

**Authorization for Veterinarians Providing Clinical Care to Teaching and Research
Animals**

As Attending Veterinarian for the University of Tennessee at Knoxville (inclusive of Tennessee at Knoxville, The Institute of Agriculture, and the University of Tennessee, Knoxville Medical Center), I am hereby designating responsibility for veterinary care of for:

Title of Protocol:

The named individual(s) is/are responsible for ensuring that care standards consistent with USDA Animal Welfare Regulations, PHS Policy, *The Guide for the Care and Use of Laboratory Animals*, *The Guide for the Care and Use of Agricultural Animals in Agricultural Research and Teaching*, and institutional animal care and use policies are being practiced. The individual(s) is/are also responsible for apprising the Attending Veterinarian of current health problems in a timely fashion through submission of clinical case reports when such problems are identified.

The Attending Veterinarian has appropriate authority to ensure the provision of adequate veterinary care and to oversee the adequacy of other aspects of animal care and use as specified in 9CFR 2.33.

Attending Veterinarian (Dr. Coan):

_____ Date: _____

Designated Veterinarian(s)

_____ Date: _____

Institutional Official (Dr. DiPietro):

_____ Date: _____

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