

## Award Modernisation

### What is Award Modernisation?

As part of the new Fair Work Australia (FWA) legislation, the Australian Industrial Relations Commission (AIRC) is creating a new system of modern awards that will streamline and simplify the many awards that currently apply to the Australian workforce. The new awards will have national coverage across industry and occupational lines and will replace the current federal and state awards. Currently 2420 awards exist; this will be reduced to around 121 modern awards.

To view the Modern Awards or to find more information please go to:

- [Fair Work Australia – Modern Awards](#)
- [Fair Work Australia – Information Statement](#)

