

17 June 2020

Mr Stephen Pincus  
Chair  
RTO Network

Dear Stephen

**RE: National Terms and Conditions for the Employment of Registrars increase in base rate salary.**

GP Supervisors Australia and GP Registrars Australia have been formally advised by the AMA that, as a result of the increase in the MBS applying to all GP attendances (including item 23) from 1 July 2020, there is a need to update National Terms and Conditions for the Employment of Registrars (NTCER) to apply the rate of indexation to base rates of pay as detailed in clause 11.1. As such, a 1.5% increase in base rates of pay will become applicable for all registrars employed according to the NTCER in the training term immediately following the MBS increase, i.e. from the commencement of the second training term in 2020. The details of the changes to base rates of pay and dates of implementation, according to term 2 commencement for each RTO, is provided in the attachment to this letter.

Both GPRA and GPSA are advising members of this change via our communications channels. We would appreciate you bringing this to the attention of all RTO CEOs so that they can support effective and consistent communication of this change to all relevant stakeholders.

Sincerely,



Andrew Gosbell  
CEO – GPRA



Glen Wallace  
CEO – GPSA

## New Base Rates of Pay

Term	Existing	1.5 % increase	New weekly rate	New hourly
GPT1	\$76,533.48	\$77,681.48	\$1,493.88	\$39.31
GPT2	\$92,013.42	\$93,393.62	\$1,796.03	\$47.26
GPT3&4	\$98,272.02	\$99,746.10	\$1,918.20	\$50.48

## When do these rates apply?

The new rates are applicable from the commencement of Term 2, 2020. These dates are different for every Regional Training Organisation (RTO).

The dates are as follows:

- WAGPET: 13 July 2020
- NTGPE: 3 August 2020
- GPTQ: 20 July 2020
- JCU GP training: 20 July 2020
- GPTT: 27 July 2020
- GP Synergy: 3 August 2020
- GPEx: 3 August 2020
- MCCC: 3 August 2020
- EVGPT: 3 August 2020

## How are base rate increases determined?

According to NTCER clause 11.1, the prescribed base rates of pay are reviewed at the beginning of each financial year and adjusted in line with the most recent indexation of the MBS, level 23 consultation item. The new base rates of pay become applicable in the training term immediately following the MBS increase.

As the MBS increase of 1.5% for all GP item numbers from 1 July 2020 has been [announced](#), the base rate of pay is applicable to all training terms commencing after 1 July 2020 (ie. training term 2 of 2020 and beyond).