

CRP Consumer Advisory Group (CAG) Remuneration Policy

CONSUMER REMUNERATION

Level of Engagement	Remuneration Type	Mechanisms of engagement	Committee Chair or Co-Chair	Committee Member	Participation
CRP Consumer Advisory Group	Sitting fee	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Consumer engagement in CRP governance, strategy, policy, and evaluation. Advocacy, leadership, evaluation, and continuous improvement of consumer engagement practice. Provision of strategic advice on consumer engagement and consumer-led education and research priorities/initiatives to CRP Management Committee. Drive a program of consumer-led consultation processes to build relationships and the knowledge base of the CRP. 	\$100 (\leq 1h) \$180 (1-4 h) \$268 ($>$ 4h) ¹	\$86 (\leq 1h) \$154.80 (1-4h) \$230.50 ($>$ 4h)	
CRP Registries	Sitting fee	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Represent the consumer perspective on Steering Committees and Working Groups for individual CRP registries. Program and project involvement – liaison, advisor, team member, project governance. 	\$86 (\leq 1h) \$154.80 (1-4h) \$230.50 ($>$ 4h) ²	\$74 (\leq 1h) \$133.10 (1-4h) \$198.20 ($>$ 4h)	
Consulting	Hourly rate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reviewer roles in research, grants, education, training, and communications. Speaking engagements/panel member at CRP events. 	N/A	N/A	\$50/h
Research Engagement	Hourly rate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Participate in consultation activities such as focus groups, consultative workshops, and interviews⁺. Storytelling to support communications, program development or delivery: interviews, writing, video based. 	N/A	N/A	\$40/h
Informing	N/A	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Consumers who receive registry communications and may participate as an audience member in symposia and other events. 	N/A	N/A	\$0/h

¹ Amounts determined by Safer Care Victoria *A guide to consumer remuneration* citing Department of Premier and Cabinet Appointments and Remuneration Guidelines (2020). Schedule C: Classification criteria and remuneration schedule - Group C organisations (Section 3a) relates to advisory bodies to departments. The upper limit has been used for sitting fees to acknowledge the additional time required in pre- and post-meeting reading, preparation, and follow-up actions. The committee member rate is 86% of the Chair rate.

² Amounts apportioned for comparative complexity of consumer contribution to align with CRP model of consumer engagement. The Chair rate would be the same as the member rate for *the Consumer Advisory Group* activities, and the member rate is 86% of the Chair rate.

⁺No hourly rate remuneration for participation in surveys.