

The purpose of this policy is to outline visits by animal health professionals (here to referred to a 'Visits') in support of the Post Approval Monitoring Program (PAM) associated with Western's Research Community. Visits will include the following:

- Facility visits
 - Animal Use Protocol visits
 - ACC directed evaluations
 - Field research reviews
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AUPs requiring evaluations by animal health professionals will include Pilot Studies and may also include any AUPs based upon perceived risk to animal health and welfare, e.g. invasive and/or novel and/or unfamiliar procedures.

PIs undertaking Pilot Studies or having AUPs identified by the ACC as requiring veterinary observation