

Upright Open MRI Scanning Rates - effective 15 December 2017

Service	CHHM Member Research	External Academic Research	Industry Research
	\$0 or nominal charge	\$250	\$500
CHHM Research Support Services (optional)			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Initial Project Consultation (maximum of 3 hours) 			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ CHHM Research Staff: Study set-up and coordination (e.g. ethics application, participant recruitment) (*in addition to MR scanning rates) 	\$30/hour*	\$45/hour*	\$100/hour*
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ CHHM Imaging Specialist: MR Study Design, Protocol Expertise, Image Analysis (*in addition to MR scanning rates) 	\$100/hour*	\$100/hour*	\$200/hour*
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Technical Development Rate: Must be applied for before scanning begins. Awarded for developing MR protocols which expand the capabilities of the MR scanner (3 hrs maximum) 	No charge	No charge	N/A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Pilot Rate: Must be applied for before scanning begins. Awarded to studies with novel and challenging imaging and positioning protocols. **pilot rate ends when participant scanning begins. Unused pilot hours cannot be transferred to participant scanning or to another study) 	\$100/hour Max 3 hours**	\$100/hour Max 3 hours**	Negotiated for each study Max 3 hours**
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Standard Rate: For most studies, including peer-reviewed funded studies 	\$525/hour	\$525/hour	Negotiated for each study
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Overtime Rate: For studies requiring an MR technologist outside of regular business hours (M-F, 8am-4pm) 	Add \$100/hour	Add \$100/hour	Add \$200/hour
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Cancellations: with minimum of 5 working days notice 	No charge		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Cancellations: with less than 5 working days notice 	Each hour charged at the applicable rate		

Notes:

- Scanning rates include a certified MRI technologist to operate the scanner.
- All studies must have 1 researcher or research assistant present during all scanning, to be responsible for the research informed consent process, to oversee the study scanning and positioning protocols, and any other research-specific tasks.
- The technical development rate and/or the pilot rate must be applied for before study scanning begins. We assess these requests on a study by study basis.