

Current NMR Scheduling Policy

Policies are subject to change and revision, so keep up to date.

Maintenance/service work always takes precedent and you may be accordingly bumped from a reserved time.

The main rationale is to provide the maximum access to users and effectively use available spectrometer time. The main issue is to accommodate short-term walk-up usage for ^1H -NMR while at the same time affording opportunity for longer term ^{13}C and ^{31}P experiments and other heteronuclei as may be needed. One spectrometer, usually the AV 360 will be available from 9AM till 11PM for walk-up ^1H -NMR, no reservations required, as long as it is not being used for course/instructional activity. However, if no long term time has been scheduled on the AV 500 it may also be used for walk-up ^1H -NMR.

The schedule slots are only to be used for longer term experiments. Do not sign up for routine, short term ^1H -NMR experiments. These are to be done on a first come, first served basis.

NMR Admin will post the daily AV 500 sign-up sheet at 9AM Monday through Thursday.

On Fridays, three AV 500 sheets, to cover Fri-Sun, will be posted.

On Wednesdays, the weekly AV 360 sign-up sheet will be posted.

Only trained users may reserve times. Sign-up using your three letter ICON user name.

If you are not in the lab by 10 minutes after the hour, you will lose your hourly reservation. If late by 15 min for a longer slot, you will lose that slot.

On the AV 500 during the week Mon-Fri, no one may sign up for more than one consecutive hour from 9-5PM or more than one three-hour slot from 5-11PM without prior special permission from NMR Admin.

On the AV 500 Sat-Sun, no one may sign-up for more than 3 consecutive hours 9AM-11PM.

No cheating. Using a friend's name to violate the consecutive hours rule will result in loss of your NMR account.