From 6 April 2017, the Tier 2 minimum ‘experienced rate’ will increase from £25,000 to £30,000. This represents the absolute minimum salary an individual must receive if they are classed as an ‘experienced’ worker in order to be eligible for a Tier 2 visa.

The minimum salary criteria is now one of the most complex areas in Tier 2, and whether or not the ‘experienced rate’ applies to a certain individual, will depend on a range of factors. The flowchart below will assist you in determining which rate will apply.