

Schedule of costs

Hearing name and dates	
Party details	Party name: Receiving/paying party (delete as applicable)
Representation	Self-represented/represented (delete as applicable) Representative name:
MPTS hearing reference number	

Explanatory notes

- Complete this schedule of costs carefully and accurately. It will help the case manager make a fair decision about the amount of costs payable.
- Please read the <u>MPTS case management procedure: Guidance for parties</u> <u>and representatives</u> before completing this document (referred to below as **the guidance**). Your schedule of costs must only set out the costs:
 - you have incurred and/or are liable to pay and
 - which represent time or disbursements wasted directly in connection with the paying party's failure to comply, as found by the medical practitioners tribunal.
- Once completed, this schedule of costs must be sent to the other party and to the case manager at MPTSCaseManager@mpts-uk.org.
- You must sign the declaration at the end of this document. If you don't, the case manager won't be able to take the information you send into account.
- You may wish to provide evidence to support your schedule of costs. List any documents you wish to submit in the space provided in Part 4 of the schedule of costs.

Part 1: Preparation costs

Hourly rate for work undertaken by legal representatives

 Applicable hourly rates are the lesser of the hourly rate charged or the applicable grade from the Guideline Hourly Rates.

A	Insert name, grade and hourly rate claimed
В	Insert name, grade and hourly rate claimed
С	Insert name, grade and hourly rate claimed

Hourly rate for self-represented doctors

- Applicable hourly rates are either an hourly rate to reflect actual financial loss (to be supported by evidence as outlined in paragraph 30 of the guidance) or a fixed hourly rate of £18/hr.
- You must send evidence to support an hourly rate reflecting actual financial loss to the case manager with the completed schedule of costs.

A	Insert name and hourly rate claimed

Hourly rate for a suitable person representing a doctor

- Applicable hourly rates are those agreed by the suitable person and the doctor he/she is representing, as evidenced by a genuine written agreement between them.
- A copy of the written agreement must be provided to the case manager with a completed schedule of costs.

Α	Insert name and hourly rate claimed

Attendances on client

- In this section, representatives may record time spent meeting, corresponding and speaking with their client in preparation for hearing.
- This section is not applicable for self-represented doctors.

Personal attendances

	Hours	Rate	Total
A		£	£
В		£	£
С		£	£

Letters and emails

	Hours	Rate	Total
A		£	£
В		£	£
С		£	£

Telephone

	Hours	Rate	Total
A		£	£
В		£	£
С		£	£

Attendances on opponent

In this section, representatives or self-represented doctors may record time spent meeting, corresponding and speaking with their opponent in preparation for hearing.

Personal attendances

	Hours	Rate	Total
A		£	£
В		£	£
С		£	£

Letters and emails

	Hours	Rate	Total
A		£	£
В		£	£
С		£	£

Telephone

	Hours	Rate	Total
A		£	£
В		£	£
С		£	£

Attendances on others (please specify)

In this section, representatives or self-represented doctors may record time spent meeting, corresponding and speaking with others (for example, Counsel or an expert witness), in preparation for hearing.

Personal attendances

	Hours	Rate	Total
A		£	£
В		£	£
С		£	£

Letters and emails

	Hours	Rate	Total
A		£	£
В		£	£
С		£	£

Telephone

	Hours	Rate	Total
A		£	£
В		£	£
С		£	£

Work done on documents

Please complete the schedule in the annex and put the amount claimed for work done on documents in the box below:

SUBTOTAL 2	£

Attendance at hearing

In this section, representatives or self-represented doctors may record time spent attending the hearing and travel or waiting time connected with attending the hearing.

Time in hearing

	Hours	Rate	Total
A		£	£
В		£	£
С		£	£

Travel time and waiting time

	Hours	Rate	Total
A		£	£
В		£	£
С		£	£

PART 1 TOTAL	£

Part 2: Disbursements

Counsel's fees

Counsel	Name and year of call:
Brief fee	Include only if claimed
Refresher fee	Include only if claimed and specify number of days

■ In this section, please provide details and the number of other wasted hours of Counsel's time incurred, if any.

Description and number of hours	Rate	Total
	£	£
	£	£
	£	£

SUBTOTAL	£

Other expenses

In this section, please give details of any other wasted expenses claimed, if any.

Description and number of hours	Rate	Total
	£	£
	£	£
	£	£

SUBTOTAL	£

PART 2 TOTAL	£

Part 3: Total costs and declaration

Total costs

Part 1 total	£
VAT on part 1 total (if applicable)	£
Part 2 total	£
VAT on part 2 total (if applicable)	£
TOTAL COSTS:	£

Declaration

I confirm that the information I have provided in this schedule of costs:

- is correct and true to the best of my knowledge
- does not exceed the costs which the paying party is liable to pay in respect of the work which this schedule covers
- reflects Counsel's fees and other expenses actually incurred and which will be paid to the persons stated above.

Signature		
Name		
Firm of solicitors		
(if applicable)		
Date		

Part 4: Documents submitted

In this section, please list any documents submitted with this completed schedule of costs.

	Document description
1	
2	
3	

Annex: Work done on documents

	Description of work	A hours	B hours	C hours	Total
1					£
2					£
3					£
4					£
5					£
6					£
7					£
8					£
9					£
10					£
SUB-TOTAL					£