

Rank of Husband	Widow	Each dependent child (maximum 4)	Each dependent motherless child or child of a non-eligible widow (maximum 4)
	£ per annum	£ per annum	£ per annum
Commander RN/Major RM	3,248	774	1,548
Lieutenant-Commander RN/Captain RM/Chaplain with less than 20 years' service	2,654	642	1,284
Lieutenant RN and RM or lower officer rank	2,202	541	1,083
Fleet Chief Petty Officer/Warrant Officer I RM	1,972	490	981
Warrant Officer II RM	1,814	455	910
Chief Petty Officer/Colour Sergeant RM	1,757	443	885
Petty Officer/Sergeant RM	1,582	404	807
Leading Rating/Corporal RM	1,436	371	742
Able Rating/Marine and below	1,137	305	610

44. If an officer, RN rating or RM other rank dies in retirement from causes accepted by the Department of Health and Social Security as being attributable to his service but who was not invalidated attributably, the award of attributable family pension(s) will be at the discretion of the Secretary of State for Defence.

45. A Forces Family Pension will not be payable in addition.

46. Rank for the purpose of the award of attributable family pension shall be according to rank for invaliding purposes.

47. Where an award of attributable family pension is made the payment of a short term family pension under Clauses 40 and 41 may not exceed 91 days.

48. The date of commencement of an attributable family pension shall normally be the day after the end of payment of the short term pension under Clauses 40 and 41 unless the Secretary of State for Defence considers there are circumstances justifying special consideration.

Family Pension Where an Attributable Pension is Paid

49. Widows of officers, RN ratings and RM other ranks who were retired or discharged before 31st March 1973, and whose death is due to service may receive a family pension as provided for in Order in Council (45*/NPP) of 4th February 1972 if the family is in receipt of an attributable pension.

50. The family pension will be abated by an amount calculated on the following basis if a widow is receiving a Department of Health and Social Security attributable pension as the widow of an officer:

(a) The family pension will be abated by the amount of the rank element included in the war pension if the widow is receiving a war widow's pension from the Department of Health and Social Security as the widow of an officer. This will be the difference between the war widow's pension for the widow of a Fleet Chief Petty Officer and the actual amount of war widow's pension.

(b) Children's pensions will not be subject to such reductions.

Additional Attributable Gratuities for the dependants of those who die in service

51. Where an officer, RN rating or RM other rank dies in service from causes accepted by the Department of Health and Social Security as being attributable to service, a gratuity may be paid to his widow in addition to any gratuity payable by virtue of Clauses 28 to 39 at the following rates:

Husband's Rank (for invaliding purposes)	Gratuity £
Admiral of the Fleet	5,802
Admiral/General RM	5,143
Vice-Admiral/Lieutenant-General RM	3,688
Rear-Admiral/Major-General RM	2,961
Chaplain of the Fleet	2,597
(from 1st January 1977)	(2,559)
Captain RN with 6 or more years' service/Colonel RM	2,476
Captain RN with under 6 years' service/Lieutenant-Colonel RM	2,241
Principal Chaplain	2,180
Chaplain with 20 or more years' service	2,119
Commander RN/Major RM	1,935
Lieutenant-Commander RN/Captain RM/Chaplain with under 20 years' service	1,605
Lieutenant RN and RM and below	1,354
Fleet Chief Petty Officer/Warrant Officer I RM	1,226
Warrant Officer II RM	1,138
Chief Petty Officer/Colour Sergeant RM	1,107
Petty Officer/Sergeant RM	1,009
Leading Rating/Corporal RM	928
Able Rating/Marine and below	762

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