

UAB NATHAN SHOCK CENTER CORE SERVICES

Comparative Organismal Energetics Core (Organismal Core)

This core provides consultation in methods and study design, training, expertise and state-of-the-art instrumentation to facilitate research on the role of whole animal energetics and metabolism in aging.

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What services are you interested in?

Dual---energy x---ray absorptiometry

Quantitative magnetic resonance

- Chemical carcass analysis
- Micro---computed tomography
- Indirect calorimetry (metabolism)
- Food consumption
- Activity monitoring
- Forced exercise
- Core body temperature

Fees

DXA small (for mice)	\$7.50
DXA large (250g to 120kg)	\$12.50
QMR (any size)	\$5
MicroCT or pQCT	\$75 per hour of scan time
Indirect calorimetry	\$5 per animal per day (min. \$15 for 2 day acclimation & 1 day measurement)
Indirect calorimetry (fish)	\$50/animal
Carcass analysis (mice)	\$25 per animal
Carcass analysis (rats)	\$50 per animal
Carcass analysis (fish)	\$15/sample
Wheel running cages	\$2 per animal per day
Forced exercise wheels	\$2 per animal per day
Temperature/activity transponders (Implantation)	\$15 per animal
Activity/body temperature measurements	\$2 per animal per day; \$25 per surgery for implantation
Bomb calorimetry	\$17.50 per sample

