

The Scottish Government
Health Workforce and Performance Directorate
Pay and Terms and Conditions of Service Division



Dear Colleague

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**RELOCATION AND EXCESS TRAVEL EXPENSES:
TRAINING GRADES**

Addressees

[NHS Circular PCS\(DD\)2010/8](#) outlined the new agreement on relocation and excess travel expenses for doctors in the training grades.

For action
Chief Executives,
Directors of Finance,
Directors of Human Resources:
NHS Boards and Special Health
Boards, NHS National Services
Scotland (Common Services
Agency) and Healthcare
Improvement Scotland

There is some confusion as to whether the agreement covers dentists in training grades. This note is to clarify that both trainee doctors and dentists were included in the negotiations for the new agreement and Health Boards should therefore apply the arrangements for dentists in training grades.

For information
Members, Scottish Partnership
Forum
Members, Scottish Terms and
Conditions Committee
Members, Scottish Workforce and
Governance Group
Management Steering Group

Action

NHSScotland Boards are asked to ensure that the terms of NHS Circular PCS(DD)2010/8 are applied to both doctors and dentists in training grades.

Enquiries to:

Yours sincerely

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