Last Updated - Sep 2022 **IBC Processing Flow Chart** Research Projects Involving the Use of Recombinant or Synthetic Nucleic Acid, Biological Agents and/or Human Derived Materials PI completes and submits application Protocol Triage and Pre-review PRIMARY PROTOCOLS Experiments in NIH guidelines BSL2 experiments (other than human derived materials) **SECONDARY PROTOCOLS** BSL3 experiments (new, amendments, renewals) **Clinical Studies** NIH exempt experiments - BSL1 experiments Human source materials experiments (including established cell lines) Amendments and renewals (not increasing initial risk assessment) Assigned to IBC Presenter Full IBC protocol Review/Approval University of CINCINNATI **Biosafety Office notifies PI and** other UC committees of approval