



Memorandum of Understanding Without PHS Assurance

(Albert Einstein College of Medicine will be the performance site for animal studies for an unassured contracting institution that has received extramural funding from any source.)

I. Awardee Institution

Name of Awardee Institution:
Address: <i>(street address, city, state, zip code)</i>
Project Title: <i>(from grant application/contract proposal)</i>
Grant/Contract Number:
Principal Investigator:

A. Applicability

This MOU between the Awardee Institution and the Assured Institution (Einstein) is applicable to research, research training, and biological testing involving live vertebrate animals supported by extramural funding from any source, where the Assured Institution's (Einstein's) credentials are used to meet funding agency requirements for any of the following: OLAW Assurance, AAALAC accreditation, or USDA registration.

B. Awardee and Assured Institutional Responsibilities

1. The institutions agree to comply with all applicable provisions of the Animal Welfare Act and other Federal statutes and regulations relating to animals.
2. The institutions agree to be guided by the [U.S. Government Principles for the Utilization and Care of Vertebrate Animals Used in Testing, Research, and Training](#) and comply with the PHS Policy on Humane Care and Use of Laboratory Animals ([Policy](#)).
3. The institutions acknowledge and accept responsibility for the care and use of animals involved in activities covered by this MOU.
4. The Awardee Institution acknowledges and accepts that live vertebrate animals will be housed, maintained, and used at the Assured Institution's animal facilities under the direct oversight of the Assured Institution's animal care & use program (IACUC and Attending Veterinarian).
5. The Awardee Institution acknowledges and accepts the authority of the IACUC of the Assured Institution where the animal activity will be performed and agrees to abide by all conditions and determinations as set forth by that IACUC.

Name of Assured Institution: Albert Einstein College of Medicine
Address: <i>(street address, city, state, zip code)</i> 1300 Morris Park Avenue, Bronx, New York 10461

II. Institutional Endorsement

By signing this document, the authorized official at the Awardee Institution and the Institutional Official and IACUC Chairperson at the Assured Institution (performance site) provide their assurances that the project identified in Part I will be conducted in compliance with the PHS Policy and the Assurance of the Assured Institution.

A. Endorsement of Awardee Institution	
Name of Awardee Institution:	
Authorized Official:	
Signature:	Date:
Title:	
Address: <i>(street address, city, state, zip code)</i>	
Phone:	Fax:
E-mail:	
B. Endorsement of Assured Institution (Albert Einstein College of Medicine)	
Name of Assured Institution: Albert Einstein College of Medicine	
Institutional Official: Edward Burns	
Signature:	Date:
Title: Executive Dean Professor of Pathology and Medicine (Hematology)	
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Phone: (718)430-4106	Fax: (718)430-8714
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IACUC Chairperson: Louis M. Weiss	
Signature:	Date:
Title: Professor of Pathology and Medicine (Infectious Diseases) Codirector of the Einstein Global Health Center	
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Date of IACUC Approval: <i>(within 3 years, pending not acceptable)</i>	