



IACUC MEETING CALENDAR

June 14, 2017

Faculty, Researchers, Research Administrators and Students

Elizabeth Rivera, DVM
 IACUC Chairperson



MEETING CALENDAR OF THE INSTITUTIONAL ANIMAL CARE AND USE COMMITTEE (IACUC) – FIRST SEMESTER 2017-18 (August 2017– January 2018).

Enclosed please find the meeting calendar for the Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC) and the deadlines for the submission of documents to be considered in each meeting. You must submit 3 copies of all documents direct to IACUC Office located at **Office 200 Escuela Profesionales de la Salud (EPS)** and an electronic copy. The electronic copy can be sent to carmen.ramos8@upr.edu Remember to convert all signed documents or pages to PDF format before submitting the electronic copy.

Included are also the deadline dates for the submission of documents to the Attending Veterinarian. The Veterinarian must review the documents for corrections and/or recommendations before they are submitted to the IACUC. We encourage you that, before submitting the final document, contact the IACUC office for a pre-review.

All protocols must be renewed annually. *To avoid a lapse in approval, the renewal form and all the required documentation must be received in the office no less than **two (2) months** before the expiration date.* Please check the deadline dates for the review of the proposals so that you may plan when you wish your protocol to be evaluated. Remember that you may not conduct any procedures or begin working in any research project involving animals until you have received final approval for the protocol.

Meeting Date*	Deadline to Submit Documents to the Attending Veterinarian	Deadline to Submit Documents to IACUC Office
August 25, 2017	August 4, 2017	August 11, 2017
September 29, 2017	September 8, 2017	September 15, 2017
October 27, 2017	October 6, 2017	October 13, 2017
November 17, 2017	November 3, 2017	November 10, 2017
December 15, 2017	December 1, 2017	December 8, 2017
January 26, 2018	January 12, 2018	January 19, 2018

* The dates mentioned above are subject to change. We recommend you confirm with the IACUC's Secretary; Carmen Enid Ramos at (787) 282-0031 or by email carmen.ramos8@upr.edu.

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