1.0 Purpose

The Creighton University IACUC considers research to be biomedical in nature if the research is designed to enhance human well-being. Studies that are designed to benefit animal welfare and/or enhance food production would be classified as agricultural research. Regardless of the designation, agricultural animals are housed within the Creighton University ARF in a laboratory setting. The Guide for the Care and Use of Laboratory Animals is the guiding document for these studies.

1.1 Application

All of our animals are treated in accordance with the standards set forth in the guide for animals used in biomedical research.