

SALARY PACKAGE FOR YOUTH MINISTERS

Here are some figures to help you calculate a youth minister's salary. Included is the figure for the average youth minister's salary in the south, however, this average figure doesn't appear to include a pension plan, so at the bottom of the table, you'll find sample packages based on a package that includes health insurance and a pension plan, plus travel allowance and continuing education. The insurance figures are for the Episcopal Church's insurance.

SALARY PACKAGE ELEMENTS	BREAKDOWN	YEARLY TOTALS
Average Youth Minister's Total Salary Package in the South (adjusted for inflation from a 2005 statistic) Actual total will differ based upon health insurance plans (single, family)		\$42,130.00
Base Salary		\$36,000
Health Insurance (monthly)		
Single Person:		
Medical	\$459.87	
Dental	\$22.29	
Life	\$15.00	
Single Person Monthly/Yearly Total	\$497.16	\$5,965.92
Married		
Medical	\$919.74	
Dental	\$61.06	
Life	\$15.00	
Married Monthly/Yearly Total	\$995.80	\$11,949.60
Family		
Medical	1323.50	
Dental	61.06	
Life	\$15.00	
Family Monthly/Yearly Total	\$1399.56	\$16,794.72
Pension (monthly contributions for lay employees begin after one year of employment, unless they've worked for another Episcopal Church, in which case, they would need to be continued)	\$276.00	\$3,312.00
Travel (travel is reimbursed at 48.5c/mile. Estimated driving is 350 miles monthly)	\$170.00	\$2,040.00
Continuing Education (recommended at least)		\$750.00
Total Packages:		
Single		\$47,797.42
Married		\$54,051.60
Family		\$58,896.72