



SCOTTISH EXECUTIVE

Health Department
Public Appointments Unit

Dear Colleague

NHS HEALTH BOARDS AND SPECIAL HEALTH BOARDS, REMUNERATION INCREASE 2005-06 FOR CHAIRS AND NON-EXECUTIVE MEMBERS

1. This letter advises you of revised annual rates of remuneration payable to Chairs and other non-executive members of NHS Boards, Special Health Boards, NHS National Services Scotland and the Chairs of both Divisional Management Teams and Community Health Partnerships. **These revised rates apply from 1 April 2005.**

BACKGROUND

2. The Scottish Executive Remuneration Committee and Ministers have agreed to increase the levels of remuneration payable to Chairs and non-executive members of NHS Boards, Special Health Boards and NHS National Services Scotland. In accordance with agreed central guidance, the annual uplift is informed by the recommendations for the Senior Salaries Review Body, which is 2.5% **for the 2005-06 pay year.**

3. A list of the organisations concerned, together with the revised rates of remuneration applicable, is set out in the attached **Annex**.

ACTION

4. Chief Executives of NHS Boards and Special Health Boards are asked to arrange payment of the revised rates of remuneration as set out in the attached **Annex**.

Yours sincerely

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28th November 2005

Addresses

For action

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REVISED RATES OF REMUNERATION FOR CHAIRS AND NON-EXECUTIVE MEMBERS OF NHS BOARDS AND SPECIAL HEALTH BOARDS.

These rates apply from 1 April 2005

Body	Chair (a) £	Member (b) £
Greater Glasgow NHS Board	37,420	7490
Lothian NHS Board	37,420	7490
Argyll and Clyde NHS Board	29,935	7490
Grampian	29,935	7490
Lanarkshire	29,935	7490
Tayside	29,935	7490
All other mainland NHS Boards	27,795	7490
All island NHS Boards	25,655	4670
NHS National Services Scotland	23,520	7490
NHS Health Scotland	23,520	5345
Scottish Advisory Committee on Distinction Awards	11,760	Unpaid
Scottish Ambulance Service Board	23,520	7490
State Hospitals Board for Scotland	23,520	7490
National Waiting Times Centre Board	23,520	7490
NHS Education for Scotland	23,520	7490
NHS Quality Improvement Scotland	23,520	7490
NHS 24	23,520	7490

NOTES

(a) Remuneration for Chairs is based on a time commitment of 156 days per year, or three days per week

(b) Remuneration of members is based on a time commitment of 52 days per year, or an average of 8 hours per week, except for NHS Health Scotland, which is based on 36 days per year.

REVISED RATES OF REMUNERATION FOR CHAIRS OF NHS BOARD – DIVISIONAL MANAGEMENT TEAMS AND CHAIRS OF COMMUNITY HEALTH PARTNERSHIPS

These rates apply from 1 April 2005

Band 1 – 3 days per week	£22,460
Band 2 – up to 2 ½ days per week	£18,715
Band 3 – up to 2 days per week	£14,975