

Temporary Lodging Expense (TLE) in the Continental United States (CONUS) - Service Member without a Dependent (JTR, par. 050601B)

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Scenario: A Service member without dependents relocates on a permanent change of station (PCS) between two permanent duty stations (PDS) in the continental United States (CONUS). Before and after reporting at the new PDS, the Service member occupies temporary, private sector lodging at the new PDS for 4 nights at \$47.50 a night (\$42.75 plus \$4.75 tax). The new PDS locality per diem rate is \$129 (\$83/\$46). Since the Service member is one person occupying temporary quarters, the applicable percentage rate is 65. The Service member certifies that Government quarters are not available. The Service member is authorized TLE.

Step	Action	Calculation	Amount
1	Determine the applicable percentage rate from JTR, Table 5-17.	Service member with no dependents: 65%	65%
2	Determine maximum rates by applying the percentage rate to the locality per diem rates.	Lodging:	65% of \$83 \$53.95
		M&IE:	65% of \$46 \$29.90
3	Compare the actual daily lodging cost, including lodging tax, to the maximum lodging cost calculated in Step 2. Use the lesser amount.	\$47.50 vs. \$53.95	\$47.50
4	Add the step 3 lodging amount to the step 2 daily M&IE rate.	\$29.90 + \$47.50	\$77.40
5	Compare the maximum allowable \$290 with the total in step 3 to determine the daily amount allowed.	\$290.00 vs. \$77.40	\$77.40
6	Multiply by the amount in step 5 by the number of authorized days.	\$77.40 a day × 4 days	\$309.60
Total TLE Authorized:			\$309.60

Temporary Lodging Expense (TLE) in the Continental United States (CONUS) - Service Member and Dependents (JTR, par. 050601-B)

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Scenario: A Service member with a spouse not entitled to basic pay and two children, aged 12 and 9, relocates on a PCS between two PDSs in the CONUS. The Standard CONUS per diem rate of \$144 (\$93/\$51) applies to both PDSs. After reporting to the new PDS, the Service member and the dependents occupy temporary, private sector lodging off post for 8 nights at \$80 a night (\$72 plus \$8 tax). The Service member certifies that Government quarters are not available. The Service member is authorized TLE.

Step	Action	Calculation	Amount
1	Determine the applicable percentage rate from JTR, Table 5-17. Service member and spouse: 100 12-year-old child: 35 9-year-old child: 25	100 + 35 + 25 = 160%	160%
2	Determine maximum rates by applying the percentage rate to the locality per diem rates.	Lodging:	160% of \$93 \$148.80
		M&IE:	160% of \$51 \$81.60

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3	Compare the actual daily lodging cost, including lodging tax, to the maximum lodging cost calculated in Step 2. Use the lesser amount.	\$80 vs. \$148.80	\$80.00
4	Add the step 3 lodging amount to the step 2 daily M&IE rate.	\$81.60 + \$80.00	\$161.60
5	Compare the maximum allowable \$290 with the total in step 3 to determine the daily amount allowed.	\$290.00 vs. \$161.60	\$161.60
6	Multiply by the amount in step 5 by the number of authorized days.	\$161.60 a day × 8 days	\$1,292.80
Total TLE Authorized:			\$1,292.80

Temporary Lodging Expense (TLE) in the Continental United States (CONUS) - Two Service Members Married to Each Other (JTR, par. 050601-B)

Note: The rates and costs in this example may not be current and are for illustrative purposes only. Refer to the [DTMO website](#) for the locality [per diem](#) rates.

Scenario: Two Service members married to each other with two children, aged 14 and 10, relocate on a PCS between PDSs in the CONUS. The Standard CONUS per diem rate of \$144 (\$93/\$51) applies to both PDSs. Before and after reporting at the new PDS, the Service members and dependents occupy temporary, private sector lodging off post for 6 nights at \$100 a night (\$90 plus \$10 tax). The two Service members split the lodging cost equally. The Service members certify that Government quarters are not available. Each Service member is authorized TLE limited to \$290 a day for 14 days.

Calculate TLE for First Service Member			
Step	Action	Calculation	Amount
1	Determine the applicable percentage rate from JTR, Table 5-17.	Two persons: 100%	100%
2	Determine maximum rates by applying the percentage rate to the locality per diem rates.	Lodging:	100% of \$93 \$93.00
		M&IE:	100% of \$51 \$51.00
3	Compare the actual daily lodging cost, including lodging tax, to the maximum lodging cost calculated in Step 2. Use the lesser amount.	\$50 vs. \$93	\$50.00
4	Add the step 3 lodging amount to the step 2 daily M&IE rate.	\$51.00 + \$50.00	\$101.00
5	Compare the maximum allowable \$290 with the total in step 3 to determine the daily amount allowed.	\$290.00 vs. \$101.00	\$101.00
6	Multiply by the amount in step 5 by the number of actual days in temporary lodging, limited to the number of days authorized.	\$101.00 a day × 6 days	\$606.00
Total TLE Authorized for First Service Member:			\$606.00

Calculate TLE for Second Service Member			
Step	Action	Calculation	Amount
1	Determine the applicable percentage rate from JTR, Table 5-17.	Two persons: 100%	100%
2	Determine maximum rates by applying the percentage rate to the locality per diem rates.	Lodging:	100% of \$93 \$93.00
		M&IE:	100% of \$51 \$51.00
3	Compare the actual daily lodging cost, including lodging tax, to the maximum lodging cost calculated in Step 2. Use the lesser amount.	\$50 vs. \$91	\$50.00

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4	Add the step 3 lodging amount to the step 2 daily M&IE rate.	\$51.00 + \$50.00	\$101.00
5	Compare the maximum allowable \$290 with the total in step 3 to determine the daily amount allowed.	\$290.00 vs. \$101.00	\$101.00
6	Multiply by the amount in step 5 by the number of actual days in temporary lodging, limited to the number of days authorized.	\$101.00 a day × 6 days	\$606.00
Total TLE Authorized for Second Service Member:			\$606.00

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Note: The rates and costs in this example may not be current and are for illustrative purposes only. Refer to the [DTMO website](#) for the locality [per diem](#) rates.

Scenario: Two Service members married to each other with two children, aged 5 and 7, relocate on a PCS between two PDSs in the CONUS. The new PDS locality per diem rate is \$149 (\$93/\$56). Before and after reporting at the new PDS, the Service members and dependents occupy temporary, private sector lodging off post for 30 nights at \$120 a night (\$110 plus \$10 tax). The \$120 lodging cost does not change based on the number of people that occupy the room. In this example, each Service member claims the two dependent children, but for different days. The Service members certify that Government quarters are not available. Each Service member is authorized TLE limited to \$290 a day. Each Service member is authorized a maximum of 14 days, the maximum number of days allowable between two PDSs in the CONUS. The first Service member may claim TLE for any 14-day period and the second Service member may claim TLE for any other 14-day period in temporary, private sector lodging as long as there is no overlap in the days claimed.

Calculate TLE for First Service Member			
Step	Action	Calculation	Amount
1	Determine the applicable percentage rate from JTR, Table 5-17. Service member and 5-year-old child: 100 7-year-old child: 25	100 + 25 = 125%	125%
2	Determine maximum rates by applying the percentage rate to the locality per diem rates.	Lodging: 125% of \$93 M&IE: 125% of \$56	\$116.25 \$70.00
3	Compare the actual daily lodging cost, including lodging tax, to the maximum lodging cost calculated in Step 2. Use the lesser amount.	\$120 vs. \$116.25	\$116.25
4	Add the step 3 lodging amount to the step 2 daily M&IE rate.	\$116.25 + \$70.00	\$186.25
5	Compare the maximum allowable \$290 with the total in step 3 to determine the daily amount allowed.	\$290.00 vs. \$186.25	\$186.25
6	Multiply by the amount in step 5 by the number of actual days in temporary lodging, limited to the maximum number of days (14).	\$186.25 a day × 14 days	\$2,607.50
Total TLE Authorized for First Service Member:			\$2,607.50

Calculate TLE for Second Service Member			
Step	Action	Calculation	Amount

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1	Determine the applicable percentage rate from JTR, Table 5-17. Service member and 5-year-old child: 100 7-year-old child: 25		$100 + 25 = 125\%$	125%
2	Determine maximum rates by applying the percentage rate to the locality per diem rates.	Lodging:	125% of \$93	\$116.25
		M&IE:	125% of \$56	\$70.00
3	Compare the actual daily lodging cost, including lodging tax, to the maximum lodging cost calculated in Step 2. Use the lesser amount.		\$120 vs. \$116.25	\$116.25
4	Add the step 3 lodging amount to the step 2 daily M&IE rate.		$\$116.25 + \70.00	\$186.25
5	Compare the maximum allowable \$290 with the total in step 3 to determine the daily amount allowed.		$\$290.00$ vs. $\$186.25$	\$186.25
6	Multiply by the amount in step 5 by the number of actual days in temporary lodging, limited to the maximum number of days (14).		$\$186.25$ a day \times 14 days	\$2,607.50
Total TLE Authorized for Second Service Member:				\$2,607.50

Temporary Lodging Expense (TLE) in the Continental United States (CONUS) - Service Member and Dependents Together at Two Locations (JTR, par. 050601-B)

Note: The rates and costs in this example may not be current and are for illustrative purposes only. Refer to the [DTMO website](#) for the locality [per diem](#) rates.

Scenario: A Service member with a spouse—who is not entitled to basic pay—and two children, aged 14 and 11, relocates on a PCS between two PDSs in the CONUS. Before departing the old PDS, the Service member and dependents occupy temporary, private sector lodging off post for 2 nights at \$195 a night (\$170 plus \$25 tax). The old PDS locality per diem rate is \$232 (\$161/\$71). Before and after reporting to the new PDS, the Service member and dependents occupy temporary, private sector lodging off post for 6 nights at \$85 a night (\$77 plus \$8 tax). The new PDS locality per diem rate is \$136.00 (\$90/\$46). The Service member certifies that Government quarters are not available at either PDS. The Service member is authorized TLE.

Calculate TLE at Old PDS				
Step	Action	Calculation	Amount	
1	Determine the applicable percentage rate from JTR, Table 5-17. Service member and spouse: 100 14-year-old child: 35 11-year-old child: 25		$100 + 35 + 25 = 160\%$	160%
2	Determine maximum rates by applying the percentage rate to the locality per diem rates.	Lodging:	160% of \$161	\$257.60
		M&IE:	160% of \$71	\$113.60
3	Compare the actual daily lodging cost, including lodging tax, to the maximum lodging cost calculated in Step 2. Use the lesser amount.		\$195.00 vs. \$257.60	\$195.00
4	Add the step 3 lodging amount to the step 2 daily M&IE rate.		$\$195.00 + \113.60	\$308.60
5	Compare the maximum allowable \$290 with the total in step 3 to determine the daily amount allowed.		$\$290.00$ vs. $\$308.60$	\$290.00

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6	Multiply by the amount in step 5 by the number of actual days in temporary lodging, limited to the number of days authorized.		\$290 a day × 2 days	\$580.00
Total for Old PDS:				\$580.00
Calculate TLE for New PDS				
1	Determine the applicable percentage rate JTR, Table 5-17. Service member and spouse: 100 14-year-old child: 35 11-year-old child: 25		100 + 35 + 25 = 160%	160%
2	Determine maximum rates by applying the percentage rate to the locality <u>per diem</u> rates.	Lodging:	160% of \$90	\$144.00
		M&IE:	160% of \$46	\$73.60
3	Compare the actual daily lodging cost, including lodging tax, to the maximum lodging cost calculated in Step 2. Use the lesser amount.		\$85 vs. \$144.00	\$85.00
4	Add the step 3 lodging amount to the step 2 daily M&IE rate.		\$85.00 + \$73.60	\$158.60
5	Compare the maximum allowable \$290 with the total in step 3 to determine the daily amount allowed.		\$290.00 vs. \$158.60	\$158.60
6	Multiply by the amount in step 5 by the number of actual days in temporary lodging, limited to the number of days authorized.		\$158.60 a day × 6 days	\$951.60
Total for New PDS:				\$951.60
Total TLE Reimbursement Authorized				
1	Add the authorized amount for the old PDS to the authorized amount for the new PDS.		\$580.00 + \$951.60	\$1,531.60
Total TLE Authorized:				\$1,531.60

Temporary Lodging Expense (TLE) in the Continental United States (CONUS) - Service Member and Dependents at Separate Locations (JTR, par. 050601-B)

Note: The rates and costs in this example may not be current and are for illustrative purposes only. Refer to the [DTMO website](#) for the locality per diem rates.

Scenario: A Service member relocates on a PCS between two PDSs in the CONUS. The spouse—who is not entitled to basic pay—and one child remain at the old PDS. The Service member occupies temporary quarters at the new PDS from April 1 to 14 (14 days), selecting those dates for TLE. Lodging is \$52 a night (\$47 plus \$5 tax). The new PDS locality per diem rate is \$129 (\$83/\$46). The Service member's dependents occupy temporary, private sector lodging at the old PDS from April 18 to May 1 (14 days), which the Service member selected for TLE. Lodging for the two dependents is \$60 a night (\$54 plus \$6 tax). The old PDS locality per diem rate is \$132 (\$86/\$46). The Service member certifies that Government quarters are not available at either PDS. The Service member is authorized TLE.

Calculate TLE Daily Rate for the Service Member at the New PDS				
Step	Action		Calculation	Amount
1	Determine the applicable percentage rate from JTR, Table 5-17.		1 person: 65%	65%
2	Determine maximum rates by applying the percentage rate to the locality <u>per diem</u> rates.	Lodging:	65% of \$83	\$53.95
		M&IE:	65% of \$46	\$29.90

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3	Compare the actual daily lodging cost, including lodging tax, to the maximum lodging cost calculated in Step 2. Use the lesser amount.		\$52.00 vs. \$53.95	\$52.00
4	Add the step 3 lodging amount to the step 2 daily M&IE rate.		\$52.00 + \$29.90	\$81.90
Daily TLE rate for Service Member at New PDS:				\$81.90
Calculate TLE Daily Rate for the Dependents at the Old PDS				
1	Determine the applicable percentage rate from JTR, Table 5-17.		Two persons: 100%	100%
2	Determine maximum rates by applying the percentage rate to the locality per diem rates.	Lodging:	100% of \$86	\$86.00
		M&IE:	100% of \$46	\$46.00
3	Compare the actual daily lodging cost, including lodging tax, to the maximum lodging cost calculated in Step 2. Use the lesser amount.		\$86 vs. \$60	\$60.00
4	Add the step 3 lodging amount to the step 2 daily M&IE rate.		\$60 + \$46	\$106.00
Daily TLE rate for Dependents at Old PDS:				\$106.00
Calculate TLE Authorized for Both Periods				
1	Add the authorized amounts for the Service member and the dependents.		\$81.90 + \$106.00	\$187.90
2	Compare the maximum allowable \$290 with the total in step 1 to determine the daily amount allowed.		\$290.00 vs. \$187.90	\$187.90
3	Multiply by the amount in step 2 by the number of actual days in temporary lodging, limited to the maximum number of days (14).		\$187.90 a day × 14 days	\$2,630.60
Total TLE Authorized:				\$2,630.60

Temporary Lodging Expense (TLE) in the Continental United States (CONUS) - Service Member and Dependents in Two Rooms (JTR, par. 050601-B)

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Scenario: A Service member with a spouse—who is not entitled to basic pay—and three children, aged 14, 12, and 9, relocates on a PCS between two PDSs in the CONUS. The new PDS locality per diem rate is \$166 (\$115/\$51). After reporting to the new PDS, the Service member and the dependents occupy two rooms in temporary, private sector lodging off post for 8 nights. Each room costs \$114 a night (\$99 plus \$15 tax). The Service member certifies that Government quarters are not available. The Service member is authorized TLE.

Step	Action	Calculation	Amount
1	Determine the applicable percentage rate from JTR, Table 5-17. Service member and spouse: 100 14-year-old child: 35 12-year-old child: 35 9-year-old child: 25	$100 + 35 + 35 + 25 = 195\%$	195%
2	Determine maximum rates by applying the percentage rate to the locality per diem rates.	Lodging:	195% of \$115 \$224.25
		M&IE:	195% of \$51 \$99.45

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3	Compare the actual daily lodging cost, including lodging tax, to the maximum lodging cost calculated in Step 2. Use the lesser amount.	\$228.00 (2 rooms × \$114) vs. \$224.25	\$224.25
4	Add the step 3 lodging amount to the step 2 daily M&IE rate.	\$99.45 + \$224.25	\$323.70
5	Compare the maximum allowable \$290 with the total in step 3 to determine the daily amount allowed.	\$290.00 vs. \$323.70	\$290.00
6	Multiply by the amount in step 5 by the number of authorized days.	\$290 a day × 8 days	\$2,320.00
Total TLE Authorized:			\$2,320.00

Extended Temporary Lodging Expense (TLE) in the Continental United States (CONUS) - Service Member without a Dependent (JTR, par. 050604-B)

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Scenario: A Service member without dependents relocates on a PCS order between two PDSs in the CONUS. The new PDS is among the [Locations with Approved TLE Extensions](#) due to a housing shortage. The Service member is an E-6 and the applicable non-locality BAH Transit rate is \$1,010.10. Before and after reporting at the new PDS, the Service member occupies temporary, private sector lodging at the new PDS for 14 nights at \$173.25 a night (\$165.00 plus \$8.25 tax). The new PDS locality per diem rate is \$255 (\$176/\$79). Since the Service member is one person occupying temporary quarters, the applicable percentage rate is 65 for the first 14 days. After the first 14 days, the Service member receives an additional 10 days of extended TLE. The applicable percentage is 100 for lodging and 65 for M&IE for the next 10 days. The Service member certifies that Government quarters are not available. The Service member is authorized TLE and extended TLE.

Calculate TLE for the Service Member's First 14 Days of TLE			
Step	Action	Calculation	Amount
1	Determine the applicable percentage rate from JTR, Table 5-17.	Service member with no dependents: 65%	65%
2	Determine maximum rates by applying the percentage rate to the locality per diem rates.	Lodging:	65% of \$176
		M&IE:	65% of \$79
3	Compare the actual daily lodging cost, including lodging tax, to the maximum lodging cost calculated in Step 2. Use the lesser amount.	\$173.25 vs. \$114.40	\$114.40
4	Add the step 3 lodging amount to the step 2 daily M&IE rate.	\$114.40 + \$51.35	\$165.75
5	Compare the maximum allowable \$290 with the total in step 4 to determine the daily amount allowed.	\$290.00 vs. \$165.75	\$165.75
6	Multiply by the amount in step 5 by the number of authorized days.	\$165.75 a day × 14 days	\$2,320.50
TLE Authorized for First 14 Days of TLE:			\$2,320.50
Calculate TLE for the Service Member's 10 Days of Extended TLE			
Step	Action	Calculation	Amount

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1	Determine the applicable percentage rate from JTR, par. 050604-B2.	Service member with no dependents: 100% for lodging, 65% for M&IE	100%/65%
2	Determine maximum rates by applying the percentage rate to the locality per diem rates.	Lodging:	100% of \$176
		M&IE:	65% of \$79
3	Compare the actual daily lodging cost, including lodging tax, to the maximum lodging cost calculated in Step 2. Use the lesser amount.	\$173.25 vs. \$176	\$173.25
4	Determine the daily non-locality BAH Transit rate.	\$1,010.10 / 30 days	\$33.67
5	Reduce the step 3 lodging portion of TLE amount by the step 4 daily non-locality BAH Transit rate.	\$173.25 - \$33.67	\$139.58
6	Add the step 5 lodging amount to the step 2 daily M&IE rate.	\$139.58 + \$51.35	\$190.93
7	Compare the maximum allowable \$290 with the total in step 6 to determine the daily amount allowed.	\$290.00 vs. \$190.93	\$190.93
8	Multiply by the amount in step 7 by the number of authorized days.	\$190.93 a day × 10 days	\$1,909.30
TLE Authorized for 10 Days of Extended TLE:			\$1,909.30
Total TLE Reimbursement Authorized			
1	Add the authorized amount for the first 14 days of TLE to the authorized amount for the 10 days of extended TLE.	\$2,320.50 + \$1,909.30	\$4,229.80
Total TLE Authorized:			\$4,229.80

Extended Temporary Lodging Expense (TLE) in the Continental United States (CONUS) - Service Member Temporarily Lodging without Dependents under DoD Financial Management Regulation, Vol. 7A, Chapter 26, par. 10.14 (261014) (JTR, par. 050604-B)

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Scenario: A Service member with dependents relocates on a PCS between two PDSs in the CONUS. The new PDS is among the [Locations with Approved TLE Extensions](#) due to a housing shortage. DoD Financial Management Regulation, Vol. 7A, Chapter 26, par. 10.14 (261014) applies, and the Service member is exempt from an extended TLE reduction due to receipt of BAH.

Before and after reporting at the new PDS, the Service member occupies temporary, private sector lodging at the new PDS for 14 nights at \$173.25 a night (\$165.00 plus \$8.25 tax). The new PDS locality per diem rate is \$255 (\$176/\$79). Since the Service member is one person occupying temporary quarters, the applicable percentage rate is 65 for the first 14 days. After the first 14 days, the Service member receives an additional 10 days of extended TLE. The applicable percentage is 100 for lodging and 65 for M&IE for the next 10 days. The Service member certifies that Government quarters are not available. The Service member is authorized TLE and extended TLE.

Calculate TLE for the Service Member's First 14 Days of TLE			
Step	Action	Calculation	Amount
1	Determine the applicable percentage rate from JTR, Table 5-17.	Service member with no dependents: 65%	65%
2	Determine maximum rates by applying the	Lodging:	65% of \$176
			\$114.40

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	percentage rate to the locality per diem rates.	M&IE:	65% of \$79	\$51.35
3	Compare the actual daily lodging cost, including lodging tax, to the maximum lodging cost calculated in Step 2. Use the lesser amount.		\$173.25 vs. \$114.40	\$114.40
4	Add the step 3 lodging amount to the step 2 daily M&IE rate.		\$114.40 + \$51.35	\$165.75
5	Compare the maximum allowable \$290 with the total in step 4 to determine the daily amount allowed.		\$290.00 vs. \$165.75	\$165.75
6	Multiply by the amount in step 5 by the number of authorized days.		\$165.75 a day × 14 days	\$2,320.50
TLE Authorized for First 14 Days of TLE:				\$2,320.50
Calculate TLE for the Service Member's 10 Days of Extended TLE				
Step	Action		Calculation	Amount
1	Determine the applicable percentage rate from JTR, par. 050604-B2.		Service member with no dependents: 100% for lodging, 65% for M&IE	100%/65%
2	Determine maximum rates by applying the percentage rate to the locality per diem rates.	Lodging:	100% of \$176	\$176
		M&IE:	65% of \$79	\$51.35
3	Compare the actual daily lodging cost, including lodging tax, to the maximum lodging cost calculated in Step 2. Use the lesser amount.		\$173.25 vs. \$176	\$173.25
4	Add the step 3 lodging amount to the step 2 daily M&IE rate.		\$173.25 + \$51.35	\$224.60
5	Compare the maximum allowable \$290 with the total in step 4 to determine the daily amount allowed.		\$290.00 vs. \$224.60	\$224.60
6	Multiply by the amount in step 5 by the number of authorized days.		\$224.60 a day × 10 days	\$2,246.00
TLE Authorized for 10 Days of Extended TLE:				\$2,246.00
Total TLE Reimbursement Authorized				
1	Add the authorized amount for the first 14 days of TLE to the authorized amount for the 10 days of extended TLE.		\$2,320.50 + \$2,246.00	\$4,566.50
Total TLE Authorized:				\$4,566.50

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Scenario: A Service member without dependents relocates on a PCS between two PDSs in the CONUS. The new PDS is among the [Locations with Approved TLE Extensions](#) due to a housing shortage. The Service member is an E-6 and the applicable non-locality BAH Transit rate is \$1,010.10. Before and after reporting at the new PDS, the Service member lodges with a family member at the new PDS for 14 nights at no cost. The new PDS locality per diem rate is \$255 (\$176/\$79). Since the Service member is one person, the applicable percentage rate is 65 for the first 14 days. After the first 14 days, the Service member receives an additional 10 days of extended TLE. The applicable percentage is 100 for lodging and 65 for M&IE for the next 10 days. The Service member certifies that Government quarters are not available. The Service member is authorized TLE and extended TLE.

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Calculate TLE for the Service Member's First 14 Days of TLE			
Step	Action	Calculation	Amount
1	Determine the applicable percentage rate from JTR, Table 5-17.	Service member with no dependents: 65%	65%
2	Determine maximum rates by applying the percentage rate to the locality per diem rates.	Lodging:	65% of \$176 \$114.40
		M&IE:	65% of \$79 \$51.35
3	Compare the actual daily lodging cost, including lodging tax, to the maximum lodging cost calculated in Step 2. Use the lesser amount.	\$0 vs. \$114.40	\$0
4	Add the step 3 lodging amount to the step 2 daily M&IE rate.	\$0 + \$51.35	\$51.35
5	Compare the maximum allowable \$290 with the total in step 4 to determine the daily amount allowed.	\$290.00 vs. \$51.35	\$51.35
6	Multiply by the amount in step 5 by the number of authorized days.	\$51.35 a day × 14 days	\$718.90
TLE Authorized for First 14 Days of TLE:			\$718.90
Calculate TLE for the Service Member's 10 Days of Extended TLE			
Step	Action	Calculation	Amount
1	Determine the applicable percentage rate from JTR, par. 050604-B2.	Service member with no dependents: 100%/65%	100%/65%
2	Determine maximum rates by applying the percentage rate to the locality per diem rates.	Lodging:	100% of \$176 \$176
		M&IE:	65% of \$79 \$51.35
3	Compare the actual daily lodging cost, including lodging tax, to the maximum lodging cost calculated in Step 2. Use the lesser amount.	\$0 vs. \$176	\$0
4	Determine the daily non-locality BAH Transit rate.	\$1,010.10 / 30 days	\$33.67
5	Reduce the step 3 lodging portion of TLE amount by the step 4 daily non-locality BAH Transit rate.	\$0 - \$33.67	\$0
6	Add the step 5 lodging amount to the step 2 daily M&IE rate.	\$0 + \$51.35	\$51.35
7	Compare the maximum allowable \$290 with the total in step 6 to determine the daily amount allowed.	\$290.00 vs. \$51.35	\$51.35
8	Multiply by the amount in step 7 by the number of authorized days.	\$51.35 a day × 10 days	\$513.50
TLE Authorized for 10 Days of Extended TLE:			\$513.50
Total TLE Reimbursement Authorized			
1	Add the authorized amount for the first 14 days of TLE to the authorized amount for the 10 days of extended TLE.	\$718.90 + \$513.50	\$1,232.40
Total TLE Authorized:			\$1,232.40

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Note: The rates and costs in this example may not be current and are for illustrative purposes only.

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Refer to the [DTMO website](#) for the locality [per diem](#) rates.

Scenario: A Service member with a spouse and two children, aged 14 and 10, relocates on a PCS between two PDSs in the CONUS. The new PDS is among the [Locations with Approved TLE Extensions](#) due to a housing shortage. The Service member is an E-6 and the applicable non-locality BAH Transit rate is \$1,346.40. Before and after reporting at the new PDS, the Service member occupies temporary, private sector lodging at the new PDS for 14 nights at \$173.25 a night (\$165.00 plus \$8.25 tax). The new PDS locality per diem rate is \$255 (\$176/\$79). The Service member is authorized 14 days of TLE. After the first 14 days, the Service member receives an additional 10 days of extended TLE. The Service member certifies that Government quarters are not available. The Service member is authorized TLE and extended TLE.

Calculate TLE for the Service Member's First 14 Days of TLE			
Step	Action	Calculation	Amount
1	Determine the applicable percentage rate from JTR, Table 5-17. Service member and spouse: 100% 14-year-old child: 35% 9-year-old child: 25%	$100 + 35 + 25 = 160\%$	160%
2	Determine maximum rates by applying the percentage rate to the locality per diem rates.	Lodging:	160% of \$176 \$281.60
		M&IE:	160% of \$79 \$126.40
3	Compare the actual daily lodging cost, including lodging tax, to the maximum lodging cost calculated in Step 2. Use the lesser amount.	\$173.25 vs. \$281.60	\$173.25
4	Add the step 3 lodging amount to the step 2 daily M&IE rate.	$\$173.25 + \126.40	\$299.65
5	Compare the maximum allowable \$290 with the total in step 4 to determine the daily amount allowed.	\$290.00 vs. \$299.65	\$290
6	Multiply by the amount in step 5 by the number of authorized days.	$\$290 \text{ a day} \times 14 \text{ days}$	\$4,060.00
TLE Authorized for First 14 Days of TLE:			\$4,060.00
Calculate TLE for the Service Member's 10 Days of Extended TLE			
Step	Action	Calculation	Amount
1	Determine the applicable percentage rate from JTR, par. 050604-B2. Service member and spouse: 100% 14-year-old child: 35% 10-year-old child: 25%	$100 + 35 + 25 = 160\%$	160%
2	Determine maximum rates by applying the percentage rate to the locality per diem rates.	Lodging:	160% of \$176 \$281.60
		M&IE:	160% of \$79 \$126.40
3	Compare the actual daily lodging cost, including lodging tax, to the maximum lodging cost calculated in Step 2. Use the lesser amount.	\$173.25 vs. \$281.60	\$173.25
4	Determine the daily non-locality BAH Transit rate.	$\$1,346.40 / 30 \text{ days}$	\$44.88
5	Reduce the step 3 lodging portion of TLE amount by the step 4 daily non-locality BAH Transit rate.	$\$173.25 - \44.88	\$128.37
6	Add the step 5 lodging amount to the step 2 daily M&IE rate.	$\$128.37 + \126.40	\$254.77

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7	Compare the maximum allowable \$290 with the total in step 6 to determine the daily amount allowed.	\$290.00 vs. \$254.77	\$254.77
8	Multiply by the amount in step 7 by the number of authorized days.	\$254.77 a day × 10 days	\$2,547.70
TLE Authorized for 10 Days of Extended TLE:			\$2,547.70
Total TLE Reimbursement Authorized			
1	Add the authorized amount for the first 14 days of TLE to the authorized amount for the 10 days of extended TLE.	\$4,060.00 + \$2,547.70	\$6,607.70
Total TLE Authorized:			\$6,607.70