



# Septic Tank Cleanout Fees & Charges 2025/26

## Septic tanks

### Standard cleanout

Performed within three (3) full working days

Tank capacity	Pre-paid charge
up to 6,000 litres	\$725.00
between 6,000 & 8,000 litres	\$915.00

### EMERGENCY cleanout

Performed within 24 hours

Tank capacity	Pre-paid charge
up to 6,000 litres	\$1,175.00
between 6,000 & 8,000 litres	\$1,365.00

## Aerated wastewater treatment systems

### Standard cleanout

Performed within three (3) full working days

Tank capacity	Pre-paid charge
up to 8,000 litres	\$915.00

### EMERGENCY cleanout

Performed within 24 hours

Tank capacity	Pre-paid charge
up to 8,000 litres	\$1,365.00

Request service online:  
[www.shoalwater.nsw.gov.au](http://www.shoalwater.nsw.gov.au)

## Non-standard systems or systems greater than 8,000 litres

Cleanouts or emergency cleanouts can be performed.

weekdays	\$395.00 per hour yard to yard
weekend/pub hol.	\$450.00 per hour yard to yard

**Invoice fee:** minimum 2 hour charge plus \$5.65 per 1000 litres removed.  
 Emergency fee - additional \$450.