

Information on Hiring a Part-time Helper

Thank you for choosing Fair Employment Agency! At the Fair Employment Agency, we strive to make your experience in hiring a domestic helper as effortless as possible. We understand that you might need a helping hand while we process the documents for your future domestic helper. To help you find a part-time helper, we detail important information and websites you need to know in this brief guide.

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I. Introduction

Hiring of part-time domestic workers in Hong Kong can be done through direct hiring or agencies. Usually, part-time workers hired through an agency can only assist in specific tasks such as cleaning service or childcare. Directly hired part-time domestic workers can assist with a wider range of tasks in accordance to the agreed labor contract.

II. Direct Hire

Direct hiring for part-time domestic workers is usually advertised through online forums such as Geoexpat and Asiaxpat or through the online portal provided by the Labor Department. Employers need to be aware that hiring a foreign domestic worker (FDH) currently working for a full-time employment visa is illegal and doing so risks heavy penalty by the Hong Kong government for both parties.

For more information please refer to the Hong Kong Government's website: http://www.gov.hk/en/residents/employment/recruitment/localdomestichelper. htm



III. Part-time Domestic Worker Agencies

To save your time in doing research, we have put together a list of part-time domestic worker agencies for you.

III.I. Part-time Cleaning Service

1. Prestige Home Services

Flat B, 23/F, Man Foong Industrial Building, 7 Cheung Lee St., Chaiwan (852) 2893 7387

Email: info@phshk.com

Website: http://www.phshk.com/

The helpers

Local domestic workers, speak English

• Not trained by the agency or other entities

• Recruited based on years of experience

Service & Transportation Fee

| Hourly Plan | Description | Fee |
|-------------------|-----------------------|-----------|
| Home Pro 12 hours | 4 x 3 hours per visit | HK\$ 1199 |
| Home Pro 16 hours | 4 x 4 hours per visit | HK\$ 1599 |

One time/ weekly/ monthly packages available upon request.

Customers are charged with transportation subsidies which will depend on work location.



Service hours

From Monday to Saturday, from 9am to 6:30 pm

Insurance for part-time domestic workers

Prestige covers workers' insurance.

2. Merry Maids

Unit E, 20/F, Sun Ying Industrial Centre, 9 Tin Wan Close, Aberdeen (852) 2857 4038

Email: mmaids@merrymaids.com.hk

Website: http://www.merrymaids.com.hk/index.htm

The helpers

- Local helpers, speak little English
- Trained by Merry Maids' quality control department
- Helpers are screened and trialed
- No coverage for missing or damaged goods

Service & Transportation Fee

| Hourly Plan | Price | Average Price per Visit |
|-------------|------------|-------------------------|
| 4 x 4 hours | HK\$ 2,320 | HK\$580 |



| 8 x 4 hours | HK\$4,480 | HK\$ 560 |
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| 12 x 4 hours | HK\$ 6,480 | HK\$ 540 |

Service coupons are valid for 6 months from the date of purchase. They are non-refundable and non- transferrable.

Transportation fee is variable. For regular services (e.g. in Wan Chai), transportation fee is free. Exact price quotation available upon request via the website form application.

Service hour

Two shifts of cleaning services (9-1pm and 2:30-6:30pm). Special arrangement for evening service is available.

Insurance for part-time domestic workers

Workers' insurance is covered by Merry Maids.

3.Lazy

Whatsapp:+852 55778724 (Office Hours Only)

Email:support@lazy.com.hk

Website: https://www.lazy.com.hk/eng/homecleaning



Service & Transportation Fee

- Deep Cleaning Services
 Post Renovation ,Spring Cleaning, Pre Move in Cleaning
- Home Cleaning Services
 (Living room , Dining room, Bedrooms, Kitchens, Bathrooms)
 Clean, dust & vacuum, Dust window sills, Wash floor etc.

Other Services (optional) Clean internal window glass, Bed making, Ironing and Collect and pick up clothes in dry cleaner

All plans include: Dedicated customer service Flexible booking management option

| Services Plan | Description | Average Price |
|-------------------------------------|---|---------------|
| One Time Plan (minimum 3 hours) | Limited option to swap cleaner | \$120 /Hr |
| | May not be the same cleaner | |
| Weekly Plan (minimum 3 hours) | Unlimited option to swap cleaner | \$115 /Hr |
| Bi-Weekly Plan (minimum 3 hours) | Same cleaner | \$110 /Hr |
| | 12-24 cleaning sessions minimum 3-6 months commitment | |



Service Hour

Monday - Friday 09:00 - 18:00, Saturday 09:00 - 13:00 (except public holidays)

Remarks:

Pricing have included transportation fee, except remote areas. Additional Charge after 6pm: +\$20 per hour. Transportation fee might be charged for certain locations. Cleaning equipment and vacuum cleaner will not be provided.

Cleaners reserve the right to reject to perform any cleaning tasks that they deem it's a life and health risk. Eg. cleaning of an object or area at a high location and requires climbing

III.II. Part-time Child care

1. Rent-A-Mum

GPO Box 7301, General Post Office, Hong Kong (852) 2523 4868

Email: rentamum@netvigator.com Website: www.rent-a-mum.com

The childcare workers

- Native/ near native English speakers
- Qualifications vary from professional child care-giver and maternity nurse to housewives and grandmothers



| Service Plans | Description | Price |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| Professional Nanny Placement | Children | Price upon request |
| Maternity placement | Newborn to six months | Price upon request |
| Babysitting Services | Newborn | Price upon request |

Service & Transportation Fee

Transportation fee is variable.

2. Hong Kong Family Welfare Society (Services for both children & elderly)

Room 2010, 20/F., Southorn Centre, 130 Hennessy Road, Wanchai,

Hong Kong

Tel: 2527 3171

Email: hoffice@hkfws.org.hk

Website: https://www.hkfws.org.hk/how-we-help/child-care-

services/neighbourhood-support-child-care-project1

Neighbourhood Support Child Care Project

| Services | Description | Service Hour | Price |
|-------------------------------------|---|---------------------------|---|
| Home-based Child Care Service | Children aged 0 to 9 at the carer's own residence or a suitable place approved by the operator. | From 7:00 am to 11:00 pm, | Normal \$20/hr Emergency use (within 24 hours or non-service hours) \$24/hr |



| *Center-based Centre-based child care group offers close attention to children aged 3 to 9. | Mon - Fri: 1:00 pm - 9:00 pm (*Except 10 special days) & Sat: 9:00 am - 1:00 pm (Except for public holidays) | \$13/hr |
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Remarks

*The Center-based Care Group is in Tseung Kwan O (South) Integrated Family Service Centre.

*10 special days including: Mid-Autumn Festival, Winter solstice, Christmas Eve, New Year's Eve, the 28th-30th day of the 12th Lunar Month & the 4th-6th day of Lunar New Year. Center-based care group will close at 5:00pm.

One free meal would be provided for the child for every 4 consecutive hours of service.

For service over 5 hours per day or 40 hours per week, a 10 % discount will be offered.

3. Friends of the Family (Hong Kong) Social Enterprise

Rm 707, Youth Square, 238 Chai Wan Rd, Chai Wan, HK

Tel: (852) 5404 8005

Email: info@babysitter.hk

Website: https://www.babysitter.hk/en/direct/

Service Guarantee:



- All sitters have at least 3 years of childcare work experiences.
- All sitters have obtained certification from childcare or post-natal care courses recognized in HK.
- All sitters have returned a clean background check.

| Services | Description | Price |
|--------------------------------|--|---|
| Temporary Childcare Service | Basic care: Feeding, Bathing, Cooking and other needs for the babies/children | \$120/hr |
| | Ensure babies/children safety during the service period | 10% discount will be offered for booking of |
| | Perform simple activities with babies/children (e.g. play, story-telling, games, go to park) | more than 50 hours |
| | Escort children to school / classes or back home. | |

Services Hours:

Mon – Fri: 10:00am – 6:00pm Sat & Public Holiday: Off

Reminder

Additional requirements would require extra surcharge:

Night Time Service (after 10pm) + HK\$10/hour Fluent English Speaking + HK\$20/hour Housework / Cooking for the family + HK\$10/hour Remote Location + transport allowance accordingly



III.II. Part-time Confinement lady/infant care 1.Union International Baby-care Limited

九龍九龍灣宏光道4號豐隆工業中心7樓3室

Tele: 3748 8425

Email::info@uibc.com.hk

Website: https://www.uibc.com.hk/

| Service | Description | Price |
|-----------|---|--|
| Postnatal | Baby Care: Milk feeding, napkin changing, bathing Prenatal supplies preparation etc. | No Agency Fee For 26 days 6 hours \$19400 10 hours \$24000 12 hours \$30600 24 hours \$37800 |

2. Hong Kong Nancy Association

九龍九龍灣宏光道4號豐隆工業中心7樓3-4室

Tele:+852 3748 8423 Email:cs@23bb.com.hk

Website: https://www.23bb.com.hk/

| Service | Description | Price |
|-----------|--|--------------------|
| Postnatal | Prenatal supplies preparation Prenatal meal service and Hospital meal delivery service for one week | Price upon request |



3.E-Mother Care

Rm 1504, 15/F., Wealth Commercial Centre 48 Kwong Wa Street, Mongkok, Kowloon

Tele:+852 35832543

Email::e-mother_care@hotmail.com / info@emother-care.hk

Website: http://emother-care.hk/

| Service | Description | Price |
|-----------|--|--------------------|
| Postnatal | Baby Care: Milk feeding, napkin changing, bathing, cleaning umbilical cord, washing baby clothing and sterilising milk bottles, etc. Post-natal Mother Care: -Post-natal menu, including nutritional soup | Price upon request |

III. III. Elderly care

1.Ever Care Family First

Tel:3905 4000

Whatsapp:6114 5440

Email:info@yourevercare.com

Website: https://www.yourevercare.com/



Companion Care services

- Assistance with light exercise and outdoor activity
- Companion Visits doctor visits, scheduling, reading, correspondence, hobby sharing
- Cognitive stimulation memory games & recreational activities
 Friendly and supportive conversation
- Home monitoring
- Respite Care

Service Fee

Price upon request

2.Life Extension

General Post Office, Box 8086, Hong Kong.

998 Canton Road, Mong Kok

Tel: +852 2790 7290

WhatsApp: +852 6702 1252

E-mail: info@life-extension.com.hk
Website: https://life-extension.com.hk/

Healthcare & Personal Care Worker Services

- Personal hygiene and grooming, including feeding and bathing
- Simple wound care and dressing changes
- Measuring and recording vital statistics



- Lifting, mobilization, transport and transfer
- Escort, with basic care and first aid
- Companionship and a friendly smile

Service Hours

Most of service calls are by appointment, available 24 hours a day, seven days a week ("24/7" service)

Service Fee

Price upon request

3.Active Global

Unit A, 11/F, Gold Swan Commercial Building, 438-444 Hennessy Road,

Hong Kong(Near Causeway Bay MTR Station Exit B)

Tele: 34262909

Whatsapp:51155193

Email: hk@activeglobalcaregiver.com

Website: https://www.activeglobalcaregiver.hk/

Community Care Service Voucher for the Elderly

The helper

- Provide on-site care services, Home care
- ,Escort services, Rehabilitation activities etc.

| Service | Description | Price & Hours |
|-----------------------------|--|--|
| Home-Based Care Services | Elders eligible for the "Community Care Service Voucher" | HK\$4,130, \$5,970, \$7,460, \$8,380 and \$9,870 (2020-21 Price) |



| e.g. patients with dementia, diabetes, special care needs, mobility difficulties etc. | Vary from 1-12 Hours |
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| mobility difficulties etc. | |

Application Method

Social Welfare Department will send invitation letters directly to eligible elderly persons on the Central Waiting List to invite them to join the Second Phase of the Pilot Scheme.

Qualified Elders can apply for the community vouchers after receiving the invitation letter.

Services hours:

9.00 am to 6.30 pm, Monday to Saturday (close at 5.30pm on Saturdays)

III.IV.Pet Care

1. Furrenz Pet Sitters HK

Email:info@furrenzpetsitters.com

Website: http://www.furrenzpetsitters.com/#about-section

| Services | Description | Price |
|-----------------------|---|--|
| Cat Sitting | Feeding, changing water | 30mins-\$190 60mins- \$230 etc. |
| Dog Walking/Sitting | Daily email updates with pictures of pets Medication(Complimentary) Water plants / pick up mail / take out garbage(Complimentary) | 30mins-\$195 60mins- \$235 etc. |
| Overnight Pet Sitting | | Less than 12 hours (e.g. dinner to breakfast)-\$600 More than 12 hours (e.g. dinner to lunch)-\$700 |



| Small Animal Sitting | | 30 min - \$135 |
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| Pet Grooming | Bathing, brushing, blow drying, ear cleaning | Bath only - \$400 Bath + trim - \$600 |
| | Done by sitters with grooming certificates | |
| | Done at the comfort of dog's home | |
| | Dogs only - All sizes welcome | |

Remarks

Additional 50% day charge for general public holiday Pet Care Services (excludes normal weekends)

Travel surcharge - no charge if total return cost under \$20, if more charge difference

2.Max Love Cat & Pet Sitting Hong Kong

元朗錦田錦上路元崗村151號1樓

(852) 5411-7038 (852)6445-2306

Email: catsittinghk@gmail.com

Website:https://maxlove-petsitter.com/en/contact/

Pet Sitter

All of our pet sitters are first aid trained and certified



| Pet Sitting For Cats, Dogs and small animals and reptiles such as rabbits and turtles. | Feeding/Water - Medications - Daily litterbox care - Dog walking - Play time - Lots of love & petting - Home security - Cleanup - Mail, trash & plant care - Daily Whatsapp or email (photos!) - Musical therapy | \$300/visit (2 animals), service duration 60 mins Extra \$20 for every additional animal, large dogs \$50 i.g. 2 visits per day = \$600 *Transportation fee is included |
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Remarks

A deposit of HKD200 is required prior 3 days of service to guarantee pet sitting service