

HSDRC Mouse Cost Recovery

The Harvard Skin Disease Research Center (HSDRC) was established in 1994 with funding from the National Institutes of Health. Our goal is to harness the talents of a group of outstanding investigators from throughout Harvard Medical School and its affiliated hospitals and research institutes toward understanding the cellular, molecular, and genetic mechanisms of skin disease.

Transgenic Mouse and Animal Models Core

During the past ten years, the HSDRC Transgenic Mouse and Animal Models Core has been successful in integrating transgenic technology into the study of the pathogenesis of skin diseases, so that this scientific approach is an easily accessible means of addressing the function of genes thought to be important in cutaneous biology. The Transgenic Models Core has been used heavily over by many investigators within the HSDRC and outside the HSDRC. Importantly, the Transgenic Models Core has led to the generation of over 100 characterized mouse strains that are now available for skin disease research.

Fee Schedule

- \$500.00 per mouse requested
- \$75.00 for domestic health certificates
- \$200.00 for international health certificates

Costs associated with any additional diagnostics required by the recipient facility are to be covered by the requester. An account number for a live-animal certified shipping company such as World Courier must be provided.

Checks can be made out in the full amount to Brigham and Women's Hospital Department of Dermatology.

All inquiries regarding payment can be made to Matthew Opperman at mopperman@partners.org.