

Animal Care and Use Concerns

The University of Kansas Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC) is responsible for investigating concerns regarding the care and treatment of animals used in research and teaching at KU.

Concerns can be reported in several ways:

Contact one of the following individuals either by phone, email, or in person:

Title	Name	Telephone	Email
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Submit your concern electronically at the following URL:

<https://animalcareunit.ku.edu/>

Note: Concerns can be submitted anonymously via the online submission form.

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