# Ethics and Compliance

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Assists units in compliance with state and A&M System records management requirements and approves destruction requests.

Provides support in research areas related to Biosafety (IBC), Animal care and use (AACUC, IACUC) and Human Subject research (IRB).

Coordinates the development, review, and approval of all new and revised agency rules and procedures.

Coordinates train traq training and other compliance training.

Provides coordination for compliance with federal, System, and agency laws, policies, rules and procedures in the use of unmanned aerial systems for research.