,090.00
Over 70	5,110.00
Per Diem (indemnity)	360.00

As with all tax questions, clients should be referred to their accountant.

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