

Definition of an anticipated outcome, protocol deviation, or adverse event: Any event not consistent with routine expected outcomes that results in unexpected animal welfare issues (death, disease, distress). **Reporting is not the responsibility of investigators, but an effort to facilitate research effectiveness and improve animal care.** For additional guidance on Event Reporting, please review our [Guidance for Event Reporting](#) document.

Both the HS Policy (V. 5. a) and USDA Animal Welfare Regulations (9 CFR 2.31.5) require committee review of previously approved projects. The AUP, as part of post approval monitoring, encourages investigators to submit an Event Reporting form for any unexpected injuries to animals during the course of their project.

* Upon an event, the Attending Veterinarian (413-623-5329), AUP Chairperson (1-528-1) and IACUC Event Report Contact (413-572-8390 or 413-262-0590) must be contacted immediately. Within 72 hours of the event, this form must be submitted to the IACUC Chairperson via email: (jramsay@westfield.ma.edu). Call (413-572-8417) with any questions.

Date:

IACUC Protocol Number:

Project Title:

1. Investigator (please complete this section)

Name (Last, First, MI) Phone Number:

College: Department:

Campus Address: E-mail Address:

2. Event Date:

Location of Event:

7. Description of Event:

8. Cause of Event:

9. Outcome of Event:

10. Provide a brief description of how this event/problem was managed:

