



Podiatry Image Cost Comparison (Film vs. Computed Radiography)

Daily Image Costs		Film Processing		Computed Radiography	
		10 Films / Day	20 Films / Day	10 Films / Day	20 Films / Day
Film (10 x 12)	\$0.75	\$7.50	\$15.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Chemistry	\$0.50	\$5.00	\$10.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Envelope	\$0.20	\$2.00	\$4.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Daily Costs		\$14.50	\$29.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
250 Days / Year		\$3,625.00	\$7,250.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
10% (retakes & duplicating)		\$362.50	\$725.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

Annual Totals		\$3,987.50	\$7,975.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
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Monthly Processing Costs					
Chemistry		\$15.00	\$18.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Supplies		\$30.00	\$36.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Processor Maintenance		\$15.00	\$18.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Waste Disposal		\$30.00	\$36.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Equipment Lease Payment		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$700.00	\$700.00
Monthly Total		\$90.00	\$108.00	\$700.00	\$700.00

Annual Totals		\$1,080.00	\$1,296.00	\$8,400.00	\$8,400.00
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Annual Facility Costs					
Dark Room (6' x 6')		\$720.00	\$720.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Processor Equip. Repairs		\$250.00	\$300.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Annual Totals		\$970.00	\$1,020.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

Annual Image Processing Costs		\$6,037.50	\$10,291.00	\$8,400.00	\$8,400.00
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Average Cost Per Image		\$2.42	\$2.06	\$3.36	\$1.68
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