



Office of the Assistant Vice President for Research Administration

TO: Deans, Department Chairs and Research Administrators

SUBJECT: F&A Rates Applied to Proposals and Awards

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The University and the Department of Health and Human Services recently completed negotiation of the University's Facilities and Administrative (F&A) cost rate (formerly indirect cost). Beginning July 1, 2009, the on-grounds F&A rate will increase from 51.5% to 54%.

All projects that were funded at previously approved F&A rates are "grandfathered" until their renewal or next competitive submission. By May 1, 2009, all proposal budgets requesting new funding are to be prepared using the rates listed in the table below. Please contact Gerald Kane (gjk5y or 4-6142) with any questions about applying these rates.

Rate Type	July 1, 2008 – June 30, 2009	Beginning July 1, 2009 until amended
On Grounds Research	51.5%	54%
Off Grounds Research	26%	26%
On Grounds Other Sponsored Activity (public service)	32.8%	34%
Off Grounds Other Sponsored Activity (public service)	26%	26%
On Grounds, Instruction (teaching and training except for research training)	50%	52%
Off Grounds, Instruction (teaching and training except for research training)	26%	26%

Please note that clinical trial agreements will continue using the current rate of 25%.

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