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**Methods to Reduce Animal Numbers** - [Link](http://acc.uchc.edu/methods/index.html)

The above internet site provides training and instruction in research or testing methods that minimize the number of animals required to obtain valid results and minimize animal distress, offered to scientists, animal technicians, and other personnel involved in animal care, treatment, or use. As well as the concept, availability, and use of research or testing methods that limit the use of animals or minimize animal distress.

**Protocol for reporting questionable procedures or practices violating the terms of humane animal care.**

The primary contact for reporting concerns regarding animal use and facilities is Dr. Dave Pittman ([pittmandw@wofford.edu](mailto:pittmandw@wofford.edu); 597-4644) who is the supervisor of the animal facilities and chair of the Institutional Animal Care & Use Committee (IACUC). However, individuals may also report concerns regarding animal use and facilities to any member of the IACUC or the Institutional Officer (Provost Sosulski). Concerns may also be reported through a link on the IACUC website: [http://dept.wofford.edu/iacuc](http://dept.wofford.edu/iacuc) or using the anonymous campus conduct hotline: 866-943-5787

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