Projects involving any of the following non-attenuated 15 agents or toxin listed must be reviewed according to the *Policy for Institutional Oversight of Life Sciences Dual Use for Research of Concern (DURC)*.

Bacteria

* + - *Bacillus anthracis*
		- *Burkholderia mallei*
		- *Burkholderia pseudomallei*
		- *Clostridium botulinum* (toxin producing strains)
		- *Francisella tularensis*
		- *Yersinia pestis*

Viruses

* + - Avian influenza virus (highly pathogenic)
		- Ebola virus
		- Foot-and-mouth disease virus
		- Influenza virus (reconstructed 1918)
		- Marburg virus
		- Rinderpest virus
		- Variola major virus
		- Variola minor virus

Toxin

* + - Botulinum neurotoxin (any quantity)

Research that using one or more of the 15 agents or toxin listed above AND produces one or more of the 7 experimental effects may qualify as DURC.

* + - * + Enhances the harmful consequences of the agent or toxin;
				+ Disrupts immunity or the effectiveness of an immunization against the agent or toxin without clinical and/or agricultural justification;
				+ Confers to the agent or toxin resistance to clinically and/or agriculturally useful prophylactic or therapeutic intervention against that agent or toxin or facilitates their ability to evade detection methodologies;
				+ Increases the stability, transmissibility, or the ability to disseminate the agent or toxin;
				+ Alters the host range or tropism of the agent or toxin;
				+ Enhances the susceptibility of the host population to the agent or toxin; and
				+ Generates or reconstitutes an eradicated or extinct listed agent or toxin listed above.