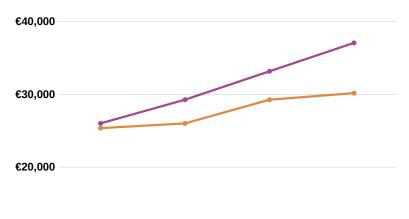
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## **SUPPORT STAFF**



€10,000



**Orange line** indicates the minimum salary that should be on offer for support dental professionals the **purple line** indicates the maximum.

For each years experience below we should all be trying to work off the minimum salary rather than the maximum salary **however** on occasion we may be working with a dental professional who for example has two years' experience and will not consider the minimum salary of €26,000, but we know is an exceptional dental professional. This is when we may have to consider the maximum salary e i.e. €29,950 = €15ph. The higher end should only to be considered for an exceptional application.

## **Irish Dental Jobs Pay-Scale**

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All hygienists are hired on an employee basis

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You can always offer over and above what the current salary trend is, that is your prerogative! This is a good way to prevent the person going for further interviews, it is also a good incentive to maintain existing staff, however it should only be offered to those who have the relevant experience and background.



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