

**2020 Expert and Consultant Daily Wages
Based on the OPM Salary Table 2020-GS
Effective January 5, 2020**

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 \$78,681 - \$102,288	\$301.60	\$392.08
GS-14 range \$92,977 - \$120,868	\$356.40	\$463.28
GS-15 range \$109,366 - \$142,180	\$419.20	\$545.04

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.