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Teachers' (NSW Health Early Childhood Service Centres) Salaries and Miscellaneous Conditions Award 2024

The IEU and HSU attended a meeting with the Ministry of Health on 15 April 2025 regarding the *Teachers'* (*NSW Health Early Childhood Service Centres*) Salaries and Miscellaneous Conditions Award. We continue to work together to translocate the Director's and Educational Leader's allowances to the three levels in the *Educational Services (Teachers) Award* to facilitate funded increases to these allowances. As a result of these reassuring discussions, we expect to reach agreement with the Ministry on a new industrial instrument imminently, by 5 May 2025.

The Ministry have commenced work on a second document that will enable Local Health Districts to make an application for the Early Childhood Worker Retention Grant (ECWRG); funded pay increases for teachers and educators employed in health centres.

Next steps

We will update members again on any progress in the coming weeks. The next hearing is scheduled on 5 May 2025 at the NSW IRC. If you have any questions, please contact Lisa James: lisa@ieu.asn.au.

Your union membership

The union continues to work towards our goal for teachers to receive the 15% Commonwealth-funded increases and higher allowances. We need teachers in LHD centres to join the IEU and help us to secure higher pay for teachers in hospital centres.

Please encourage your teacher colleagues to join the union!

