

CBI Scheduling Policy for Prisma 3T

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	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
8:00						
8:30						
9:00		Off Peak Time				
9:30						
10:00						
10:30						
11:00						
11:30						
12:00						
12:30						
1:00		Prime Time				
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3:30		JIT		JIT	JIT	
4:00						
4:30						
5:00						
5:30						
6:00						
6:30		Off Peak Time				
7:00						
7:30						
8:00						
8:30						

PRIME TIME	JUST-IN-TIME (JIT)	OFF-PEAK TIME
Mon & Wed, 10:00am - 5:00pm; Tue, Thur & Fri, 10:00am - 3:30pm	Tue, Thur, & Fri, 3:30 – 5:00pm	Mon - Fri, 8:30 - 10:00 am Mon - Fri, 5:00 - 8:00 pm Sat, 9:00 am – 6:00 pm
Maximum of two bookings per week per study. ¹	Maximum of two (Prime Time + Just-In-Time) bookings per week per approved study. ¹	No limits on scheduling billable scans.
Can only be used for billable scans. ¹	Can only be used for billable scans. ²	Max of 2 hours of Dev Time per week per PI. ^{4,5}
	Requires preapproval to utilize. ³	

- 1) Any scan that begins or ends during Prime Time and JIT hours will count toward the two bookings/week limit. If not booked within one week of table time, Prime Time slots will be made available to any study. If JIT slots are not booked within 72 hours of table time, these will be made available to any billable study. The use of scan time under these conditions will not count toward weekly booking limits for billable studies.
- 2) Just-In-Time may also be used for Development Time, but only if scheduled on the same day as the scan.
- 3) Approval may be requested by emailing cbi@musc.edu. Your request must explain why your protocol needs Just-In-Time scheduling based upon the specific requirements of your protocol and not just a desire to use this mechanism for the sake of convenience.
- 4) PI must be approved by CBI. More information may be obtained by emailing cbi@musc.edu.
- 5) Two-hour weekly limit on Development Time also includes time scheduled under notes 1) and 2) above.

GENERAL POLICIES

- Funded projects have priority over unfunded projects for scheduling.
- Use of interview rooms is restricted to pre-scan and post-scan screenings and assessments conducted on the same day as an associated MRI. Scheduling for interview room use must be made through Calpendo.
- To set up a new study for use with Calpendo, please email cbi@musc.edu.
- Routinely running past the scheduled scan time is not allowed. If a protocol cannot be completed within the scheduled time, additional time must be added. Scans going beyond their scheduled time are subject to termination at the discretion of the CBI staff. It is strongly recommended that researchers arrive at the MRI facility with their subjects at least 10 minutes before their scan is scheduled to begin.
- Scans are billed according to the time booked on Calpendo. Typically, this should be at least the protocol scan time + ten minutes. These extra 10 minutes account for subject positioning, shimming and functional task instructions. For studies using BioPac, the scan time should be increased by an additional 5 minutes for set up. For studies performing spectroscopy, the billed scan should be increased by an additional 10 minutes per region for voxel placement, fastest map and manual shimming. For studies using the eye tracker, the scan time should be increased an additional 10 minutes for set up. In all cases, it is the investigators' responsibility to be sure that sufficient time is reserved to complete their scans. Testing of protocols prior to acquiring data for study participants is highly recommended.
- Adherence to the scheduling policy is the responsibility of all investigators using CBI resources. Any slots booked in violation of the scheduling policy are subject to immediate cancellation.