Chandra Williams Lab Animal Resources



Promotes responsible animal use for the benefit of society.

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"Between animal and human and medicine, there is no dividing line---nor should there be. The object is different, but the experience obtained constitutes the basis of all medicine."

-19th century German physician Rudolf Virchow, the "father of pathology"

One World—One Medicine—One Health

Chandra D. Williams serves as the University Veterinarian and Director of Laboratory Animal Resources (LAR). Her research specialty is Laboratory Animal Medicine with an emphasis on animal model development and training.

Our service role for the University of North Carolina at Charlotte is to provide excellent customer service to facilitate the University research and teaching missions while providing humane care and use of animals in biomedical research. My staff and I accomplish this by providing veterinary clinical care, overseeing housing and husbandry, ensuring the health quality of research animals as well a maintaining compliance with federal regulations and guidelines related to animal use. The goal is to promote responsible animal use that benefits all of society. I also advise research scientists on ways to improve their experimental models, participate in collaborative research projects and teach an elective course about laboratory animal biology and disease in the **Department of Biological Sciences.**

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