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### **Indirect Rate Policy**

Indiana University uses a standard indirect cost rate for all industry-funded clinical trials. This rate is applied to total costs; there are no exclusions. A separate IRB fee is also charged for all industry-funded clinical trials and is not subject to the indirect cost rate.

As an institution, Indiana University consistently uses the same policy of applying indirect costs for all items regardless if they are listed under the per patient/subject grid for a clinical trial, or if they are listed as an invoiceable item. When the funds are expended for clinical trial procedures, salaries, service, etc., the indirect cost rate is applied to each transaction.

### **Change in indirect rate for industry-funded clinical trials**

Please be advised that Indiana University has changed its indirect rate for industry sponsored clinical trials. The new indirect rate of twenty-seven percent (27%) for newly submitted, industry-funded, clinical trials involving human subjects went into effect on January 1, 2012.

The Indirect Rate Policy above remains unchanged.

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