



# INDIANA UNIVERSITY

OFFICE OF THE VICE PRESIDENT FOR RESEARCH  
Office of Research Compliance

August 1, 2018

RE: IRB Fee Schedule

Research sponsored by industry or other for-profit companies is administered a fee by the Office of Research Compliance for Institutional Review Board (IRB) review. Effective January 1, 2018, the fee schedule for IRB review is as follows:

Type of Item	Level of Review	Description	2010 Fee (effective April 1, 2010)	2018 Fee (effective January 1, 2018)
New Study	Full Board	New study requiring review by the convened IRB	\$2500	\$2500
New Study	Expedited	New study not requiring review by the convened IRB, but which meets applicability for expedited review	\$2000	\$2500
New Study	Exempt	New study exempt from IRB review	N/A	\$500
Continuing Review	Full Board	Annual review of research by the convened IRB	\$500	\$1000
Continuing Review	Expedited	Annual review of research by expedited means	N/A	\$1000
Amendment	Full Board	Change in research requiring review by the convened IRB	\$500	\$500
Amendment	Expedited	Change in research reviewed by expedited means	N/A	\$500
New Study, Reliance on External IRB (Reliance Request)	Administrative Review	New study requiring administrative review by IU IRB staff for protocols reviewed by an external IRB	\$500	\$1000

The fee applies to for-profit sponsored projects involving human subjects, or when negotiated. Contracts that were negotiated prior to January 1, 2018, will be subject to the previous IRB Fee Policy (effective April 1, 2010). Indirect costs will not be calculated on the IRB Review Fee. The fee does not apply if the project recovers full indirect costs at the federally negotiated rate. Investigators and/or departments are responsible for payment of the IRB Review Fee if the sponsor does not ultimately reimburse this fee.

**Effective August 1, 2018**, studies subject to the NIH sIRB policy when IU is serving as the single IRB will be subject to a \$2500 fee (direct cost) for review of *each* non-IU study site.

We do not anticipate exceptions to the applicability of this fee; however, in rare occasions and under exceptional circumstances, a request for a fee waiver/reduction may be made in writing directly to the University Director, Human Research Protection Program at [bwinnie@iu.edu](mailto:bwinnie@iu.edu).

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