

University of Wisconsin-Madison IRB Fee Policy

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IRB Review Fees

The UW-Madison charges IRB review fees for non-exempt human subjects research as follows:

Reviewing IRB	Funding Source	Description of Review	Fee
UW-Madison IRB review for UW-Madison investigator-initiated studies	<ul style="list-style-type: none">FederalPrivate FoundationUW-Madison internally fundedOther non-industry	All review types	\$ 0
UW-Madison IRB review for industry sponsored research (does not include studies with limited industry involvement, such as solely providing a drug or device for a study)	Industry	Initial review	\$ 2344
		Continuing Review	\$ 1134
		Amendments (changes of protocol), excluding personnel changes that do not involve updates to the Principal Investigator	\$ 313
*Independent (commercial) IRB	Industry	UW-Madison institutional compliance review at the time IRB oversight is ceded	\$ 2000

* Studies that the UW-Madison cedes to independent IRBs are subject to the fee schedule of the independent IRBs. In addition, the UW Madison will charge the independent (commercial) IRB fee found in the above table. The institutional compliance review fee covers the costs incurred by the UW-Madison to ensure compliance with institutional requirements for human subjects research and to provide any necessary applicable local considerations to the reviewing IRB. Generally, independent IRBs will bill study sponsors directly for their review fees. However, the one-time UW-Madison institutional compliance review fee (see table) will be billed directly to research teams and should be included in study budgets.

Please note:

- When the UW-Madison cedes review to other institutions (e.g., universities), the institutions that provide IRB oversight may charge our researchers for that review. Please check with the proposed Reviewing IRB to determine whether any IRB reviews fees should be included in any grant or other budget.
- When a UW-Madison IRB serves as the Reviewing IRB, fees will not be assessed for applications for the non-research use of Humanitarian Use Devices, single patient IND or IDE, or emergent use of a test article.
- The UW-Madison IRB will not charge fees when serving as the IRB for multi-site single IRB projects with federal funding.
- The UW-Madison IRB will not charge an individual fee for human subjects research studies that fall under the Madison VA purview.
- In certain limited circumstances, the UW-Madison provides IRB services for institutions that are closely aligned with its mission (e.g., WiCell and Morgridge Research Institute). Fees comparable to UW-Madison review for industry sponsored research may apply when these institutions are not collaborating with UW-Madison faculty or staff.

For questions about the IRB fee policy, please email vcrge@research.wisc.edu