Decreasing Regulatory Burden: Is \textbf{THAT} Required?

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This educational session will further explore topics related to NIH efforts to decrease regulatory burden for PIs and the impact this has on our IACUCs, researchers, and animal care staff. Three modules will comprise the morning of deep-dive discussions. We will delve into self-imposed burden created by the level of detail required by our IACUCs, including scientific merit review, compared to what the regulations require. Next, we will discuss use and availability of standard procedures, and end with an exploration of the self-imposed burden of three-year protocol expirations and annual USDA reviews. Attendees will benefit from engaging in large- and small-group discussions with colleagues on these contemporary challenges for veterinarians in biomedical research.

Learning Objectives: The participants will gain a better understanding of self-imposed regulatory burdens and the impact they have on the animal program. Colleagues will share their successes (or failures) in implementing these changes.

\textbf{AGENDA}

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7:30-8:30 AM & \textit{On-Site Check-In (breakfast provided by PRIM&R)} \\
8:30-8:45 AM & \textit{Welcome and Introduction} \\
8:45-9:45 AM & \textit{Module 1: Protocol Review Detail and Scientific Merit} \\
9:45-10:00 AM & \textit{Break} \\
10:00-11:00 AM & \textit{Module 2: Use and Availability of Standard Procedures} \\
11:00-11:45 AM & \textit{Module 3: Explorations of Expirations} \\
11:45 AM-12:00 PM & \textit{Final Thoughts} \\
12:00 PM & \textit{Adjournment} \\
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\textit{Please note this agenda is subject to change.}