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What is SCAW?

The Scientists Center for Animal Welfare (SCAW) is a 501 (c)(3) non profit educational association of individuals and institutions. SCAW's mission is to promote best practices of humane care, use and management of animals involved in research, testing or education.

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SCAW also sponsors an educational **Winter Conference** and other **Seminars/Workshops** each year. SCAW will continue to be a major source for fulfilling the training requirements in USDA/APHIS/AC Policy 15 that states "IACUC members should be trained in understanding the Animal Welfare Act, protocol review and facility inspections" and also in *Guide for the Care and Use of Laboratory Animals*, 8th edition. Please visit the SCAW website at www.scaw.com to see upcoming educational programs and SCAW publications

IACUC Training Workshops are one-day workshops created to train members of Institutional Animal Care and Use Committees (IACUCs) and others involved with research animals. Training is recommended by USDA guidelines, PHS policy and AAALAC guidelines. The format lets small groups discuss specific, complex topics that are relevant to IACUC functions. Please visit the SCAW website for more information on upcoming workshops.

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SCAW has many **Publications** on the humane care and use of research animals. A few are listed below:

- Revision of SCAW'S Research Animal Anesthesia, Analgesia and Surgery
- The Well-Being of Animals in Zoo and Aquarium Sponsored Research (New)
- Performance Standards and Animal Welfare: Definition Application and Assessment - Parts I & II

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