

REGULATED ANIMALS	Although all warm-blooded species are covered by the Animal Welfare Act, only certain animals are regulated under the Animal Welfare Act. [1.1, Policy #26]
Criteria	<p>Regulated animals include, but are not limited to, live:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • dogs • cats • guinea pigs • hamsters • rabbits • nonhuman primates • marine mammals • wild or exotic animals • farm animals used: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ to test or produce biologicals for nonagricultural/nonproduction animals. Biologicals include, but are not limited to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> □ vaccines □ bacterins □ toxoids ▶ to test or produce biologicals for multiple species which includes a nonagricultural/nonproduction animal ▶ for biomedical research • equine species used for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ nonagricultural animal research ▶ biomedical research <p>The species and activity involving the animal determines whether or not a USDA registration is required.</p>
Exemptions	<p>The following animals are exempt from the registration requirement:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • rats of the genus <i>Rattus</i> bred for use in research • mice of the genus <i>Mus</i> bred for use in research • birds bred for use in research • domestic equine species used for the production of pregnant mare urine (PMU)

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- blood donor dogs used for client animal transfusions
NOTE: Dogs donating blood for use in a protocol are not exempt and must be included in the protocol.
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