

Newcastle Private Hospital Research Governance Fees

The following research governance fees apply to all research conducted at Newcastle Private Hospital:	
Initial Governance Review:	
Research project that is commercially sponsored	\$5000 + GST
Research project that is a collaborative group study, a not for profit entity, or a medical research institute / university	\$250 + GST
Investigator initiated research conducted by a NPH employee, an accredited specialist or a student under the supervision of an accredited specialist, which does not have external funding	Nil
Post Authorisation Governance Amendments* (<i>per submission</i>)	
Amendments or additions to an already approved research project - commercially sponsored	\$400 + GST

NB: Fees can be reviewed and/or waived at the discretion of the Newcastle Private Hospital (NPH) Research Governance Office.

- The above research governance fees have been set based on the resources required to review, monitor and manage a project and are comparable nationally with those imposed by similar organisations including our local health district.
- Once a NPH governance application, amendment or annual report form has been submitted, an invoice will be generated and sent to the nominated study contact for payment.
- If you require clarification regarding any of the above research governance fees, please contact the NPH Research Governance Office: NPHresearchgovernance@healthscope.com.au

*** Definitions:**

- Post Authorisation Governance Amendments – any submission made to the NPH Research Governance Office that requires review and approval. This can include (but is not limited to) updates to study protocols, investigator brochures, any changes made to PICF's, submission of safety reports and any administrative documents (including annual progress reports).