



## FY18 Research Histology Core (RHC) Services and Fees

*Prices will increase by 3% per each fiscal year*

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The pricing structure listed below is effective as of January 1, 2018. Highly customized or non-standard projects may incur additional fees; please contact the RHC (histologycore@uthsc.edu) to schedule a consultation and to prepare a quote. Routine turnaround time is 7 business days; priority turnaround is 3 business days.

### **Paraffin Embedded Specimens:**

	<b><u>Routine:</u></b>	<b><u>Priority:</u></b>
Paraffin processing only (no embedding):	\$2.50/cassette	\$4.00/cassette
Paraffin process and embedding:	\$3.00/block	\$5.00/block
First unstained slide, paraffin block:	\$2.00/slide	\$3.50/slide
Additional unstained slides:	\$2.50/slide	\$3.00/slide
Unstained slides, levels requested*:	\$6.00/slide*	\$10.00/slide*

\*Levels- a request to cut one section, to then discard tissue, then to prepare another section from the same block.

Recut of previously faced paraffin block:	\$2.50/slide	\$3.75/slide
H&E staining of cut slides:	\$3.50/slide	\$5.25/slide
Other, special stains:	Please inquire	

-Investigators must bring sufficient slide trays or slide boxes for all of their cut slides, or they will be charged for slide trays and boxes by the core.

-Consultation for non-routine or difficult samples/projects should occur prior to sample submission.

### **Frozen Embedded Specimens:**

	<b><u>Routine:</u></b>	<b><u>Priority:</u></b>
Embedding specimens**:	\$9.00/block	\$16.00/block
Unstained, cryosectioned slides	\$5.00/slide	\$8.50/slide
H&E staining of cut slides:	\$3.50/slide	\$5.25/slide

- \*\*Assistance with embedding is provided ONLY by appointment in advance of sample submission. Investigators are encouraged to embed samples for cryosections independently.

-Investigators must bring sufficient slide trays or slide boxes for all of their cut slides, or they will be charged for slide trays and boxes by the core.

### **Supplies:**

Slide Box, 25-place:	\$15.00/box
Slide Box, 100-place:	\$20.00/box
Slide Tray, 20-place:	\$15.00/tray
Cassette/Block Tray:	\$15.00/tray

### **Consultation:**

\$30.00/hour

Applies to non-routine or special projects consultation, or for the evaluation of processed slides by the Scientific Director. Consultation related to experimental design should occur by appointment with the Scientific Director prior to sample submission, and is available at no charge.

**External users:** *Either routine or priority services are available.*

External, academic: Please contact the core for current pricing.

External, commercial: Please contact the core for current pricing.