

Policies for Selected Expenditures

NTID is an integral part of the RIT Organization and complies with RIT policies. Due to the fact that Federal funds comprise the vast majority of the NTID budget, NTID may in some situations need to enact policies that are more restrictive than those of RIT in order to comply with Federal requirements. This set of [**NTID Cost Principles**](#) provides guidance on various categories or types of costs and states the NTID Cost Principle and the corresponding RIT Policy in Boxes for comparison purposes.

At NTID, we also follow [**RIT's travel policy**](#).

Because as previously stated, the vast majority of NTID's operating budget comes from federal funding, which is dependent on annual Congressional authorization and overseen by the Department of Education, it has been NTID's longstanding practice to not permit the use of department funds (i.e., federal dollars) to support international travel.

While we expect these cost principles will address the majority of situations, we also realize that this guidance may not always capture every situation and circumstances may arise where the answer may not appear to be cut and dry. If such situations are encountered, please contact the NTID Finance and Budget Office for guidance.

[**The full expenditures policy is available here.**](#)