

1st period of 0 – 12 months of 1 – 1680 hours and satisfactory progress* at 45% of the skilled rate.

2nd period of 13 – 24 months of 1681 – 3360 hours and satisfactory progress* and at least 24 hours of unpaid related instruction at 50% of the skilled rate.

3rd period of 25 – 36 months of 3361 – 5040 hours and satisfactory progress* and at least 48 hours of unpaid related instruction at 60% of the skilled rate.

4th period of 37 – 48 months of 5041 – 6720 hours and satisfactory progress* and at least 72 hours of unpaid related instruction at 70% of the skilled rate.

5th period of 49 – 60 months of 6721 – 8400 hours and satisfactory progress* and at least 96 hours of unpaid related instruction at 75% of the skilled rate.

*Satisfactory progress is defined as completing the minimum on the job hours; satisfactory progress on the job; satisfactory progress in paid related instruction and unpaid related instruction; current in first aid and CPR; and compliance with the record keeping policy.

Firms that work outside the normal geographic areas where there is a higher skilled wage; the employer must use the higher skilled wage rate for determining apprentice wages while working in the higher rate area.