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**THE UNIVERSITY OF
NORTH TEXAS
HEALTH SCIENCE CENTER**

**Institutional Animal Care and
Use Committee**

Dedicated to providing
proper care and use of
animals in research,
testing, and education

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HEALTH SCIENCE CENTER at FORT WORTH





WHO WE ARE

The University of North Texas Health Science Center Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC) is a research oversight committee charged with the responsibility of ensuring the proper care and use of animals in research, testing, and education.

“Using animals in research is a privilege granted by society to the research community with the expectation that such use will provide either significant new knowledge or lead to improvement in human and/or animal well being.”

-The Guide for the Care and Use of Laboratory Animals

WHAT WE DO

Advocacy

Striving to protect the animals, the researchers and the institution through a culture of compliance.

Services

The IACUC provides assistance to investigators in fulfilling their obligation to plan and conduct animal experiments in accordance with the highest scientific, humane, and ethical principles. Our areas of expertise include:

- Guidance on USDA and PHS animal research rules and regulations.
- Administrative support for IACUC activities and determinations.
- Manage regulatory aspects of animal research protocols.
- Assistance with maintaining appropriate laboratory standards.

Training Requirements

In an effort to promote compliance and animal welfare, we want to ensure that all personnel working with animals are aware of the regulations and guidelines that govern laboratory animal research. Please visit the IACUC website for further information on the required training courses.

IACUC Fees

The IACUC Fee schedule covers IACUC review for animal research conducted by non HSC Faculty and staff. Please contact the IACUC Office for more information.

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