

Hepatitis C Compensation

COUNTRY	GDP/ CAPITA (€)	YEAR COMPENSATION PAID	COMPENSATION PAID BY	PWH WITH HCV WHO RECEIVED PAYMENTS	PAYMENT AMOUNTS	Comments
CANADA	28,100	1998	Government - Provincial + National	Infected between Jan 1 1986 July 1 1990	Staged Payments:- Can\$10,000-\$100,000 (€6,440-€64,400)	Higher payments depending on severity of liver disease \$ 10,000- antibody positive \$ 20,000 – PCR positive \$30,000- fibrosis or treatment \$ 65,000- cirrhosis \$100,000- decompensated disease or HCC or transplant
IRELAND	33,000	1996	Government	All	Individual Payments Average €300,000 Range € 30,000- € 3.1 million	Payments also made to spouses, carers and dependants of those who died.
HUNGARY	14,200	2000	Government	Offered to all. Individual decision	€ 1,850- € 7,400 Plus €30- €45 monthly	Higher amounts paid to those who have developed liver disease
ITALY	22,200		Government & 1 Company	All	Monthly €600	
NEW ZEALAND	19,900	2006	Government Insurance Fund	All	Average NZ \$69,500 (€ 33,200)	
UK	26,200	2004	Government	All	UK £20,000 (€22,750) Plus UK £25,000 (€ 28,450)	Higher payment if develop Cirrhosis or HCC or on transplant list

SPAIN	24,700	2002	Government	All	€30,000	
SWEDEN	27, 500	2002	Pharmaceutical Insurance Companies	All	€25,000	Additional payment to those with mild haemophilia of 10% of their salary per annum
FRANCE	23,400	2009	Government (ONEM)	All		
IRAN	8,600		Government	All	US\$20,000 (€ 14,000)	

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