

Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC)

Occupational Health Compliance Verification Form

For use by VU/VUMC students, post-docs, and Educational Program Participants, & non-affiliated personnel.
*VU/VUMC Employees **must** visit the Vanderbilt Occupational Health Clinic.*

Vanderbilt University is committed to the health and well-being of its students and visitors. The Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee therefore promotes an Occupational Health policy designed to protect individuals (including visitors) that have occupational exposure to animals. This includes direct or indirect work/exposure with live animals in research/teaching projects, contact with unsanitized animal enclosures, work with animal tissues, fluids, and/or wastes, or entrance into animal facilities to provide service or support to animal equipment, devices, and/or facilities.

Individuals must assure compliance with Vanderbilt University requirements by completing this form via their home institution, their personal primary care provider, or – with prior approval from their host department – the Vanderbilt Occupational Health Clinic.

Today's Date: _____

Individual's Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Department/Program: _____

Principal Investigator: _____

Individual will be working with:

Non-Human Primates

Sheep and/or Goats

Rodents, Dogs, Cats, Ferrets,
and/or Rabbits

Other: _____

To be completed by medical professional providing screening:

Date of compliance screening: _____

Animal Allergen Compliant (required for individuals who will work with any species except fish, reptiles, amphibians and other cold-blooded animals)

TB Compliant (required for individuals who will be exposed to any non-human primate)

Herpes B Compliant (required for individuals who will be handling macaques or their tissues)

Q-Fever Compliant (required for individuals who will be exposed to sheep and goats or their tissues)

Rabies Compliant (required for individuals who will be exposed to bats or weasels)

By signing this form, both the individual and medical professional are providing the Vanderbilt Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee with assurance that the individual is compliant with the Animal Care Medical Surveillance program as indicated above.

Signature of Individual

Signature of Medical Professional Providing Screening

Please return the completed form to the Office of Animal Welfare Assurance
1161 21st Avenue South, Medical Center North S-4322, Nashville, TN 37232-2112

Email: iacuc.submissions@vanderbilt.edu Fax: 615-936-8160

Do not submit medical documentation to OAWA or Vanderbilt Occupational Health.

Keep documentation of the exam in the personal medical records as appropriate.

If you have any questions, please call the OAWA Office at 615-936-8163.