

POLICY REGARDING AMENDMENTS REQUIRING A NEW PROTOCOL

PURPOSE:

This policy serves to identify which protocol amendments require a new protocol application prior to being processed and reviewed by the IACUC.

POLICY:

The Liberty University IACUC requires that the following amendments be submitted with a new protocol application prior to being reviewed by the committee:

- Change in the purpose, aim, or objectives of a study
- Change in the Principal Investigator (PI)
- Change or addition of a new species
- Large increases in animal numbers (>100% of originally approved number)
- Repeating an experiment with additional animals