



## **FEE FOR PROVISION OF DATA FROM THE VICTORIAN STATE TRAUMA REGISTRY**

- The Victorian State Trauma Registry is a valuable source of data about major trauma patients in Victoria. Access to the data, and requests for data from the VSTORM database are subject to strict access guidelines (Guidelines for Access to Data Collected by the Victorian Major Trauma Registry).
- All data summaries and analyses provided by VSTORM will incur a fee to cover the costs for staff to undertake this work.
- The minimum charge per hour of work (or part thereof) is \$100. Thus, a data analysis/report requiring 1 and a half hours of VSTORM time will be charged at \$150.
- The fee of \$100 per hour (or part thereof) is for basic tabulations and data extractions only. When more detailed analysis of data is required (e.g. statistical comparisons, statistical modelling, etc.), this will need to be charged at a high rate.
- GST (10%) is also payable and the overall charge per hour (or part thereof) is therefore \$110 for a standard analysis
- Upon receipt of a data analysis request, VSTORM will send the data requester a cost estimate to undertake the work. This will normally be within 2 weeks of receipt of the request. All data requesters must agree to these costs (in writing) before any data request can be met.
- See also Acknowledgement and Authorship (see Acknowledgment and Authorship).