

Cost for data and biological material from The Norwegian Mother, Father and Child Cohort Study (MoBa)

When planning a new research project based on MoBa, please include costs related to data access and biological material in the project budget. The MoBa conditions regulate access to and use of data and biological material. These documents are available on www.fhi.no/moba. You can find more information about how to apply [here](#).

The pricelist may change at short notice. The current price will be the one set out in the contract between MoBa and the sub-study, or as stipulated in a decision letter. An invoice will be sent when data have been made available. Separate invoices will be sent for questionnaire data, MoBa Genetics and for biological material according to the agreement.

All prices are listed without value added tax (VAT). VAT will be added when required.

1. Cost for access to questionnaire data

Purpose	NOK excl VAT
Questionnaire data for one publication	30 000
Questionnaire data for a PhD or a post doc (3-5 articles)	100 000
Questionnaire data for use in consortium collaborations	1025 per hour
Questionnaire data used in in projects with own data collection	Individual negotiation
Questionnaire data for validation studies and methodological articles	0
Facilitation of the data file including <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - linkage - additional variables in the dataset - changes in the data file made available 	1025 per hour
Updated version of data file e.g. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - expanded/modified aim - additional number of participants - questionnaires from additional age groups 	10 000
Coded variables <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Applies to already adapted coded variables (for example, ATC- and occupation codes) 	6000 per type
Facilitation of new coded variables	Individual negotiation

2. Cost for access to genetic data from MoBa Genetics

Costs related to questionnaire data is not included and will be added (see section 1).

Purpose	NOK excl VAT
Projects with plans to publish 3-10 articles (this includes the possibility to use the data in meta-analysis)	500 000
Projects with plans to publish one article (time limited access and a specific research question)	25 000
Facilitation (for example linkage) when MoBa Genetics expands	1025 per hour

Included in the price is access to, at any given time point, all quality-controlled genetic data. Not included in the price is the expenses linked to the projects own TSD project area and support.

3. Cost for access to biological material

Biological material in MoBa is a limited resource. Thus, specific requirements are set for access.

- The biological material from MoBa is delivered to the Principal investigator for analysis for an approved research aim. The results should be returned to the MoBa database after analysis.
- Documentation from the laboratory confirming the quality of the analysis must be included when applying.
- Only apply for the amount of biological material required for the analysis. The number of samples to be analysed must be justified by a statistical power calculation.

See table below for price per sample. Costs related to access to questionnaire data is described under section 1.

Sample	NOK/sample excl VAT
DNA (approx. 100ng/ μ l)	240
Plasma	240
Urine	240

4. Collection of new data and/or biological material in research projects

Costs related to additional collection of questionnaire data and/or biological materials on sub groups of MoBa-participants on specific health variables will be negotiated individually.

5. Changes or expansions of approved research projects

When changing or expanding approved projects, new costs will accrue. These are calculated based on the size of the change / expansion. Contact mobaadm@fhi.no for questions regarding this.