Dear members,
The Russell Berrie Nanotechnology Institute (RBNI) has been subsidizing the use of infrastructure centers, which it established across campus, from its inception in 2005.

Several of those centers are related to life sciences and in those, RBNI has shared the cost of the subsidies with the Lorry. I Lokey Interdisciplinary Center for Life Science and Engineering (LS&E). The support for each researcher amounts to a maximum of 17,500 NIS per year, to be used in all infrastructure centers.

The subsidy policy has changed due to budget limitations at LS&E as of October 1st 2019.

The total subsidy remains 17,500 NIS per researcher per year, but only 8,750 NIS can be applied towards a subsidy in life science related centers.

Due to logistic changes that have to be implemented in RBNI, during the period of 01.10.19 to 31.12.19 we will not be able to open new personal grants for subsidies of the Life Sciences centers (BCF, Biology Faculty, TCSB, Biomechanics & Tissue Engineering). Members who have an ongoing grant to be used in the Life Sciences centers, are asked to exhaust it by 31.12.19.

On 31.12.19 we will close all ongoing open grants related to the Life Science centers.

Starting 01.01.2020 RBNI will subsidize capital equipment usage in the Life Science related centers at up to 8750 NIS per researcher per one academic year.

Members are invited to apply with the understanding that the part related to life science will become effective on 1.1.2010.

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