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13. Protection of Animals in Research

Overview

Provides information related to UAEU requirements and resources for research involving animals.

Scope

Applies to all activities that involve research with animals for which at least one of the following criteria is met:

1. The research is conducted by or under the direction of the faculty, staff, or students of the UAEU.
2. The research is conducted by an external organization with sponsorship from the UAEU or with participation of its faculty, staff, or students, or using any property or facility of the University.

Objective

The University is committed to the respect of and regard for the welfare of animals used within research projects and programs. This policy gives effect to that commitment.

Policy

1. All projects that fall within the above mentioned scope and involve animals and animal-derived material including tissues and organs, will need approval from the Animal Research Ethics Committee (A-REC).
2. The A-REC will develop its own regulations and detailed procedures according to international standards for animal welfare and UAE law.
3. Procedures must be designed with due regard to UAEU Policies and applicable laws, and must be implemented in the Animal House of the UAEU.