

## **BADGE QUESTIONS & DOSE REPORT**

**Q: What is the control badge and will I be charged for it?**

A: The control badge, whole body and/or ring are used to subtract any radiation dose received to the package during transit to and from our manufacturer's facility. You're not charged for it as long as it's returned at the end of each monitoring period.

**Q: What does the state require I have whole body badge monitoring for?**

A: Texas requires badge monitoring for open-beam X-Ray machines and all other Non-Minimal Threat devices.

\*For all other states -- contact your State Regulatory Agency.

**Q: Do I have to have both a whole body badge and a ring?**

A: Texas – YES. Here is a link regarding Texas Regulations 25 TAC 289.228(h)(3)(A), : <http://www.dshs.state.tx.us/radiation/rules.shtm>

\*For all other states – contact your State Regulatory Agency.

**Q: How long does it take to receive my badges?**

A: 10-14 business days unless requested otherwise

\*Next Day shipment is available for \$100.00

\*2-Day shipment is available for \$75.00

**Q: When do I get my dose report?**

A: After the badges and/or rings are received at our manufacturer's facility in CA, you'll receive an exposure report in a regular envelope via USPS from Mirion Technologies (GDS) Inc. within 4 to 6 weeks.

**Q: What do I do if I lose my badge?**

A: Request a replacement badge, Refer to [Adding and/or Deleting Participants](#) on Dosimetry Instructions page.

\*Lost Badges are \$25.00 per wear period.

## **RETURN FEES & QUESTIONS**

**Q: What is the non-return fee?**

A: Should a badge and/or ring not be returned within 90 days after the end of the monitoring date, there is a \$25.00 non return fee per badge and/or ring including the control.

**Q: When do I return my badges?**

A: You should return all participant badges immediately at the end of each monitoring period; however you have a 90 day window after each monitoring period to send them in for analysis.