



*We are here to help!*



## Quick Guide

- **Animal Welfare Program (AWP):**

<https://research.arizona.edu/compliance/IACUC>

**Animal welfare concerns** are taken very seriously at The University of Arizona. Mechanisms for reporting:

- Online: <https://research.arizona.edu/awp-welfare-report-form>
- Call AWP Staff at 520.626.9071 or email at [ORCR-iacuc@email.arizona.edu](mailto:ORCR-iacuc@email.arizona.edu)
- Anonymous University Ethics and Compliance Hotline 866.364.1908 or online <https://compliance.arizona.edu/hotline>

- **Reportable New Information (RNI):**

Reporting adverse events and unanticipated outcomes (Guidance 115).

<https://research.arizona.edu/compliance/IACUC/welfare-concerns/adverse-event>

- **IACUC and AWP Guidance:**

<https://research.arizona.edu/compliance/IACUC/policies-procedures-and-guidelines>

- **Cayuse (eSirius) Animal Oversight:**

<http://arizona.esirius.cayuse.com/>

- **Office Hours:**

- **In Person Office Hours:** Join us every 1st Monday of the month from 1:30-3:30pm (MRB108)
- **Online via Zoom:** Join our Zoom sessions every 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of the month from 10:00-11:00AM  
<https://arizona.zoom.us/j/89367052334?from>

## Roles and Responsibilities of AWP and IACUC

### AWP:

- Oversees animal activity and research performed at the University of Arizona
- Administrative and regulatory support for the IACUC
- Educate and update PIs and research staff on guidances, policies, and regulations regarding animal research
- Performs post-approval monitoring (PAM) of PI laboratory locations where animal research is performed
- Performs administrative review of IACUC protocol and amendment submissions
- Personnel amendments (adding or removing personnel from IACUC protocols)

### IACUC:

- Protection of animal research and teaching subjects
- Reviewing and approving all activities involving vertebrate animals (research, teaching, testing)
- Ensuring compliance with federal animal welfare regulations
- Performing inspections of animal facilities and PI laboratory locations
- Investigating animal welfare concerns
- Overseeing training and educational programs

**The AWP and IACUC are here to help!  
Please reach out with any questions,  
comments, or concerns.**