**Unaffiliated Investigator/Researcher Agreement**

**With the University of North Texas**

Name of Principle Investigator:

Department of Principle Investigator:

Title of Animal Use Protocol Covered by this Agreement:

Name of Unaffiliated Researcher/ Investigator:

Role of Unaffiliated Researcher/ Investigator:

1. The above-named unaffiliated has reviewed the relevant institutional policies and procedures.
2. The unaffiliated understands and hereby accepts the responsibility to comply with the standards and requirements stipulated in the above documents in research conducted under this Agreement.
3. The unaffiliated will comply with all other Federal, State, or local laws or regulations that may provide additional protection for animal subjects.
4. The unaffiliated will abide by all determinations of the UNT Committees and will accept the final authority and decisions of the committees, including but not limited to directives to terminate participation in designated research activities.
5. The unaffiliated will complete any training required by the Institution prior to initiating research covered under this Agreement.
6. The unaffiliated will report promptly to the UNT PI any proposed changes in the research conducted under this Agreement. The unaffiliated will not initiate changes in the research without prior committee review and approval, except where necessary to eliminate apparent immediate hazards or emergencies.
7. The unaffiliated will report immediately to the UNT PI, any unanticipated problems in research covered under this Agreement that involve risks to subjects or others.
8. The unaffiliated acknowledges that any unanticipated injuries, illnesses, or health problems resulting from their involvement in these activities will not be covered by UNT and will be the responsibility of the unaffiliated and their personal insurance.
9. The unaffiliated acknowledges and agrees to cooperate in the responsibility for initial and continuing review, record keeping, reporting, and certification. The unaffiliated will provide all information requested by the UNT committee in a timely fashion.
10. This Agreement does not preclude the unaffiliated from taking part in research not covered under the Agreement

**Signatures**

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| Unaffiliated Researcher/Investigator: |  | Date: |
| UNT Principal Investigator: |  | Date: |
| UNT Research Compliance: |  | Date: |