

SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY AT CARBONDALE
Animal Care & Use Protocol
Statement of Assurance

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

Protocol number

Approval Date:

IACUC Approved Exception

Date Received:

Expiration Date:

Animal Welfare Act covered species

Comments:

As the Principal Investigator, I certify that:

This project will be conducted in compliance with Animal Welfare Act Regulations, the Public Health Service Policy on Humane Care and Use of Laboratory Animals, the Ag Guide, and the NIH Guide for the Care and Use of Laboratory Animals.

All individuals working on this protocol will abide by federal, state, and local laws and regulations governing the use of animals in research and teaching.

All individuals working on this protocol will abide by SIUC IACUC policies and procedures.

As the principal investigator, I will provide the SIUC IACUC with copies of any relevant permits before animal work commences.

Complete records and documentation appropriate to the protocol type will be maintained by the principal investigator and made accessible to the IACUC and administrative staff upon request.

All members of the research team, including students, other trainees, visiting scientists, and volunteers, are adequately trained, enrolled in the occupational health program, and will maintain such status throughout their involvement with the protocol.

The principal investigator will ensure that modifications to the protocol receive IACUC approval before initiating changes.

When requested, the principal investigator will fully participate in the IACUC Post Approval Monitoring (PAM) program.

Federal regulations require the IACUC to regularly inspect institution's animal facilities, including satellite and animal surgical sites. Inspections may occur announced or unannounced. As the principal investigator, I understand and agree to maintain such areas following all applicable federal, state, and institutional guidelines and provide inspectors with unfettered access.

Printed Name of Primary Investigator:

Signature of Primary Investigator: