

Infectious Cleaning Allowance & Cribbing Away

Infectious Cleaning Allowance

The HSU was in the Commission on Tuesday, responding to the Ministry's application to prevent members employed under the *Health Employees Conditions of Employment Award* from refusing to undertake infectious cleaning duties.

The HSU will argue that if you have to perform these duties, you should be paid the allowance. The hearing date is tomorrow, Friday the 6th of July. We strongly encourage members who are available to come down and show the Commissioner how seriously we take this issue. **Please meet at 10am, Courtroom 5.2, Industrial Relations Commission, 47 Bridge St, Sydney.** If you have any questions or concerns, contact James Fox on james.fox@hsu.asn.au for more details.

Cribbing Away

The HSU was in the Commission on Wednesday pursuing the Crib Away Allowance. We have received some detailed information from the Ministry about the employee related costs and cost savings to help advance our application.

The HSU will be back in the Commission on the 11th of July to attempt to reach an agreement on the allowance in light of this new information.

We are pushing to have the 2.5% pay increase for 2017/18 processed while we continue with the allowance claim.

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