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To:

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From:

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Subject:

IRB Review Fee of New Sponsored Research Protocols

Effective November 1, 2019, the IRB's fee for review of new sponsored research protocols will increase from \$3,000 to \$5,000.

The fee was last increased February 2012. Note that while other institutions in the area charge separate fees for initial review, annual continuing review, and amendments, the IRB at Wills Eye Hospital will continue to charge a one-time fee to cover the life of the study.

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