

APPENDIX D

LIST OF COMMITTEES

Radiation Safety Committee

To comply with regulations of the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, any use of radiation or radioactive materials requires approval by the Radiation Safety Committee. Information and required forms are available from the Radiation Safety Officer (Sparrow Hospital's Chief Medical Physicist).

OSHA

Research Involving Human Blood, Blood Products, Body Fluids or Tissue Specimens:

The Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) promulgated a standard entitled, "Occupational Exposure to Bloodborne Pathogens" that took effect March 6, 1992. The standard, which recognizes unique hazards to health care workers, applies to all laboratories and clinical settings that use human blood, blood products, tissue specimens or body fluids. It requires the employer to provide annual training in the proper handling of bloodborne pathogens. Occupational Health provides training.

Conflict of Interest

The IRB reviews issues of Investigator and/or IRB member conflict of interest, and may request the assistance of the hospital compliance officer. The Corporate Compliance Department is responsible for issues of conflict of interest for hospital and its associates.