

SPORTTIKORTTI 70+ SPORTS CARD FOR SENIORS TO BE RENEWED

The Sporttikortti 70+ sports card for seniors from or living in Vantaa will be renewed in 2026. We have gathered information about the Sporttikortti 70+ renewal and the new Sporttikortti 65+ sports benefit below.

What will change in the Sporttikortti renewal?

With the renewal, the Sporttikortti age limit will be lowered from 70 to 65 years. At the same time, the benefit will become subject to a charge.

You can get a Sporttikortti 70+ sports photocard with the current terms of use from Vantaa-Info until March 31, 2026. Sporttikortti 70+ users can use the card for free until August 31, 2026.

Please note that the validity of all Sporttikortti 70+ cards will be terminated at the end of August, regardless of the validity period marked on the card. If you wish to continue using the benefit after this, you will need to get the Sporttikortti 65+ benefit.

The Sporttikortti 65+ benefit will be issued to people aged 65 and older starting from April 1, 2026, at the counters of swimming halls. Swimming hall and gym access cards will replace the Sporttikortti photocard. The Sporttikortti 65+ sports benefit will be registered to the access card.

You can compare the changes to the card using the table below.

	Sporttikortti 70+ (no longer issued after March 31, 2026, usage ends August 31, 2026)	Sporttikortti 65+ (issued starting from April 1, 2026)
Who is the benefit meant for?	People from Vantaa who are at least 70 years old	People from or living in Vantaa who are at least 65 years old

How much does the benefit cost?	Free of charge	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6 months: €25 • 12 months: €50 • Additional fee of €5.50 for swimming hall and gym access card. If the customer already has an access card, the fee will not be charged.
How long is the benefit valid?	<p>The Sporttikortti 70+ photocard is valid for 3 years.</p> <p><i>N.B.! The validity of all Sporttikortti 70+ cards will end on August 31, 2026, regardless of the validity period marked on the card.</i></p>	<p>6 or 12 months of validity are loaded on the access card at a time.</p> <p><i>N.B.! Swimming hall and gym access cards will replace the Sporttikortti photocard.</i></p>
Where can the benefit be used?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All of the city's swimming halls: weekdays until 16:00 • Korso swimming hall and Koivukylä Senior Citizens' Center gym: according to opening hours 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All of the city's swimming halls: weekdays until 16:00 • Korso swimming hall and Koivukylä Senior Citizens' Center gym: according to opening hours
How can I get the benefit?	You can get a Sporttikortti photocard from Vantaa-Info points until March 31, 2026. You will need to bring an identity card and a photo.	<p>You can get an access card from the counters of Vantaa's swimming halls. You will need to bring an identity card with you.</p> <p>If you already have an access card, the access card fee will not be charged.</p> <p>After loading the access card for the first time, you can extend the period of validity at the swimming hall counter or by using the online store (starting from April 1, 2026).</p>
How is the benefit used?	Show the Sporttikortti 70+ card at the swimming hall's counter. You will	The Sporttikortti 65+ benefit is registered to the swimming hall and

	<p>receive an access card for the swimming hall or gym from the cashier.</p> <p>You can also get an access card that is valid for 5/12 months, which gives you direct access to the dressing and shower rooms.</p>	<p>gym access card. You can buy 6 or 12 months of validity for the access card at a time.</p> <p>With the access card, you can go directly to the dressing rooms of the swimming hall and gym without having to queue at the counter. Korso Swimming Hall is an exception.</p>
Does the benefit include the right to an assistant?	<p>If you need an assistant at the gym or swimming hall due to health reasons or weakened ability to function, you can apply separately for an assistant benefit to be linked to your Sporttikortti card.</p>	<p>If you need an assistant at the gym or swimming hall due to health reasons or a weakened ability to function, you can apply for an assistant benefit. The benefit will be added to your customer information.</p> <p>The instructions for applying for the right to an assistant will be updated by the end of January 2026 on the City of Vantaa's website: vantaa.fi/sporttikortti.</p>

Sporttikortti 65+ (starting from April 1, 2026)

Below, you will find more information about the new Sporttikortti 65+ benefit and how to use it. Please note that the Sporttikortti 65+ benefit will be used starting from April 1, 2026. Until then, the Sporttikortti 70+ sports card will be used; you can find more information about it at vantaa.fi/sporttikortti.

What is the Sporttikortti 65+ benefit?

The Sporttikortti 65+ benefit offers seniors aged 65 and older who are from or live in Vantaa the opportunity to use the City of Vantaa's swimming halls and gyms for a lower price. The Sporttikortti 65+ benefit is registered to the swimming hall and gym access card for either 6 or 12 months at a time.

How do I get the Sporttikortti 65+ benefit?

The Sporttikortti 65+ benefit is registered to the swimming hall and gym access card. You will need to bring your ID with you (passport, identity card, driver's license or KELA photocard). You must also provide your home address.

You can buy a year of validity (€50) or 6 months of validity (€25) for the access card at a time. In addition, a fee of €5.50 will be charged for the swimming hall and gym access card. If the customer already has an access card, the fee will not be charged.

After loading the access card for the first time, you can extend the period of validity at the swimming hall's counter or by using the online store (starting from April 1, 2026). You can get more detailed instructions for extending the validity of the card online at the counter.

Where can the Sporttikortti 65+ benefit be used?

Your Sporttikortti benefit can be used at the following sports facilities:

- The Hakunila, Martinlaakso, Myyrmäki and Tikkurila swimming halls, Mon–Fri before 16:00.
- Korso Swimming Hall during all opening hours
- Swimming halls' gyms Mon–Fri before 16:00
- Koivukylä Senior Citizens' Center during all opening hours

I already have a Sporttikortti 70+ card. Can I still use it?

Sporttikortti 70+ photocards can be used until August 31, 2026. Please note that the validity of your card will be terminated at the end of August, regardless of the validity period marked on the card. If you wish to continue using the benefit after this, you will need to get the Sporttikortti 65+ benefit from the swimming hall's counter.

Can I use the Sporttikortti benefit several times in a day?

The benefit is intended for one use per day.

Can I pay using exercise vouchers/benefits?

The Sporttikortti 65+ benefit is a discounted product which cannot be purchased with an exercise voucher. However, you can use exercise vouchers for other full-price products.

Will periods of closure or unused time be compensated?

The payment will not be returned and the period of validity you purchased will not be extended. You can use the city's other swimming halls and gyms if the sports facility you normally use is temporarily closed.

If you suspect that you will not use the benefit as actively year-round, it is better to buy 6 months of validity at a time.

Can another person use my access card?

The access card is personal. Letting another person use your card is prohibited. Misuse of the card may result in the cancellation of your card.

What do I do if my access card is lost?

You can get a new access card from the counter by showing proof of your identity. You will be charged a fee for the new card in accordance with the price list.

Is it possible to get the right to an assistant?

A right to an assistant can be added to your customer information, allowing an adult assistant to enter the swimming hall and gym free of charge when accompanying you. The assistant's task is to assist in getting dressed, washing up and exercising throughout the entire session.

We will provide further information about the right to an assistant by the end of January 2026: vantaa.fi/sporttikortti.

I am a non-resident, but I use the swimming halls and gyms in Vantaa. Can I get the Sporttikortti 65+ benefit?

The benefit is only intended for people from or living in Vantaa. However, you can purchase our other swimming hall and gym products regardless of your place of residence.

Why is the Sporttikortti benefit becoming subject to a charge?

The Sporttikortti benefit is becoming subject to a charge and the age limit is being lowered to 65 as part of balancing the City of Vantaa's finances.

We want to keep the price of the card low so that as many older Vantaa residents as possible have the opportunity to exercise at a low cost. If you go swimming at least twice per month, it is a good idea for you to get the Sporttikortti 65+ benefit.

Further information about the renewal

You can find further information about the Sporttikortti renewal on the city's website: vantaa.fi/sporttikortti.

You can also ask about the renewal by phone 050 314 6402, we recommend that you call on Mon–Tue and Thurs at 9:00–11:00.