

Parole Board Member Fees and Expenses

Part-time members receive fees for time spent on Board business. The extract of fees below are set out according to the task undertaken. The fees are per panel and include both the preparation time required and attendance at the panel. Independent and Probation Members focus on Paper Panels in their first year and then progress to oral hearings. Psychiatrist and Psychologist members will focus on oral hearings from the outset. As members gain more experience, they have the opportunity to take on a wider range of roles such as duty member, mentoring and appraising other members and undertaking case management work. Independent and Probation members will also have the opportunity to chair oral hearings.

Members' fees at 01/04/2009

Paper hearings for Determinate Sentence Prisoners

The average panel requires 4 days work.

- Independent and probation members £548
- Panel chair £104

Paper recall panels for Determinate Sentence Prisoners

The average panel requires approximately two days work

- Independent and Probation members £342

Oral hearings members

The average panel requires 1.5 days work

- Independent and probation members £240
- Psychiatrists and psychologists £337

Oral hearings chairs

The average hearing requires 2 days work

- Independent chairs £448

Mentoring

- Mentoring (per half-day) £95

Appraising

- Observation of a paper panel, assessment & feedback £298
- Observation of oral hearing & feedback £248

Non-casework day

- Training, meetings, annual conference etc. £190

Duty member

- Per day £190
- Travel and subsistence is paid in addition to these fees.