

**Current rates for services offered through the Waisman Center Rodent Models Core**  
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The Waisman Center may offer some level of subsidy depending on your grant sponsor and whether your grant is administered by the Waisman Center. For questions regarding services, please contact [Jules Panksepp](#). If you have any questions regarding your project's subsidy, please contact [Steve Marshall](#).

**HUSBANDRY**

Service	Rate	Unit
Mouse per diem – microisolation	\$0.95	per cage
Mouse per diem – Scid cage (with medicated feed)	\$2.50	per cage
Mouse per diem – behavior suite	\$1.45	per cage
Rat per diem – microisolation	\$2.23	per cage
Rat per diem – behavior suite	\$3.37	per cage
Tail sampling	\$1.75	per tail
Weaning	\$1.50	per cage
Culling	\$1.10	per cage
Unboxing rodents – incoming	\$10.00	per box
Shipping rodents – outgoing	\$21.00	per box
RMC staff technical assistance	\$23.00	per hour
Consultation – Panksepp (1 <sup>st</sup> hour free)	\$105.00	per hour

**BEHAVIOR TESTING**

Service	Rate	Unit
Mouse room reservation	\$23.00	per hour
Mouse room reservation – overnight	\$40.00	per night
Rat room reservation	\$23.00	per hour
Rat room reservation – overnight	\$40.00	per night
Med Associates wheel setup	\$23.00	per 20 wheels
Med Associates wheel cage change	\$6.75	per cage
Scurry wheel setup	\$23.00	per 10 wheels
Scurry wheel cage change	\$12.50	per cage
Behavioral training – Panksepp	\$105.00	per hour
Behavioral testing – Panksepp	\$105.00	per hour
Consultation – Panksepp (1 <sup>st</sup> hour free)	\$105.00	per hour