



Translational & Experimental Skin Testing with Immune Tracing and Informatics, and Technology Core (TEST IT²)

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TEST IT² Core C FY26 Rates

Code	Service	Unit	NU Base Rate	SBDRC Member Rate	External Academic Rate	External Commercial Rate
C.1	Consulting Services	per hour	\$ 105.00	\$ 82.95	\$ 168.00	\$ 210.00
C.2	Protocol Development	per hour	\$ 105.00	\$ 82.95	\$ 168.00	\$ 210.00
C.3	Patient Screening - Discard Collections	per patient	\$ 105.00	\$ 84.00	\$ 168.00	\$ 210.00
C.4	Patient Screening - Fresh Tissue Collections	per patient	\$ 63.00	\$ 52.50	\$ 100.80	\$ 210.00
C.5	Consenting	per patient	\$ 94.50	\$ 78.75	\$ 151.20	\$ 189.00
C.6	Blood Draw Coordination	per case	\$ 94.50	\$ 78.75	\$ 151.20	\$ 189.00
C.7	Tissue Biopsy Procedure	per case	\$ 113.40	\$ 94.50	\$ 181.44	\$ 288.75
C.8	Sample Procurement and Management	per patient visit	\$ 31.50	\$ 26.25	\$ 50.40	\$ 63.00
C.9	Skin Measurement Services (TEWL, Skin Caliper)	per 1/4 hour	\$ 22.05	\$ 18.38	\$ 35.28	\$ 44.10
C.10	Skin Sampling Services (Tape Strips, Skin Swabs, Skin Scrapes)	per 1/4 hour	\$ 31.50	\$ 26.25	\$ 50.40	\$ 63.00
C.11	Archived Tissue Data Search and Procurement	per 1/4 hour	\$ 37.80	\$ 31.50	\$ 60.48	\$ 75.60
C.12	Shipment Preparation	per shipment	\$ 57.96	\$ 48.30	\$ 92.74	\$ 115.92
C.13	Each Additional Tissue Biopsy Procedure (in addition to C.1.7)	per case	\$ 85.68	\$ 71.40	\$ 137.09	\$ 183.75
C.14	Tape Strip Extraction and Analysis (up to 12 tape strips from one lesion)	per unit	\$ 170.10	\$ 141.75	\$ 272.16	\$ 378.00
C.15	Tape Strip Extraction and Analysis Add On For Additional Strips (6 additional strips above C.1.14)	per unit	\$ 41.58	\$ 34.65	\$ 66.53	\$ 83.16
C.16	Olink Specimen Preparation and Data Analysis	per unit	\$ 189.00	\$ 157.50	\$ 302.40	\$ 630.00
C.17	Tissue Digestion and Processing into Cell Suspension	per unit	\$ 189.00	\$ 157.50	\$ 302.40	\$ 446.25
C.18	Immunobioinformatics and Immunobiostatistics Services	per hour	\$ 210.00	\$ 183.75	\$ 336.00	\$ 446.25

All SBDRC service orders are placed through the NU Core ordering system.

NU Core Login: https://nucore.northwestern.edu/users/sign_in

For questions or to obtain a NUCore login contact Melissa Vazquez at SBDRC-TESTIT@northwestern.edu

Prices listed are valid thru 08/31/2026 but are subject to change.