1. PURPOSE AND SCOPE
This policy details the awarding of the SA State Committee Award Medal called the Sir Henry Newland Award.

2. KEYWORDS
Henry Newland, award, distinguished service, recognition of achievement.

3. BODY OF POLICY

3.1. Background
This is an award of the South Australian State Committee in recognition of achievement. Sir Henry Newland was an eminent surgeon and the Chairman of the Royal Australasian College of Surgeons’ South Australian State Committee from 1939-1942.

The Award is in the form of a Medal with an accompanying certificate.

The award can be made to SA based Trainees, IMGs and Fellows, medical practitioners or members of the public and is awarded at the discretion of the SA State Committee.

The Committee can award up to three awards each year and these are presented at the SA Annual Scientific Meeting or at the SA State Committee Dinner.

3.2. Criteria
3.2.1 For the best overall presentation at a SA Trainee or Fellowship meeting
3.2.2 For distinguished service to surgery in SA.
This category is open to:
- Fellows of the College
- Other Medical Practitioners
- Members of the Public

3.3. Medal
The Medal is engraved with the name of the award, recipients name and the date.

3.4. Budget
The Regional Office budgets for the medals and certificates. If the medal is awarded at the SA State Committee dinner, the recipient and partner are guests of the College.

3.5. Associated Documents
Sir Henry Newland Award Procedure
Approver: CEO
Authoriser: Council