

Annual Report to OLAW

Institution: Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey
Assurance Number: D16-00098 (A3158-01)
Reporting Period: October 1, 2020 - September 30, 2021

This institution's Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC), through the Institutional Official, provides this annual report to the Office of Laboratory Animal Welfare (OLAW).

I. Program Changes *[Select A or B]*

- ☐ A. There have been **no changes** in this institution's program for animal care and use as described in the Assurance. *[Skip to Item II.]*
- ☒ B. Change(s) in this institution's program for animal care and use as described in the Assurance have occurred during this reporting period.

Select all that apply:

- ☐ This institution's AAALAC accreditation status has changed ([PHS Policy IV.A.2.](#)).
- ☐ [AAALAC Accredited](#) – Category 1
- ☐ Non-Accredited – Category 2
- ☐ This institution's program for animal care and use has changed ([PHS Policy IV.A.1.a-i.](#)). *[Attach a full description of the changes.]*
- ☒ The individual designated by this institution as the Institutional Official has changed. *[Provide name, title(s), address, e-mail, phone, and fax numbers in Item V.]*
- ☒ The membership of this institution's IACUC has changed. *[Provide current roster of members in Item VI.]*

II. Semiannual Evaluations

This IACUC has conducted semiannual evaluations of the institution's program and inspections of the institution's facilities (including satellite facilities) on the dates below. Reports of the evaluations and inspections have been submitted to the Institutional Official. The reports include any IACUC-approved departures from the *Guide* with a reason for each departure, any deficiencies (significant or minor) that were identified, and a plan and schedule for correction of each deficiency. *[Do not provide semiannual reports unless they include a minority view.]*

A. Program Evaluations

[Two dates (month/day/year) must be provided to satisfy the PHS Policy requirement that evaluations be done at 6-month intervals. If the IACUC conducted more than 2 evaluations of the program during the reporting period, please attach a list showing the dates.]

North: October 13, 2020	North: April 13, 2021
South: November 18, 2020	South: May 19, 2021

B. Facility Inspections

[Two dates (month/day/year) must be provided to satisfy the PHS Policy requirement that facility inspections be done at 6-month intervals. If the IACUC conducted more than 2 inspections of each site during the reporting period, please attach a list showing the dates.]

North: October 6, 7, 14, 23 & 30, 2020	North: April 5, 6, 12, 19 & 30, 2021
South 1: October 6, 2020 - Camden campus November 11, 13, 16 & 20, 2020	South 1: April 20, 2021 - Camden campus May 20, 25, 26, 27 & 28, 2021
South 2: January 14, 22 & 27, 2021	South 2: July 6, 7, 12 & 13, 2021

III. Minority Views *[Select A or B]*

- ☒ A. There were **no minority** views during this reporting cycle.
- ☐ B. Any minority views submitted by members of the IACUC regarding reports filed under [PHS Policy IV.F.](#) for this reporting cycle are attached.

IV. Signatures

IACUC Chairperson	Institutional Official
Name 1: Vanessa Routh, Ph.D. (North)	Name: Michael Zwick, Ph.D.
Name 2: Andrew Gow, Ph.D. (South)	
Signature 1: Vanessa H. Routh	DocuSigned by:
Signature 2: (b) (6)	Signature: (b) (6)
Date 1:	Date: 11/16/2021

V. Change in Institutional Official

Name: Michael Zwick	
Title: Senior Vice President Research	Degree/Credentials: Ph.D.
Name of Institution: Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey	
Address: <i>[street, city, state, zip code]</i> 7 College Avenue, (b) (4) New Brunswick, NJ 08901	
Phone: (b) (6)	Fax:

E-mail: michael.zwick@rutgers.edu

I. Change in IACUC Membership [*Current roster*]

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E-mail: lauren.zizza@rutgers.edu			
Phone: (b) (6)		Fax: N/A	
IACUC Chairperson			
Name: Vanessa Routh, Ph.D. (North)			
Title: Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee Chair, Professor		Degree/Credentials: Ph.D.	
PHS Policy Membership Requirements***:			
IACUC Roster [<i>Provide below or attach</i>]			
Name of Member/ Code*	Degree/ Credential	Position Title/ Occupational Background**	PHS Policy Membership Requirements***
(b) (6)			Alt. Scientist
			Scientist
			Scientist
			Veterinarian
			Scientist
			Alt. Scientist
			Scientist
			Alt. Unaffiliated, Non- scientist
			Alt. Veterinarian/ Scientist
			Alt. Scientist
			Alt. Scientist
			Scientist
			Alt. Member

(b) (6)			Alt. Veterinarian
			Scientist
Sumanth Kumar Putta 2,3	B.V.Sc., M.S., Ph.D., DACLAM, CPIA	Veterinarian	Attending Veterinarian
(b) (6)			Alt. Scientist
			Alt. Member
			Scientist
			Unaffiliated, Non-scientist
			Scientist
			Alt. Scientist
			Alt. Scientist
			Liaison
			Liaison
			Ex officio
			Liaison
			Liaison

Footnotes:

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| 1. Non-voting member | 4. Alternate voting member |
| 2. PHS Policy membership requirements | 5. Vice Chair |
| 3. Voting member | |

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