

Visiting Dental Officer - Increased Rates of Pay

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VISITING DENTAL OFFICER - INCREASED RATES OF PAY

PURPOSE

This Information Bulletin advises of an increase in rates of 2.083 per cent for Visiting Dental Officers under PD2013_013, *Visiting Dental Officers - Remuneration and Contract Requirements* from the first full pay period to commence on or after 1 July 2016.

KEY INFORMATION

NSW Health has been authorised to provide an increase in rates for Visiting Dental Officers of 2.083 per cent effective from the first full pay period to commence on or after 1 July 2016.

The new rates of pay are detailed in the attached schedule.

PD2013_013, *Visiting Dental Officers - Remuneration and Contract Requirements* is available at: http://www0.health.nsw.gov.au/policies/pd/2013/pdf/PD2013_013.pdf

IMPLEMENTATION

Any enquiries concerning this Information Bulletin should be directed to the relevant Human Resource personnel in Local Health Districts. Only Human Resource personnel from Local Health Districts are to directly contact the NSW Ministry of Health.

ATTACHMENT

1. Visiting Dental Officer Rates

ATTACHMENT - VISITING DENTAL OFFICER RATES

Category A Work – Emergency / Trauma Services in Theatre

Where the Public Health Organisation urgently requires the attendance of a Visiting Dental Officer to perform emergency / trauma services in theatre and calls the Visiting Dental Officer to perform those services, the Visiting Dental Officer is to be paid the appropriate hourly rate into the Visiting Dental Officer's bank account and superannuation into the Visiting Dental Officer's nominated superannuation fund as follows:

Classification of Visiting Dental Officer	01/07/2016 \$ per hour (exclusive of super)	01/07/2016 \$ per hour to be paid into VDO's super fund
Dentist with less than 5 years experience	124.64	11.84
Dentist with at least 5 years experience	139.36	13.24
Dental Specialist	168.68	16.02
Senior Dental Specialist	183.28	17.41
Oral and Maxillo-Facial Surgeon	212.61	20.19

Category B Work – All Other Services

Whilst performing all other services not included in Category A Work above, the Visiting Dental Officer is to be paid the appropriate hourly rate into the Visiting Dental Officer's bank account and superannuation into the Visiting Dental Officer's nominated superannuation fund as follows:

Classification of Visiting Dental Officer	01/07/2016 \$ per hour (exclusive of super)	01/07/2016 \$ per hour to be paid into VDO's super fund
Dentist with less than 5 years experience	73.24	6.96
Dentist with less than 5 years experience plus chairside assistant	83.65	7.94
Dentist with at least 5 years experience but less than 10 years experience	88.07	8.37
Dentist with at least 5 years experience but less than 10 years experience plus chairside assistant	98.36	9.34
Dentist with at least 10 years experience	102.79	9.76

Dentist with at least 10 years experience plus chairside assistant	112.85	10.73
Dental Specialist (excluding OMF Surgeon)	117.27	11.13
Dental Specialist (excluding OMF Surgeon) plus chairside assistant	127.57	12.12
Senior Dental Specialist (excluding OMF Surgeon)	132.00	12.55
Senior Dental Specialist (excluding OMF Surgeon) plus chairside assistant	142.16	13.50
Oral and Maxillo-Facial Surgeon	183.28	17.41
Oral and Maxillo-Facial Surgeons On-Call (Please refer to PD2013_013 for payment eligibility)	01/07/2016	
	\$ per hour	
	11.59	