

Palmer Area User Committee (PAUC) Meeting  
4 August 2011  
Committee Recommendations

Recommendation:

Palmer's Major System Study should be distributed to the PAUC.

Action:

Palmer's Major System Study will be posted to the *Supporting Documents* section of the PAUC meeting report

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Recommendation:

A list of chemicals with a known history of shipping problems should be distributed to the PAUC.

Action:

Palmer Labs will begin compiling an ongoing list of chemicals for which RPSC encounters shipping problems

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Recommendation:

The items up for life cycle replacement should be distributed to the PAUC.

Action:

Palmer's life cycle replacement list will be posted to the *Supporting Documents* section of the PAUC meeting results.

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Recommendation:

Distribute a list of available field camp supplies to the PAUC.

Action:

Palmer's field camp supplies will be posted to the *Supporting Documents* section of the PAUC meeting results.

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Recommendation:

The PAUC requests reconsideration of the policy preventing grantees from using LabCorp for the PQ process. For some college students the cost of such blood work is high and not covered by university insurance. Could grantees be allowed to use LabCorp through RPSC, with grant money being used to reimburse RPSC for the costs?

Action:

The NSF does not currently have plans to change the policy with regard to the use of LabCorp and the PQ process.