

**2015 Expert and Consultant Daily Wages  
Based on the OPM Salary Table 2015-GS  
Effective January 11, 2015**

The following is a table of compensation rates for Experts and Consultants identifying per diem rates based on the first and the tenth step of GS-13, GS-14, and GS-15. As in the past, we suggest the use of a rate that equates to the first step of the appropriate grade. With supporting documentation, a higher rate may be justified to match the private sector salary of the appointee.

<u>Per Diem Salary Scale</u>	<u>Daily Minimum</u>	<u>Daily Maximum</u>
GS-13 range \$73,115 - \$95,048	\$280.24	\$364.32
GS-14 range \$86,399 - \$112,319	\$331.20	\$430.56
GS-15 range \$101,630 - \$132,122	\$389.60	\$506.48

**NOTE:** The process of increasing the pay of an Expert or Consultant is not automatic and requires the submission of a Request for Personnel Action, SF-52.