

The Beacon

Research Integrity News



IACUC Updates

The [new IACUC protocol application forms](#) are here. Please use the new forms going forward and let us know if you have any questions or need assistance.

Attention researchers – an **all hands meeting** will be held Friday April 7th to update researchers on what is new with the animal care use program. The meeting will cover the new forms, new policies and advances of the program, including the pending submission of FAU's application to AAALAC for accreditation of the entire program. More information regarding the time and location of this meeting will be shared within the next week or two.

Last but not least – it's that time again! **Spring semi-annual inspections** are around the corner. We expect to be visiting all labs, vivaria and satellite facilities in mid-April. Please look out for the distribution of the schedule of these inspections. It is important for your labs to be prepared for the IACUC inspectors. Having lab personnel present to answer questions and talk with the IACUC members is very advantageous to the inspectors and the inspection process. If you have questions, please let us know. More information regarding the time and location of this meeting is forthcoming.

