

Office of Research, Grants and Contracts Standard Operating Procedures (SOP)

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1.0 PURPOSE

The purpose of this SOP is to describe the process for submitting protocol terminations.

2.0 GENERAL INFORMATION AND SCOPE

The IACUC approvals last for three years. Studies should be terminated in Mentor IACUC when the project is completed.

3.0 PROCEDURES

3.1 ACCESSING MENTOR IRB

- 1. Go to the <u>Mentor website</u>.
- 2. Click "Log in".
- 3. If prompted, the Institution ID = NKU.
- 4. Use your NKU ID (NKU email username) and NKU password to log in.

3.2 HOW TO TERMINATE A PROTOCOL

- 1. After logging into Mentor click "IACUC" in the dropdown.
- 2. Click "My Protocols". All of your protocols will be listed here.
- 3. Select the protocol you would like to terminate.
- 4. Click "Terminate Protocol" in the top left hand corner.
- 5. Enter the date protocol should be closed. And click "Terminate Protocol".
- 6. Add additional comments (not required).
- 7. Click "Complete & Submit". Provide a brief study update. Click "Submit Report".

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