

University of Louisville  
 Comparative Medicine Research Unit  
 Per Diem, Service, and Facility Rates  
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Species	Rate
Mouse - standard microisolator	\$1.21
Mouse - Quarantine	\$1.84
Rat	\$0.80
Hamster	\$1.21
Guinea Pig	\$1.91
Rabbit	\$3.25
Dog	\$13.20
Cat	\$7.21
Ferret	\$6.90
Pig < 80#	\$12.55
Pig > 80#	\$18.54
Sheep	\$20.55
Calf	\$20.53
Goat	\$20.53
Other Charges	Rate
Veterinarian	\$26.72/quarter hour (\$106.88/hr)
Veterinary Technician	\$10.70/quarter hour (\$42.80/hr)
Critical Care Technician	\$5.74/quarter hour (\$22.96/hr)
CMRU Technician	\$7.34/quarter hour (\$29.36/hr)
Operating Room	\$69.51/half day(RRC); \$210.30/full day(CII)
OR Sterile - LSB	\$140.84/full day
Necropsy Room	\$42.77/half day(RRC); \$53.46/half day(CII)
Wet/Lab	\$42.77/half day(RRC)
Imaging Services	\$210.30/full day
ICU - Post OP	\$17.81 (RRC/CII)
ICU - Overnight	\$35.20 (RRC/CII)
Prep Room	\$40.99/half day(RRC); \$53.46/half day (CII)
Administrative Fee on Medical Services and Supplies	15%
Administrative Fee on Animal Orders	15% or \$5.00 per animal, whichever is lower, rodents only
Telephone/Ethernet Connections	The CMRU currently will pay for the physical installation. Activation and monthly charges are generally the responsibility of the PI, special arrangements may be made for multiple users.
When preparing grant applications, please budget for a 3% annual increase in per diem rates	