

Circular 8/2022

03 June 2022

**TO: NATIONAL DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
PROVINCIAL DEPARTMENTS OF HEALTH
NURSING EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS
ALL STAKEHOLDERS**

This Circular serves as confirmation of the South African Nursing Council's fees and fines as stipulated in the Government Gazette published on 27 May 2022.

1. ANNUAL FEES FOR 2023

1.1 NORMAL ANNUAL FEES

The annual fees for the calendar year 2023 for different categories of practitioners are provided in the table below:

CATEGORY	ANNUAL FEE FOR 2023
Registered Nurses and Midwives	R730.00
Enrolled Nurses and Midwives	R440.00
Enrolled Nursing Auxiliaries	R310.00


1.2 REDUCTIONS IN ANNUAL FEES FOR AGE 60 AND OVER

The Council has resolved to introduce reduced fees for nurses 60 years of age and over as per the table below:

1.2.1 60 TO 64 YEARS OF AGE ON 1 JANUARY 2023 (25% REDUCTION)

CATEGORY	ANNUAL FEE FOR 2023
Registered Nurses and Midwives	R550.00
Enrolled Nurses and Midwives	R330.00
Enrolled Nursing Auxiliaries	R230.00

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1.2.2 65 YEARS OF AGE AND OLDER ON 01 JANUARY 2023 (50% REDUCTION)

CATEGORY	ANNUAL FEE FOR 2023
Registered Nurses and Midwives	R370.00
Enrolled Nurses and Midwives	R220.00
Enrolled Nursing Auxiliaries	R150.00

NB: To qualify for the discount amounts, practitioners may be required to submit a certified copy of their identity document in order to confirm their age.

Notes:

- The annual fees for 2023 must be received by the SANC on or before **31 December 2022**.
- The amounts in the tables above all **include 15% VAT**.

2. RESTORATION FEES FOR 2023

The restoration fees for different categories applicable from **1 January 2023** are shown in the following table.

CATEGORY	NORMAL RESTORATION FEE	REDUCED RESTORATION FEE
Registered Nurses and Midwives	R2 200.00	R150.00
Enrolled Nurses and Midwives	R1 320.00	R150.00
Enrolled Nursing Auxiliaries	R920.00	R150.00
Retired Nurses	R150.00	R150.00

Notes:

The reduced restoration fee only applies to a practitioner:

- Who must have been removed from the register at his/her own request; or
- Who must be 60 years of age or older on **1 January 2023**. **However, this must be confirmed with the Council before paying the reduced amount.**

3. VOLUNTARY REMOVAL

A Nurse Practitioner who no longer wishes to practise in South Africa or who is unemployed, may request, in writing, for a voluntary removal of his/her name from the register, by completing the form available from the SANC. If a voluntary removal is granted by the SANC, the nurse practitioner's name will be removed accordingly on the **31st of December** of the year in which the application is received. Once removed, the nurse practitioner will no longer be required to pay annual fees while he/she is removed from the register.

If the nurse practitioner requires reinstatement onto the register, he/she will, in addition to paying the reduced **restoration fee**, **be required to complete a Restoration Form**

which can be accessed from the SANC website, www.sanc.co.za. It must be noted that practising while not being registered is illegal.

4. CLOSING DATE FOR PAYMENT OF ANNUAL FEES

Please note that for the calendar year 2023, the closing date for the payment of annual fees is **31 December 2022**. Payments must reach the SANC bank account on or before the closing date. You are, therefore, urged not to leave payment for the last minute to avoid problems associated with making payments at year end.

Remember: Bank transfers from non-FNB banks may take up to **3 working days** and you are therefore advised to pay well in advance to meet the **31 December 2022** deadline.

5. OTHER FEES

Please note that other fees and fees payable by institutions will be applicable with effect from **01 January 2023**.

6. PERSAL DEDUCTIONS

The signing of Resolution 3 of 2019 in September 2019 by the National Department of Health together with major trade unions in Public Health and Social Development Sectoral Bargaining Council (PHSDSBC), brought into effect the implementation of PERSAL deductions from the 2020 APC season for all employees falling under the scope of the PHSDSBC.

As a result of this agreement, affected Nurse Practitioners are urged not to pay the annual fees on their own as the employers are required to pay on their behalf in terms of Resolution 3 of 2019.

7. eREGISTER

The SANC has made an eRegister facility available on the SANC website which can be utilised by employers to verify the registration status of all Nurse Practitioners in their employment. Employers are urged to utilise this facility in the absence of a physical Annual Practising Certificate (APC).

Visit: <http://www.sanc.co.za/eRegister.aspx> for more details.

8. COMMUNITY SERVICE PRACTITIONERS

Community Service Practitioners are not eligible to be issued with an APC, and therefore, should **NOT** pay annual fees. They **MUST** pay a conversion fee on completion of their Community Service in order to be registered as Nurse Practitioners using the REGFPRA registration fee code instead of ANLFEES (e.g. 12345678REGFPRA).

Yours sincerely



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HIGH ALERT: SCAM WARNING!!!

TO ALL SUPPLIERS AND SERVICE PROVIDERS OF THE GOVERNMENT PRINTING WORKS

It has come to the attention of the *GOVERNMENT PRINTING WORKS* that there are certain unscrupulous companies and individuals who are defrauding unsuspecting businesses disguised as representatives of the *Government Printing Works (GPW)*.

The scam involves the fraudsters using the letterhead of *GPW* to send out fake tender bids to companies and requests to supply equipment and goods.

Although the contact person's name on the letter may be of an existing official, the contact details on the letter are not the same as the *Government Printing Works*. When searching on the Internet for the address of the company that has sent the fake tender document, the address does not exist.

The banking details are in a private name and not company name. Government will never ask you to deposit any funds for any business transaction. *GPW* has alerted the relevant law enforcement authorities to investigate this scam to protect legitimate businesses as well as the name of the organisation.

Example of e-mails these fraudsters are using:

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Should you suspect that you are a victim of a scam, you must urgently contact the police and inform the *GPW*.

GPW has an official email with the domain as **@gpw.gov.za**

Government e-mails DO NOT have org in their e-mail addresses. All of these fraudsters also use the same or very similar telephone numbers. Although such number with an area code 012 looks like a landline, it is not fixed to any property.

GPW will never send you an e-mail asking you to supply equipment and goods without a purchase/order number. *GPW* does not procure goods for another level of Government. The organisation will not be liable for actions that result in companies or individuals being resultant victims of such a scam.

Government Printing Works gives businesses the opportunity to supply goods and services through RFQ / Tendering process. In order to be eligible to bid to provide goods and services, suppliers must be registered on the National Treasury's Central Supplier Database (CSD). To be registered, they must meet all current legislative requirements (e.g. have a valid tax clearance certificate and be in good standing with the South African Revenue Services - SARS).

The tender process is managed through the Supply Chain Management (SCM) system of the department. SCM is highly regulated to minimise the risk of fraud, and to meet objectives which include value for money, open and effective competition, equitability, accountability, fair dealing, transparency and an ethical approach. Relevant legislation, regulations, policies, guidelines and instructions can be found on the tender's website.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

NO. 2111

27 May 2022

Nursing Act, 2005 (Act No. 33 of 2005)**NOTICE REGARDING FEES PAYABLE TO THE COUNCIL IN TERMS OF THE
REGULATIONS REGARDING FEES AND FINES PAYABLE TO THE SOUTH
AFRICAN NURSING COUNCIL****DEFINITION**

1. In this notice, **“the regulations”** means the Regulations Regarding Fees and Fines Payable to the South African Nursing Council published by Government Notice No. R. 170 of 8 March 2013.

ANNUAL FEES

2. The amounts of the annual fee referred to in 2(1) (c) of the regulations have been determined by the Council as shown in the table below.
3. These amounts apply to annual fees in respect of the annual fee year 1 January 2023 to 31 December 2023, which may be paid from 1 July 2022, and which must be received by Council before or on 31 December 2022 (final date for payment).
4. These annual fee amounts will apply to all subsequent annual fee years until such time that the fees are amended by a notice in the *Gazette*.
5. The 25% discount applies to practitioners who are or will be 60 to 64 years of age on 1 January 2023.
6. The 50% discount applies to practitioners who are or will be 65 years of age or older on 1 January 2023.

Category of Registration	Annual Fee Amounts (including VAT)		
	Full Amount	25% Discount (*)	50% Discount (**)
Professional Nurse Midwife Registered Nurse Registered Midwife	R730-00	R550-00	R370-00
Staff Nurse Auxiliary Midwife Enrolled Nurse Enrolled Midwife	R440-00	R330-00	R220-00
Auxiliary Nurse Enrolled Nursing Auxiliary	R310-00	R230-00	R150-00

(*) To qualify for the 25% discount, a practitioner must be 60 to 64 years of age on 1 January 2023.

(**) To qualify for the 50% discount, a practitioner must be 65 years of age or older on 1 January 2023.

N.B. To qualify for the discount amounts, a practitioner may be required to submit a certified copy of his/her identity document in order to confirm his/her age.

RESTORATION FEES

7. The amounts of the restoration fees referred to in 2(1) (y) and (z) of the regulations have been determined by the Council as shown in the table below.
8. These restoration fee amounts will apply from 1 January 2023.
9. The reduced restoration fee only applies to:
 - a) those practitioners who were removed from the register at their own request; or
 - b) practitioners who are or will be 60 years of age or older on 1 January 2023.

Category of Registration	Reduced (*) Restoration Fees (including VAT)	Regular Restoration Fees (including VAT)
Professional Nurse Midwife Registered Nurse Registered Midwife	R150-00	R2 200-00
Staff Nurse Auxiliary Midwife Enrolled Nurse Enrolled Midwife	R150-00	R1 320-00
Auxiliary Nurse Enrolled Nursing Auxiliary	R150-00	R 920-00
Retired Nurses	R150-00	R150-00

(*) To qualify for the reduced restoration fee, a practitioner must have been removed from the register at his/her own request or must be 60 years or older on 1 January 2023.

FEE PAYABLE BY INSTITUTIONS

Accreditation

Accreditation Fees
(Nursing Education
Institution) –section
2(1) (a)

	Payable Rate 1	Payable Rate 2	Payable Rate 3	Payable Rate 4
Learner Enrolment (number of learners)	1-50	51-75	76-100	>100
	R7 720-00	R15 470-00	R23 210-00	R29 020-00

Accreditation Fees
(Nursing Education
Programme)
-section 2(1) (b)

Number of
Programmes

Payable Rate 1	Payable Rate 2	Payable Rate 3
1-2	3-6	>6
R15 420-00	R23 130-00	R30 840-00

Application for
Nursing
Programmes/Revised
Curriculum
Evaluation – section
2(1) (l)

Payable				
One-year	Three-year	Four-year	Post registration /Post/ Basic Graduate Diploma	Masters/ Doctoral Programmes
R1 450-00	R4 620-00	R7 710-00	R11 570-00	R14 470-00

Audit Visit Fee
(Clinical Facility) –
section 2(1)(i)

Payable Rate 1	Payable Rate 2	Payable Rate 3
1	2-4	>4
R7 710-00	R15 420-00	R23 130-00

Audit Visit Fee
(Nursing Education
Institution) – section
2(1)(j)

Payable Rate 1	Payable Rate 2	Payable Rate 3
1	2-4	>4
R7 710-00	R15 420-00	R23 130-00

Focus Visit Fee
(Clinical Facility) –
section 2(1)(o)

Payable Rate 1	Payable Rate 2	Payable Rate 3
1	2-4	>4
R7 710-00	R15 420-00	R23 130-00

Focus Visit Fee
(Nursing Education
Institution) – section
2(1)(p)

Payable Rate 1	Payable Rate 2	Payable Rate 3
1	2-4	>4
R7 710-00	R15 420-00	R23 130-00

Description	Amount Payable
Annual Nursing Education Institution Fee – section 2(1)(d)	R15 420-00
Application Fee (Clinical Facility) – section 2(1)(e)	R3 860-00
Application Fee (Nursing Education Institution) – section 2(1)(h)	R3 860-00
Application Fee (Nursing Education Programme) – section 2(1)(h)	R3 860-00

OTHER FEES

Section of the regulations	Description	Amount (including VAT)
2(1)(f)	Application fee (foreign additional qualification): - SADC countries - Other countries	R 1 460-00 R 1 460-00
2(1)(g)	Application fee (foreign basic qualification): - SADC countries - Other countries	R 1 460-00 R 2 180-00
2(1)(k)	Certificate of Status Fee	R 2 330-00
2(1)(l)	Duplicate Certificate Fee	R 440-00
2(1)(m)	Examination Fee (per paper)	R 460-00
2(1)(n)	Extract Fee	R 90-00
	Late Registration penalty per applicant	R 930-00
2(1)(g)	Late Entry Fee (exams)	R 1 070-00
2(1)(r)	Licence Fee (private practice) (pending promulgation of regulations)	Pending
2(1)(s)	Registration Fee (additional qualification)	R 460-00

Section of the regulations	Description	Amount (including VAT)
2(1)(t)	Registration Fee (assessors, moderators and verifiers)	R 230-00
2(1)(u)	Registration Fee (learner)	R 290-00
2(1)(v)	Registration Fee (practitioner)/category	R 790-00
2(1)(w)	Registration Fee (section 56 registration) (pending promulgation of regulations)	Pending
2(1)(x)	Marking Fee (exam paper)	R 1 020-00
2(1)(aa)	Transcript of Training Fee	R 2 330.00
2(1)(bb)	Verification Fee	R 2 330-00

Fees Payable by Institutions and Other Fees will be applicable from 1 January 2023.



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 DATE: 11-03-2022