

Spotlight on ECG/EKG Fees by Region

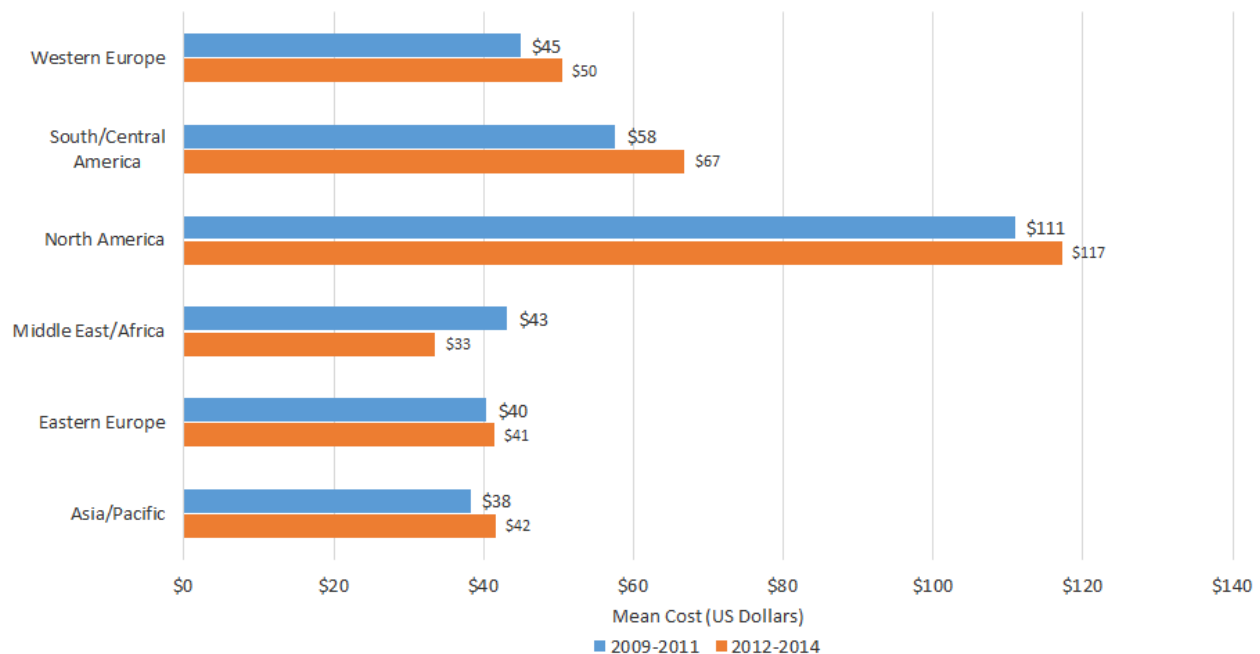
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Study site ECG/EKG fees are the largest, by far, in North America (\$117 in the time period 2012-2014). In the rest of the world, they are the smallest in Middle East/Africa (\$33) and the largest in South/Central America (\$67).

From the time period 2009-2011 to the time period 2012-2014, the fees increased in all regions except Middle East/Africa (-22%), with an average increase of 9%, as measured in U.S. dollars. The cost of an ECG/EKG increased the least in Eastern Europe (3%) and the most in South/Central America (16%).

ECG/EKG Fees by Region

(Average, All Phases, All Therapeutic Areas, Selected Regions, Industry-Sponsored Pharmaceutical, Biotechnology, Device and Diagnostics Studies, 2009-2014)^{1,2,3}



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Notes & References

1. Source: Medidata Grants Manager™, the PICAS® database
2. CPT 93000: Electrocardiogram, ECG/EKG with at least 12 Leads; with interpretation and report, routine
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