

Kid's Rates

This feature allows you to set up multiple levels (categories) for children's rates.

1. Turning the feature on: From Hotel Management go to the Setup Menu, then choose Std. Reservation Assumptions. Click on the Page 2 button, then click on Use Kid's Rates?. Choose OK and then choose OK again on the main screen for Std. Assumptions. Go back into the Std. Assumptions screen and click on the Kid's Rates button that will now be highlighted.
2. You will then see a screen as shown below:

	Screen Description	
Input Prompt #1	0-2 yrs	✓ OK
Input Prompt #2	3-4 yrs	↶ Undo
Input Prompt #3	5-8 yrs	⊛ Exit
Input Prompt #4	8-11 yrs	
Input Prompt #5	12-15 yrs	
Input Prompt #6		
Input Prompt #7		
Input Prompt #8		
Input Prompt #9		
Input Prompt #10		

Discount Applies To Kids Rates Kids and Adults

Fill in the fields for each of the categories you wish to define. Five examples have been filled in above. You don't need to fill in all of the fields. Only the ones you define will appear when you setup a rate card or take a reservation.

3. Once you have defined the above screen, the Kid's Rates button on the Rate Card will be activated when you create a rate card. From Hotel Management go to the Setup menu, Room Rates/Rate Card. Create a rate card as you normally would. If you want to set up different prices for children based on the categories you defined above click on the Kid's Rates button on the rate card. Fill in the price for each of the categories. By filling in rates in this screen you will disable the normal Rate per Child field on the main Rate Card screen. This will be the nightly rate for each child in that category. If this rate card is a package, this will be the total cost of the package per child in each category. When you are setting up the package components for children, the package components under the children's column will be applied to all of the Kid's categories. Since the

rate for each Kid's category differs, the Room Revenue Portion displayed at the bottom of the package screen will not be correct. You must ensure that the total of the package components in the Child column does not exceed the total cost of any of the individual categories in the Kid's Rates or you will post negative room revenue. Example: Suppose you created a package for the 9-11 year old range that was \$200 before tax. You would enter this value in the Kid's Rates screen of the rate card. Then when you created the package components in the Package screen under the Child column, the total of the package components was \$100.00, which would leave \$100.00 for Room Revenue for the 9-11 year old range. On the same rate card you set up the 5-8 year old rate to be \$100.00. Once you subtract the \$100.00 of package components, your room revenue is down to \$0.00. Now you set up the 3-4 year old rate at \$50.00. Subtracting the \$100.00 worth of package components leaves you at -\$50.00 for room revenue. OOPS!

4. Taking a reservation begins as it usually does. You must choose the room type from the first reservation screen. Press Enter on your choice then a list of rate types will come up. Choose the rate that you wish to sell. The following screen will appear:

The screenshot shows a 'Rate Calculator' window with the following fields and values:

Adults	<input type="text" value="2"/>	
0-2 yrs	<input type="text" value="0"/>	45.00 : Adult Rate
3-4 yrs	<input type="text" value="0"/>	25.00 : Kids Rate
5-8 yrs	<input type="text" value="2"/>	70.00 : Room Rate
9-11 yrs	<input type="text" value="0"/>	4.90 : GST
12-15 yrs	<input type="text" value="0"/>	3.50 : Room PST
		<u>78.40</u> : Total

Number Of Free Kids: 0 Kids 1 Kid 2 Kids

Discount % To Apply:

Buttons: (with checkmark), (with stop sign), (with stop sign)

Fill in the number of adults and the number of children in each of the categories. You can also indicate if some of the children stay free or if you wish to apply a discount. The discount will follow the rules you defined in the Standard Reservation Assumptions that is whether the discount applies to children or to children and adults. Once you have filled in the fields you will see a summary of the charges. You can edit the fields you have filled in and the charge summary will update once you have pressed Enter through all of the fields. If you choose OK the screen will be accepted and you may proceed as normal. If you choose Requote you will be returned to the initial reservation

screen where you can change the arrival/departure date, room type and/or rate type.