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# I'm new to animal research at BWH...

# now what?

login with your Partners credentials:
animal.bwh.harvard.edu

## Key groups to know:
- IACUC = Institutional Animal Care & Use Committee. Contact the IACUC
- CCM = Center for Comparative Medicine. Contact the CCM

## How do I get cleared by Occ Health for animal work?
- Email Occupational Health Services for medical clearance

## How do I view and manage my protocol?
*Note: You must be listed on the IACUC protocol before beginning any work with animals*
- Insight is the protocol management system at Partners. The Animals Module is for IACUC protocols.
- Request access to Insight by submitting a help desk ticket
- Access Insight here
- Use these guides for navigating Insight
- Find information here for new PIs who need to create a protocol
- Animal Research SOPs/Guidance

## How do I get access to the vivarium?
- Summary with flow chart
- Animal Facility Access Request Form

## What training do I need?
- Learning paths
- Required Training for Animal Users Fact Sheet

## Where can I find other learning opportunities?
- Brigham Research Education (BRE)
- Subscribe to BRE newsletter
- Harvard Catalyst Education

## Will you be working with potentially hazardous chemicals?
- BWH Department of Environmental Affairs
- Contact Justin Silva, Lab Safety Program Manager

## Where should I manage my data?
Researchers capture and manage data in many different ways:
- Electronic Data Capture (EDC) Systems
- All researchers must create a LabArchives account:
  - BWH Quick Start Guide to Activation
  - Quick Tips
  - Guide to LabArchives & Clinical Research

## How do I order or import animals?
- Use the Bioware application to order animals
- For questions contact CCM Procurement