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## **BASIC CORRECTIONS TRAINING PROGRAM (BCTP) REIMBURSEMENT RATES**

Pursuant to [Title 25, §2808-A: Sharing of training costs](#), the MCJA Board of Trustees is publishing the BCTP reimbursement rates for 2025 which are adjusted annually based on the Consumer Price Index-All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) – Northeast Region (TABLE 1, below).

<b>TABLE 1</b>	<b>2020</b>	<b>2021</b>	<b>2022</b>	<b>2023</b>	<b>2024</b>	<b>2025</b>
<b>Time elapsed since BCTP Graduation</b>	1.5% increase	6% increase	6.5% increase	2.6% increase	3.5% increase	3.3% increase
<b>During 1<sup>st</sup> year</b>	\$ 10,150	\$ 10,759	\$ 11,458	\$ 11,756	\$ 12,062	\$ 12,460
<b>During 2<sup>nd</sup> year</b>	\$ 8,120	\$ 8,607	\$ 9,166	\$ 9,405	\$ 9,650	\$ 9,968
<b>During 3<sup>rd</sup> year</b>	\$ 6,090	\$ 6,455	\$ 6,875	\$ 7,053	\$ 7,236	\$ 7,475
<b>During 4<sup>th</sup> year</b>	\$ 4,060	\$ 4,303	\$ 4,583	\$ 4,702	\$ 4,824	\$ 4,983
<b>During 5<sup>th</sup> year</b>	\$ 2,030	\$ 2,151	\$ 2,291	\$ 2,350	\$ 2,411	\$ 2,491

When calculating which rate to use, determine the officer's BCTP graduation date and use the reimbursement rates for that year.

Calculate how much time has elapsed since the officer's BCTP graduation from the officer's date of hire at the new agency to determine which amount is required for reimbursement.

### **EXAMPLE:**

Officer X graduated from the BCTP on 12/15/2024. **Rate used is 2024**

Officer X's hire date for the new agency is 01/17/2026. **Time elapsed is 1 year, 1 month and 2 days, which is during the 2<sup>nd</sup> year from BCTP graduation. Reimbursement rate is \$9,650 (see below table.)**



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BCTP Graduation 12/15/2024	
New agency hire date is between:	2024 3.5% increase
1 (12/15/2024 to 12/14/2025)	\$ 12,062
2 (12/15/2025 to 12/14/2026)	\$ 9,650
3 (12/15/2026 to 12/14/2027)	\$ 7,236
4 (12/15/2027 to 12/14/2028)	\$ 4,824
5 (12/15/2028 to 12/14/2029)	\$ 2,411

Reimbursement rates for 2026 will be established by the Board of Trustees at the January 2027 meeting. During 2026, any graduates of 2026 BCTPs who are subsequently hired by another agency would be within the first year of graduation and would be a reimbursement at the full 2025 rate (\$12,460) until new rates for 2026 are established in 2027.

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