

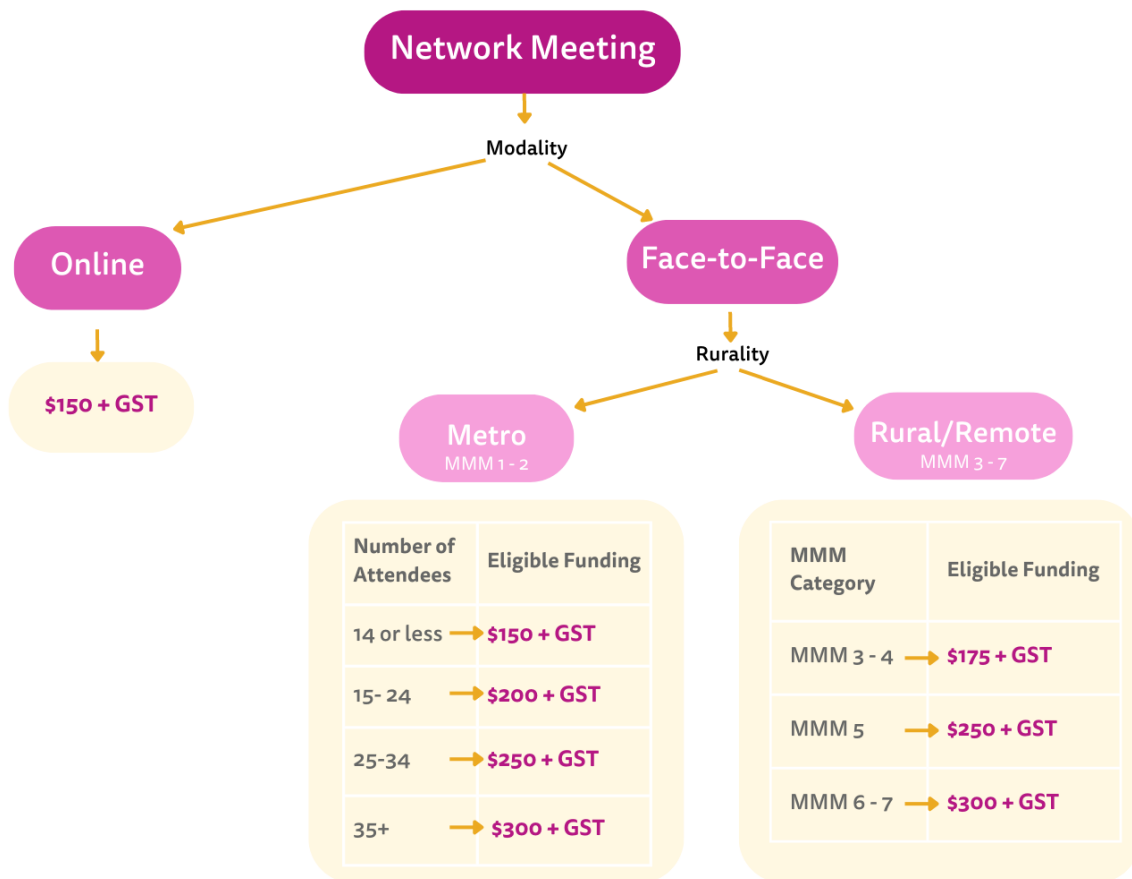


Meeting Funding 2023/24

Key points:

- In the 2023/24 financial year, every MHPN Network meeting will be eligible for a minimum of \$150 + GST funding, for up to four meetings per financial year, per network.
- The amount may increase depending on meeting modality (face-to-face), rurality of the network, or number of in-person attendees.
- Funding from financial year to financial year does not roll over.

Meeting Funding



Online Meetings

All online meetings, regardless if held by a 'Local' or 'State/National' network, will receive **\$150 + GST funding per meeting**, up to four times per financial year, for each network.

Face-to-Face Meetings

Funding for Face-to-Face meetings is determined by rurality or attendance numbers.

Metropolitan Networks (MMM 1 – 2)

Metro Networks (MMM 1-2) meeting face-to-face are eligible for further funding based on number of attendees*.

No of Attendees	Eligible Funding
14 or less	\$150 + GST
15- 24	\$200 + GST
25-34	\$250 + GST
35+	\$300 + GST

*if the meeting is hybrid, funding will be calculated based on the in-person attendees only.

Rural and Remote Networks (MMM 3 – 7)

Rural and Remote Networks (MMM 3-7) that meet face-to-face are eligible for further funding based on the Modified Monash category of the network location.

Modified Monash Category	Eligible Funding
MMM 3 - 4	\$175 + GST
MMM 5	\$250 + GST
MMM 6-7	\$300 + GST

Additional Funding Initiatives

Guest Speaker Funding

Networks who have met at least 50% face-to-face for the past 12 months are eligible for an annual \$400 + GST Guest Speaker Funding on top of network meeting funding. This can be used across one or multiple meetings during the financial year.

The guest speaker must have a qualification or equivalent experience working within Mental Health to qualify for the funding. They can be from any mental health or related discipline.

Funds from this initiative can only be used towards guest speaker costs, and cannot be used for other meetings costs (e.g. venue or catering).

Quarterly Photo Competition

Share some meeting photos on social media or submit them to MHPN via this [Google Form](#) to go in the draw to win an extra \$100 towards a future meeting! All entries are shared on the [Network Highlights](#) page on the MHPN website.

The \$100 prize will be drawn at the start of each quarter (January, April, July, October), and can be used for venue hire/catering, presenters/guest speakers, or donated to a charity of the network's choice, if you prefer.

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