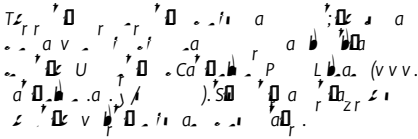


General Policies



Animal Ethics

The University acknowledges its obligation under the Animal Welfare Act 1999 and recognises the humane consideration requirements of animal care and use of animal in teaching and research must be a standard. There are a number of high quality procedures provided by the Act.

The University aims:

- to promote an attitude which encourages the careful and consideration of animal welfare. No greater restriction is produced than would be acceptable reasonable and tolerable by community standard; and
- to ensure humane teaching and research in which the welfare of animal is not hindered by inefficient technique or careless practice.

Application for review and approval must be made to the Animal Ethics Committee using the appropriate form.

Camp, Drug and Alcohol Policy

The University of Canterbury will provide a safe and secure environment for all students and staff on the University campus. This policy clearly sets out the rules regarding drug and alcohol use within the University campus.

For further details and guidelines, visit the policy compliance page, Camp, Drug and Alcohol Policy, in the UC Policy Library, www.canterbury.ac.nz/cpolicy

Computer Use and Administration

The computing facilities of the University of Canterbury are essential for the University, primarily for the function of teaching, research and administration. Their use is governed by the Computer Use Policy and Procedure, and the Computer Administration Policy and Procedure, copies of which may be obtained from the UC Policy Library at www.canterbury.ac.nz/cpolicy

Harassment Policy

The University regards harassment of any kind in the workplace, whether on or off campus, as unacceptable.

The University recognises the right to make such action where necessary to prevent the occurrence or recurrence of harassment.

For further details, see Harassment Policy, in the UC Policy Library, www.canterbury.ac.nz/cpolicy

Health and Safety Policy

The University of Canterbury is committed to providing and maintaining a safe and healthy working environment for its employees. In addition, the University of Canterbury is also committed to providing a safe and healthy environment for students, visitors, and everyone attending the University of Canterbury.

For further details and a copy of the policy, see the UC Policy Library, www.canterbury.ac.nz/cpolicy, under Health and Safety Policy.

Human Ethics

The University of Canterbury aims to promote excellence and ethical research. The Human Ethics Committee ensures that researchers who work in the human participant will conduct their work with appropriate regard for ethical principle and cultural values, and in accordance with the Treaty of Waitangi. The principle and values include justice, fairness, confidentiality and respect.

All research involving human participants should be conducted in accordance with the ethical norm and be subject to ethical appraisal and approval of both human and end.

Application for review and approval must be made to the Human Ethics Committee using the appropriate form.

The Human Ethics Committee Principle and Guidelines are in the UC Policy Library, www.canterbury.ac.nz/cpolicy, and should be read before completion of an application.

