Proposed Training Schedule

AMS Training
Location: Biosciences Bldg. 2.154
Date: 8/14/2015
Register: iacuc@utep.edu & vetsafety@utep.edu

Bloodborne Pathogens (BHSI)
Location: Biosciences Bldg. 2.168
Date: 8/11/2015 & 8/26/2015
Please register at http://www.ehs.utep.edu/training.html

General Laboratory Safety (EH&S)
Location: Biosciences Bldg. 2.168
Date: 8/11/2015 & 8/26/2015
Please register at http://www.ehs.utep.edu/training.html

IACUC Training
Training will include information from our program, what to expect when working with animals, federal regulations to abide by, and getting to know your personnel. Register at iacuc@utep.edu.

Kelly Hall Room 601 at 10AM, 8/7/2015

Vivarium Orientation/Zoonotic Disease
Location: Biosciences Bldg. 2.154
Date: 8/9AM-12PM
Date: 8/12/2015
Please register for the class in advance with a reply to iacuc@utep.edu including your name, UTEP ID number, and a cc: to your faculty mentor

Surgical Courses
Location: AM: Biosciences Bldg. 2.154, PM: Biology room 324
Date: 8/23/2015
Location: Odense Seminar
Date: 8/26/2015
Practice Surgical Prac: Time: 1:30PM-4:30PM
Date: 8/19/2015 & 9/6/2015
Please register for a reply at iacuc@utep.edu including your name, UTEP ID number, and a cc: to your faculty mentor

NMB Handling and BioMethodology Workshop
Location: Biology room 324
Date: 8/28/15
Time: 12:30PM-4:30PM
Date: 8/26/2015
The handling and bio-methodology workshop is implemented to teach individuals techniques such as multiple injection/blood collection sites, proper IC sticks for exsanguination, as well as perform secondary euthanasia methods such as cervical dislocation and thoracotomy and expected or unexpected complications.

Considerations for Using Pharmaceutical Products in Research
Date: 8/26/2015
Time: 2PM-3PM
Location: Biosciences Bldg. 2.154

OLAW Webinar
Title: Regulatory Considerations for Using Pharmaceutical Products in Research Involving Laboratory Animals

To view webinar click HERE or copy link and paste in browser

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UQz1jbKEiaw

http://grants.nih.gov/grants/olaw/educational_resources.htm#06042015

http://www.ehs.utep.edu/training.html

You can also visit the OLAW webpage to view past webinars and supporting materials; slides, transcripts.

How to report an Animal Welfare Concern / Adverse Events
Any person can communicate concerns of animal care and use or suspected noncompliance with regulations and policies. Concerns can be made verbally or in writing anonymously through:

Supervisor

Attendance Veterinary

LARC staff (veterinaryservices@utep.edu) or 747-6823

IACUC Committee Members or Chair

IACUC Office (iacuc@utep.edu) or 747-7913 or website

UTEP Compliance (iacuc@utep.edu)

All adverse events must be conveyed to the Attending Veterinarian and LARC staff immediately to ensure adequate veterinary care. An adverse event includes but is not limited to, death of an animal, and expected or unexpected complications following a procedure.

IACUC POLICY 22: Physical Restraint of Unanesthetized Research Animals

Definitions: Prolonged physical restraint - Continuously restraining an animal for greater than 15 minutes

Ensure the method of restraint is appropriate for the species of animal.

The period of restraint is the minimum required for experimental objectives.

Documentation that the personnel performing the restraint have been appropriately trained.

When prolonged physical restraint is necessary, the physical, physiological and psychological effects on the animal are minimized if at all possible, unless scientific justification has been provided and accepted in the interest of avoiding the invalidation or compromise of experimental data.

Refer to policy for further guidance.

What’s New

Updated IACUC Forms
IACUC applications for adding/removing personnel, modifying procedures, & NEW/TRIENNIAL renewals have been updated. Please visit the IACUC website to download a copy of the new forms or contact the IACUC office.

Next IACUC Meeting
Date: 8/28/2015
Location: Bioscience Bldg. 2.154
Time: 9AM-12PM

IACUC OFFICE CONTACT INFO: 747-7913/7913
Veterinary Services: veterinaryservices@utep.edu or 747-6823
IACUC website: http://www.ehs.utep.edu

*Note: All IACUC meetings are open to all interested individuals.