

## Guardianship and Mental Health Representation Panel

### Scale of legal practitioner fees (Schedule 1 Guardianship and Administration Regulations 2015)

For the purposes of section 65(3) of the Guardianship and Administration Act 1993, the prescribed scale is as follows:

1	For each 15 minutes, or part of 15 minutes, spent preparing in relation to an application for permission for review or spent preparing for the hearing of a review (subject to a maximum of 6 hours) or attending the hearing of an application for permission for review or the hearing of a review (including if the hearing is adjourned but excluding time taken to travel to or from the place of hearing)	\$43.50
2	For each 15 minutes, or part of 15 minutes, spent preparing in relation to an application for leave to appeal (subject to a maximum of 10 hours) or attending the hearing of an application for leave to appeal (including if the hearing is adjourned but excluding time taken to travel to or from the place of hearing)	\$43.50
3	For each 15 minutes, or part of 15 minutes, spent preparing for the hearing of an appeal (subject to a maximum of 10 hours) or attending the hearing of an appeal (including if the hearing is adjourned but excluding time taken to travel to or from the place of hearing)	\$43.50
4	For each 15 minutes, or part of 15 minutes, spent travelling from the practitioner's usual place of business to the place where the person to whom the review or appeal (or application for permission for review or appeal) relates is to be interviewed or the hearing is to be held or from such a place to the practitioner's usual place of business	\$12.50
5	For each kilometre, or part of a kilometre, travelled from the practitioner's usual place of business to the place where the person to whom the review or appeal (or application for permission for review or appeal) relates is to be interviewed or the hearing is to be held or from such a place to the practitioner's usual place of business	\$1
6	For counsel briefed for an application for leave to appeal	\$1 000
<b>Note—</b>		
	This fee is only able to be claimed if an independent counsel is instructed by the legal practitioner.	
7	For counsel briefed for an appeal	\$2 000
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	This fee is only able to be claimed if an independent counsel is instructed by the legal practitioner.	
8	For obtaining an assessment and report by a psychiatrist	\$1214
9	For obtaining a report by the treating medical practitioner/counsellor	\$670
10	For engaging an interpreter	\$298

### Scale of legal practitioner fees (Schedule 1 Mental Health Regulations 2010)

1	For each 15 minutes, or part of 15 minutes, spent preparing in relation to an application for permission for review or spent preparing for the hearing of a review (subject to a maximum of 4 hours) or attending the hearing of an application for permission for review or the hearing of a review (including if the hearing is adjourned but excluding time taken to travel to or from the place of hearing)	\$43.50
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