

**BioNEST-BHU**  
**Rate List for Individual Equipment's Usage**

<b>S. No.</b>	<b>Name of Equipment</b>	<b>User Charges in Rupees</b>
1.	Biosafety Cabinet BSL2	150/hour
2.	Laminar Air Flow	100/hour
3.	Autoclave	150/hour
4.	Incubator Shaker	50/flask/day
5.	CO <sub>2</sub> Incubator	200/tray/day
6.	High-Capacity Refrigerated Centrifuge	150/hour
7.	Micro Centrifuges (Refrigerated)	100/hour
8.	NanoDrop	150/hour
9.	Thermocycler (PCR)	300/Run
10.	Gel Doc Imaging System	50/usage
11.	UV-Visible Spectrophotometer	100/hour
12.	Sonicator	150/hour
13.	Microscope	150/hour
14.	Lyophilizer	75/hour
15.	Horizontal Gel Electrophoresis System	150/Run
16.	Vertical Gel Electrophoresis System	150/Run
17.	Bacteriological Incubator	100/10 plate/24 hour

**ELIGIBILITY**

The BioNEST-BHU Labs shall be available for carrying out lab work related to science, technology, entrepreneurship, business/venture development, education and other related activities.

**PAYMENT TERMS**

1. Reservation and bookings shall be strictly against payment of full amount applicable.
2. Payment is acceptable by DD, cheque payable in Varanasi, online payment or could be deposited directly into the bank account of BioNEST-BHU.
3. Booking once made shall not be transferrable or payment made thereof shall be non-refundable.
4. Special discounts can be made depending on the commercial potential of projects.

**USAGE TERMS**

1. User shall ensure that the Labs including the Instruments and all the surrounding area shall be used properly and not damaged in any way and that the area is left clean at the time of handing over the room back to the authorized representative of BioNEST-BHU.

2. Any damage to the property, equipment, and accessories in the Labs of BioNEST-BHU shall be made up as per the prevailing costs without any objection by the user.
3. This terms sheet is applicable for Lab services only during official working hours.
4. BioNEST-BHU reserves the right to deny the use of its services at its sole discretion, without providing any reason whatsoever. In case of scheduling conflicts, BioNEST-BHU will be the sole and final authority.
5. All Users of Lab services must follow the standard operating procedures (SOP) and EHS guidelines. Violation of these guidelines will result in immediate termination of services by BioNEST-BHU.
6. BioNEST-BHU does not guarantee the continuous and proper functioning of the equipment in the Labs. In case of equipment failure, BioNEST-BHU will attempt to repair or replace the equipment within an appropriate time period. Any liability incurred by BioNEST-BHU will be limited to a part of the advance payment made by the User that remains unutilized due to equipment failure. This will be calculated on a pro-rated basis.
7. Users must vacate all areas in Labs and clean up all the working spaces at the end of every working day to the satisfaction of BioNEST-BHU staff.
8. BioNEST-BHU will not be liable for any damage or theft of materials stored in the almirah/cabinets.
9. All consumables, supplies, glassware, etc. will be brought by the Lab Users on their own expense; BioNEST-BHU will not be responsible for the provision of the same.