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Subject: RE: Inquiry into the veterinary workforce shortage in New South Wales – Post-hearing responses – 30 August 2023
Attachments: Port. Comm. No.4 Hansard 30 August requested corrections Tim Payne, p.16.pdf; 2023-allocation-of-units-of-study-2.pdf

Dear Sarah,

Pls find attached some requested corrections to p.16 of the Hansard, for my evidence.

Besides a few minor issues with capitalisation suggestions for the names of policy processes, there are two substantive corrections I would like to request – arising from me slightly misstating student contribution amounts for arts fields.

I have indicated the requested corrections, which relate to the funding amounts highlighted in the attached table from the Commonwealth Government.

I appreciate that Hansard may not be able to make these changes, but thought I would ask given the technical nature and detail of the numbers I was trying to remember on the spot at the hear.

With thanks for your consideration.

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For the students, it's \$11,800. But what the Commonwealth also does is it caps the amount of money that it gives to each university—that is called the maximum basic grant amount. What happens there is that, as the universities enrol students from different disciplines, they consume their Commonwealth funding component up to their maximum. If you take, for example, a student doing law or economics or in the arts fields, the Commonwealth contribution is \$1,800, so you can enrol 27 of those sorts of students with the same impact on your funding envelope. But then the student contributions are higher in those disciplines, so students in those disciplines are paying \$15,500.

\$1200

\$15,000



Allocation of units of study to funding clusters and student contribution bands according to field of education codes 2023

Funding cluster	Part of funding cluster	Unit description	Field of education code ¹	Maximum student contribution amounts	Commonwealth contribution amounts (see footnotes for exceptions)		
Funding Cluster 1 Law, Accounting, Administration, Economics, Commerce, Communications, and Society and Culture	Law, Accounting, Administration, Economics, Commerce, Communications	Law	0909	\$15,142	\$1,147		
		Accounting	0801				
		Business and Management	0803				
		Sales and Marketing	0805				
		Tourism	0807				
		Office Studies	0809				
		Banking, Finance and Related Fields	0811				
		Other Management and Commerce	0899				
		Economics and Econometrics	0919				
		Food and Hospitality	1101				
		Personal Services	1103				
		General Education Programmes	1201				
		Social Skills Programs	1203				
		Employment Skills Programs	1205				
		Other Mixed Field Programmes	1299				
		Communication and Media Studies	1007				
	Society and Culture – any other subpart	History	090305				
		Archaeology	090307				
		Indigenous Studies	090311				
		Justice and Law Enforcement	0911				
	Society and Culture –Social Studies or Behavioural Science subparts	Philosophy and Religious Studies	0917				
		Political Science and Policy Studies	0901				
		Human Movement	069903				
		Sports and Recreation	0921				
		Studies in Human Society	090300				
		Sociology	090301				
		Anthropology	090303				
		Human Geography	090309				
		Gender Specific Studies	090313				
		Studies in Human Society not elsewhere classified	090399				
		Librarianship, Information Management and Curatorial Studies	0913				
		Other Society and Culture	0999				
		Behavioural Science ²	0907				
Human Welfare Studies and Services ³	0905						
Funding Cluster 2 Education, Clinical Psychology, English, Mathematics, Statistics, Allied Health, Other Health, Built Environment, Computing, Visual and Performing Arts, Professional Pathway Psychology, and Professional Pathway Social Work	Education, Clinical Psychology, English, Mathematics, Statistics	Teacher Education	0701	\$4,124	\$13,836		
		Curriculum and Education Studies	0703				
		Other Education	0799				
		Postgraduate Clinical Psychology ⁴	090701				
		Mathematical Sciences	0101				
		Language and Literature	091500				
		English Language	091501				
		Linguistics	091521				
		Literature	091523				
		Language and Literature, not elsewhere classified	091599				
		Allied Health, Other Health, Built Environment, Computing	Pharmacy			0605	\$8,301
			Optical Science			0609	
			Public Health			0613	
	Radiography		0615				
	Rehabilitation Therapies		0617				
	Complementary Therapies		0619				
	Other Health		069900				
	Nutrition and Dietetics		069901				
	Paramedical Studies		069905				
	First Aid		069907				
	Health not elsewhere classified		069999				
	Architecture and Urban Environment		0401				
	Building		0403				
	Computer Science	0201					
	Information Systems	0203					
	Other Information Technology	0299					
	Visual and Performing Arts	Performing Arts	1001				
		Visual Arts and Crafts	1003				
		Graphic and Design Studies	1005				
		Other Creative Arts	1099				
	Professional Pathway Psychology	Behavioural Science ⁵	0907				
	Professional Pathway Social Work	Human Welfare Studies and Services ⁶	0905				

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Funding cluster 3 Nursing, Indigenous and Foreign Languages, Engineering, Surveying, Environmental Studies, Science	Nursing, Indigenous and Foreign Languages	Nursing	0603	\$4,124	\$16,969
		Translating and Interpreting	091519		
		Australian Indigenous Languages	091517		
		Eastern Asian Languages	091515		
		Southeast Asian Languages	091513		
		Southern Asian Languages	091511		
		Southwest Asian and North African Languages	091509		
		Eastern European Languages	091507		
		Southern European Languages	091505		
	Northern European Languages	091503			
	Engineering, Surveying, Environmental Studies, Science	Manufacturing Engineering and Technology	0301	\$8,301	
		Process and Resources Engineering	0303		
		Automotive Engineering and Technology	0305		
		Mechanical and Industrial Engineering and Technology	0307		
		Civil Engineering	0309		
		Geomatic Engineering	0311		
		Electrical and Electronic Engineering and Technology	0313		
		Aerospace Engineering and Technology	0315		
		Maritime Engineering and Technology	0317		
		Other Engineering and Related Technologies	0399		
		Environmental Studies	0509		
		Other Agriculture, Environmental and Related Studies	0599		
		Physics and Astronomy	0103		
Chemical Sciences		0105			
Earth Sciences	0107				
Biological Sciences	0109				
Other Natural and Physical Sciences	0199				
Funding cluster 4 Agriculture, Medicine, Dentistry, Veterinary Science, Pathology	Agriculture	Agriculture	0501	\$4,124	\$28,196
		Horticulture and Viticulture	0503		
		Forestry Studies	0505		
		Fisheries Studies	0507		
	Pathology	Pathology	060113	\$8,301	
	Medicine, Dentistry, Veterinary Science	Medical Studies	060100	\$11,800	
		General Medicine	060101		
		Surgery	060103		
		Psychiatry	060105		
		Obstetrics and Gynaecology	060107		
		Paediatrics	060109		
		Anaesthesiology	060111		
		Radiology	060115		
		Internal Medicine	060117		
		General Practice	060119		
		Medical Studies not elsewhere classified	060199		
		Dental Studies	0607		
Veterinary Studies	0611				

Notes:

- Where a 4 digit FOE code is used in this table, the relevant part of the funding cluster also includes all 6 digit FOE codes starting with that 4 digit code.
- Excluding Postgraduate Clinical Psychology units, which are in funding cluster 2 (see note 4), and excluding Professional Pathway Psychology units with FOE codes starting with 0907 which are in cluster 2 (see note 5).
- Excluding Professional Pathway Social Work units with FOE codes starting with 0905 which are in cluster 2 (see note 6).
- Postgraduate Clinical Psychology units of study are in funding cluster 2 and are psychology units of study (FOE code 090701) that contribute to courses of study that are accredited for the purposes of professional registration by the Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency (AHPRA) and which lead to Endorsed Areas of Practice in Clinical Psychology, Clinical Neuropsychology, Counselling Psychology, Educational and Developmental Psychology, Forensic Psychology, Health Psychology, Sports Psychology and Community Psychology.
- Professional Pathway Psychology units of study are Behavioural Science units (with FOE codes starting with 0907) that contribute to a course of study that leads to a bachelor degree or honours degree in psychology with a course structure that makes it compulsory to study units relevant to professional registration as a psychologist by the Psychology Board of Australia, and the course of study represents a pathway to professional registration as a psychologist.
- Professional Pathway Social Work units of study are Human Welfare Studies and Services units (with FOE codes starting with 0905) that contribute to courses of study that lead to a bachelor degree, honours degree or master's degree in:
 - social work accredited by the Australian Association of Social Workers;
 - youth work accredited by Youth Work Australia;
 - counselling accredited by the Australian Counsellors Association and/or the Psychotherapy and Counselling Federation of Australia; and
 - community work accredited by the Australian Community Workers Association.