

# VIII. Membership of the IACUC

Date:2021			
Name of Institution: University of Puerto Rico's Medical Sciences Campus			
Assurance Number: D16-00262 (A-3421-01)			
<b>IACUC Chairperson</b>			
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<b>IACUC Roster</b>			
Name of Member	Degree/ Credentials	Position Title	PHS Policy Requirements**** Membership
Elizabeth Rivera	DVM	Chairperson Professor	Veterinarian
Chiara Roman	DVM	Institutional Vet / Research Assistant	Veterinarian
(b) (6)			Veterinarian
			Scientific
			Scientific
			Non-Scientific
			Non-Affiliated (Community)
			Scientific
			Scientific
			Scientific

\*This information is mandatory.

"Names of members, other than the chairperson and veterinarian, may be represented by a number or symbol in this submission to OLAW. Sufficient information to determine that all appointees are appropriately qualified must be provided and the identity of each member must be readily ascertainable by the institution and available to authorized OLAW or other PHS representatives upon request.

"List specific position titles for all members, including nonaffiliated (e.g., banker, teacher, volunteer fireman; not 'community member' or 'retired' .

"PHS Policy Membership Requirements:

*Veterinarian* Veterinarian with training or experience in laboratory animal science and medicine or in the use of the species at the institution, who has direct or

delegated program authority and responsibility for activities involving animals at the institution.

*Scientist* Practicing scientist experienced in research involving animals.

*Nonscientist* Member whose primary concerns are in a nonscientific area (e.g., ethicist, lawyer, member of the clergy).

*Nonaffiliated* Individual who is not affiliated with the institution in any way other than as a member of the IACUC, and is not a member of the immediate family of a person who is affiliated with the institution. This member is expected to represent general community interests in the proper care and use of animals and should not be a laboratory animal user. A consulting veterinarian may not be considered nonaffiliated.



## X. Facility and Species Inventory

Date: 2021				
Name of Institution: Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC) Medical Sciences Campus University of Puerto Rico				
Assurance Number: D16-00262 (A-3421-01)				
Laboratory, Unit, or Building'	Gross Square Feet [include service areas]	Species Housed [use <i>common names</i> ]	Approximate Average Inventory**	Yearly
(b) (4)	32,866 sq. feet	Hamsters, Rabbits, Pigs, Gerbils, Rats, Mice, Rhesus macaques Zebra fish Prawns	0 11 9 0 419 625 51 1,332 16	
	3,329 sq. feet	Mice, frogs, prawns, crabs, snails Drosophila fish	800 45 550 145 1300 250,000 224 - based on projected approved protocol	
	17 acres	Rhesus macaques	2,478	
	38.5 acres	Rhesus macaques	1,820	

'Institutions may identify animal areas (buildings/rooms) by a number or symbol in this submission to OLAW. However, the name and location must be provided to OLAW upon request.

\*\*Based on 2020 reports.