# **Click IACUC** Protocol Management: Copy Submission Process

The objective of this quick guide is to help Principal Investigators and research teams manage their protocol through the copy submission process. This specifically applies to a protocol that requires renewal of ongoing or continuing research activities.

#### 1. Copy Submission Activity.

To copy a protocol, select the *Copy Submission* activity along the left side of the protocol workspace:

A pop-up window displays and requires a new protocol name to be entered, then select the **Ok** button:

Approved	
Next Steps	Copy Submission
Edit Protocol	This activity copies your submission. The Principal Investigator (PI) remains the same for the new submission, and it appears in the PI's inbox.           1. * New submission name:
Printer Version	2. New research team: ?
Create Triennial Review	Depending on the size of the submission, copying it may take some time. Therefore, the new submission may not appear immediately. Thank you for your patience.
Create Amendment	
Update Animal Use Count	
Add Comment	
Add Private Comment	
Copy Submission	
Manage Tags	
The msuKcIntegration	

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Once the protocol has been copied, a link will be available in the *History* tab of the original submission:

History	Experiments	Animal Counts	Documents	
Filter by	Activity   Enter text to search			
A	ctivity			
C Su	Submission Copied			
New Copy: PROTO202400143 Demonstration Protocol #2				

The copied protocol is available for editing in the Pre-Submission state.





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2. Key areas for review within new submission.

If a Principal Investigator copies their existing submission at the three-year expiration, please review the <u>entire</u> protocol before submitting. Listed below are key areas for attention and if not updated could prolong the review process. Each bullet point provides considerations for the indicated protocol page:

#### • Protocol Team Members

• **Q1.** Verify all listed personnel are still involved in the project and information is current.

#### • Funding Sources

- **Q1**. Ensure all external funding is still active.
- Scientific Aims of Animal Use
  - Q1. If the study involves the potential for pain and distress (relieved or unrelieved), a new veterinary consult is required.
- Experiments
  - Q1. If experiments have been completed, please remove. For new experiments, procedures that
    have already been created are available for selection from the team library. For experiments that
    are continuing or have not been completed, consider the following:
    - Q6. Ensure all procedures are the current active version. If it says "archived" a newer version should be selected.
    - **Q7-8.** Adjust and justify the number of animals that are needed for the next 3 years.
  - **Q2.** If an animal will undergo more than one major survival surgery, provide accurate information about the timing/sequence of surgeries.

#### • Animal Justification and Number Summary

- Q1. This section automatically populates based on numbers identified in experiments. Please confirm that 'Actual Animal Count' is correct. These values should include reconciliation of animal reuse and/or breeding if applicable.
- **Q2.** Explain the difference, if any, between 'Animals Identified in Experiments' and 'Actual Animal Count'.
- **Breeding** (if applicable)
  - Q3. Include these numbers (breeders and bred but not used) in the 'Actual Animal Count' as described above.

A reminder to use the *File Menu* to navigate between protocol pages.

### MICHIGAN STATE **Click IACUC** Protocol Management: Copy Submission Process CLICK 😑 🔁 Validate 🐴 Compare ~ Editing: PROTO202400143 ^ Basic Information & Funding **Basic Information Basic Information** Experimental Research Protocol Addition 1. \* Select research team: 😮 💭 Protocol Team Members **Demonstration Research Team** Funding Sources **Experimental Design** 2. \* Title of protocol: 😧 🖵 Scientific Aims Demonstration IACUC Protocol Experiments Procedure Personnel Assignment Strains Animal Justification Animal Justification 3. \* Short title: 😮 💭 Alternatives Searches Demonstration Protocol #2 and Duplication 4. \* Summary of research: 😮 🖵 Animal Housing and Use Demonstration IACUC Protocol Breeding

### 3. Protocol Submission.

Once all protocol pages have been successfully completed, return to the protocol workspace and select the *Submit* activity along the left side.





Then, the Principal Investigator attestation window will appear for verification, review and select **Ok**.

Submit				
As the principal investigator, I certify that:				
<ul> <li>I agree to abide by all federal and state regulations, Mic</li> </ul>	I agree to abide by all federal and state regulations, Michigan State University (MSU) policies and Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC) guidelines concerning the use of anima			
<ul> <li>I agree that all use of vertebrate animals will be covered animals and/or performing any animal procedures desc</li> </ul>	I agree that all use of vertebrate animats will be covered by a protocol that has been reviewed and approved by the MSU IACUC and that IACUC approval must be obtained before ordering animals and/or performing any animal procedures described in this form.			
<ul> <li>I will promptly notify the Attending Veterinarian or desig morbidity or mortality.</li> </ul>	I promptly notify the Attending Veterinarian or designee regarding any unexpected study results that negatively impact the animals, including any unanticipated pain or distress and/or bidity or mortality.			
<ul> <li>I agree that any proposed changes to this protocol will I procedures described therein.</li> </ul>	I agree that any proposed changes to this protocol will be requested by sending an amendment outlining the changes. IACUC approval must be obtained before performing the revised animal procedures described therein.			
<ul> <li>I will maintain appropriate animal records (e.g., census,</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I will maintain appropriate animal records (e.g., census, health, veterinary care, euthanasia, surgery, diagnostic, anesthesia, etc.).</li> </ul>			
<ul> <li>I will do everything within my power to safeguard the he</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>I will do everything within my power to safeguard the health and well-being of each animal under this protocol.</li> </ul>			
<ul> <li>I accept responsibility that all personnel working on this demonstrated competence in the animal procedures.</li> </ul>	xoject are aware of and will follow the approved procedures outlined in this form. I assure personnel are adequately trained and have			
<ul> <li>I understand that approval of projects is for a maximum</li> </ul>	I understand that approval of projects is for a maximum of three years from the date of approval. 1 understand that the IACUC can call for a complete re-review of the project as needed.			
- By submitting this form, I agree to protocol-related activ	ies including post approval monitoring, equipment maintenance, and communications with representatives of the IACUC at least annually.			
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2. Supporting documents: 🚱				
+ Add				
Document Name	Date Modified			
There are no items to display				
	OK Cancel			

The protocol has now been sent to the IACUC administrative office for processing.

For further support within the Click IACUC module, please contact the IACUC Administrative Office (<u>iacuc@msu.edu</u>, 517-432-8103) or the Click Help Desk (<u>clickhelpdesk@msu.edu</u>, 517-355-2000).