

Environmental Health Officers - Out of Hours Paging Allowance

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Summary Environmental Health Officers - out of hours paging allowance.

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This Policy Directive may be varied, withdrawn or replaced at any time. Compliance with this directive is **mandatory** for NSW Health and is a condition of subsidy for public health organisations.

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ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH OFFICERS -
OUT OF HOURS PAGING ALLOWANCE

The Corporation has determined that an Out of Hours Paging Allowance of \$6.80 per day is payable to Environmental Health Officers effective from the date of this Circular.

This allowance is to be paid on a 24 hour basis or part thereof to one officer in each Public Health Unit only at any one time. It is payable to an officer who is requested and agrees to take an electronic paging device home for the purpose of being contactable for a recall to duty. Officers recalled to duty shall receive payment in accordance with the call out provisions prescribed in the determination applying to the employment of Environmental Health Officers.

For example the officer designated to take an electronic pager home overnight is entitled to be paid \$6.80 in line with the above criteria. On weekends the designated officer would be entitled to payment for Friday to Saturday, Saturday to Sunday and Sunday to Monday at $\$6.80 \times 3 = \20.40 .

Any officer currently in receipt of an on-call allowance shall not be eligible to claim the Out of Hours Paging Allowance in addition to the on-call allowance.

This allowance is payable effective from the first pay period to commence on or after the date of this Circular.

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