

STaR Core Service Cost List – External Member Pricing

Prices effective July 1, 2023 and subject to change

Cell Culture Services

Normal human foreskin acquisition fee	\$208.49
Culture initiation fee (per donor/cell type, up to five culture vessels)	\$74.25
Custom primary skin cell culture request - eg. diseased tissues	\$438.46
Passaging fee - 6 well	\$32.13
Passaging fee - 6 well with coverslip	\$38.08
Passaging fee - 12 well	\$30.35
Passaging fee - 12 well with coverslip	\$38.08
Passaging fee - 24 well	\$30.35
Passaging fee - T25	\$30.33
Passaging fee - T75	\$33.87
Passaging fee - 3.5 cm	\$30.32
Passaging fee - 6 cm	\$30.33
Passaging fee - 10 cm	\$32.13
Passaging fee - 2 chamber slide	\$32.13
Passaging fee - 2 chamber slide coverglasss	\$33.47
Passaging fee - 8 chamber slide	\$33.47
50ml media for primary mouse skin cell culture	\$63.73
Frozen cells - primary human fibroblasts	\$336.81
Frozen cells - primary human keratinocytes	\$276.35
Fee to ship frozen cells (per order) - packaging and handling	\$136.50
Shipping charges – determined by vendor, may be paid directly by investigator via	
account	market
Normal human dermis: isolated from neonatal foreskin by dispase	\$120.94
Training - Primary human skin cell culture	\$865.02
Training - Primary mouse skin cell derivation and culture	\$1,334.24

Normal human neonatal/adult skin, BCC, SCC (for research that does NOT fall under the NIH GDS policy)

Skin handling fee - Normal neonatal human foreskin	\$102.38
Skin handling fee - Normal human dermis: isolated from neonatal foreskin by dispase	
Skin handling fee - Normal adult human (typically 2x 8-10 mm2 skin sections)	
Skin handling fee - basal or squamous cell carcinoma	\$102.38

Normal human skin/BCC/SCC (GDS compliant)

Skin procurement fee - Normal adult human (typically 2x 8-10 mm2 skin sections)	\$386.65
Skin procurement fee - basal or squamous cell carcinoma	\$386.65

Prospective biopsy of normal and diseased human skin

Diseased human skin study planning (required for all biopsy requests)	\$572.80
Punch Biopsy procedure (each)	\$294.00

Organotypic Culture Services

Training: organotypic Culture (reagents included)	\$853.13
Devitalized dermis – full section	\$1,072.50
Devitalized dermis – individual pieces for organotypic cultures (each)	\$55.25

Xenograft Services – Organotypic and Human Skin Models

Study Consultation		\$426.56
Study set up fee		\$138.26
Immunodeficient mice: mice are procured from approved university vendors including		market
Jax, Taconic, and Charles River. Pricing varies based on vendor, strain, sex, and age of		1
the mice. We will work with you and provide estimates at time of consultation.		
Per diem cage charges – prices vary based on housing and BLS2 level, FY23 per diem		1
rates are listed below for reference:		1
Mouse Small Mouse Barrier	\$1.74	1
Mouse Small Mouse Barrier – BLSB2	\$1.11	
Mouse Single (prior approval required)	\$2.68	1
Mouse Single – BLS2 (prior approval required)	\$1.61	
Grafting engineered skin tissues onto an immunodeficient mouse		\$253.58
Placement of Normal human skin xenograft on immunodeficient mouse		\$253.58
Mouse monitoring (hourly rate)		\$72.57
Additional study treatments (hourly rate); reagents billed separately		\$72.57
Palliative care provided by ULAR or other additional ULAR charges will be assessed at		market
ULAR's service rates.		