



Inspection Report

UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH

Customer ID: 289

Certificate: 23-R-0016

Site: 001

OAKLAND CAMPUS

3500 TERRACE STREET

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

PITTSBURGH, PA 15261

Date: May-11-2010

2.31 (e) (3)

INSTITUTIONAL ANIMAL CARE AND USE COMMITTEE (IACUC).

(e) A proposal to conduct an activity involving animals, or to make a significant change in an ongoing activity involving animals, must contain the following:

(3) A complete description of the proposed use of the animals;

**** This deficiency was self reported by the researcher. It was originally noted by one of the facility's clinical veterinarians. In total 7 primates that were part of a protocol that was originally written in 2006 were affected. The protocol as written only permitted two jejunal resections to occur per animal on study. Each of these 7 animals had 3 surgeries instead of the 2 permitted in the protocol. This protocol was rewritten as required for its' 3 year renewal and approved to allow for the third additional surgery. They submitted another supplement for a protocol that remains in compliance. It has not had any primates undergo more than two procedures. This is a request for the third surgical procedure in case it is needed. Note: all three surgeries went well and these animals recovered with no difficulties after each of their surgeries, per facility and researcher records

The researcher was involved in developing the the Corrective Action Plan (CAP) and has accepted full responsibility for the error.

The plan and punitive actions as listed in the letters sent to Animal Care and OLAW have been enacted and enforced as written.

While the deficiency did occur, the corrective actions taken are adequate to correct the problem.

CORRECTED IMMEDIATELY

An exit briefing was conducted with a facility representative of the registrant.

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2.33 (b)

ATTENDING VETERINARIAN AND ADEQUATE VETERINARY CARE.

(b) Each research facility shall establish and maintain programs of adequate veterinary care that include:

(1) The availability of appropriate facilities, personnel, equipment, and services to comply with the provisions of this subchapter;

(2) The use of appropriate methods to prevent, control, diagnose, and treat diseases and injuries, and the availability of emergency, weekend, and holiday care;

***The primate treatment areas contained the following outdated drugs: Baytril - 2/10, Cimetidine - 1/10, BeneBac - 2/10. Drugs need to be monitored and maintained in date to be sure that the animals are receiving appropriate medical care.

Corrected Immediately

This was an inspection of site "K"

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3.56 (c)

SANITATION.

(c) Housekeeping. Premises (buildings and grounds) shall be kept clean and in good repair in order to protect the animals from injury and to facilitate the prescribed husbandry practices set forth in this subpart. Premises shall remain free of accumulations of trash.

*****The freezer in the surgical scrub area of site "E" was overloaded with carcasses and excessively dirty. It needs all but the animals still needed for surgical practice removed and disposed of so that a complete cleaning may be conducted. This freezer needs its shelf repaired so that items can be stored in a reasonably organized manner. Presently, the end of one shelf is on the floor of the freezer and everything is a jumbled mess. There are racks of cages stored in this area, both are dusty but the one still has bedding residue from the rabbits. There is a large amount of clutter throughout this room that has been allowed to build up over time, this must be removed to permit this area to return to its original intent. Everything in this area must remain clean to permit the surgeons to adequately prep for surgery and progress to the surgery area able to conduct surgery in a sterile manner. This is for the health and well being of the animals.

Correct by: 3-29-10

Site "I" was also inspected with no noncompliant items identified.

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No noncompliant items identified during this inspection.
This was a complete inspection of site "J".

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Date: Jan-19-2010

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No animals sold under this license. No animals presently on this license in the facility. No noncompliant items identified during this inspection.

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No noncompliant items identified during this inspect.
This was an inspection of building A of site 001.

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No noncompliant items identified during this inspection. Record review only, no animals inspected.

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3500 TERRACE STREET S1040 BIO SCI. TWR.

Site: 002

UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

PITTSBURGH, PA 15261

Date: Apr-08-2009

No covered species present. No noncompliant items identified during this inspection.

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Certificate: **23-B-0152**

Site: 002

UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH

PITTSBURGH, PA 15261

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: Mar-27-2008

No covered species present under the dealer's license.
No noncompliant items identified during this inspection.

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Mar-27-2008

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Site: 002

UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH

PITTSBURGH, PA 15261

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: Oct-25-2007

No noncompliant items identified during this inspection.
South BST , BST3 and East BST (No covered species in this facility)

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PBRC

3500 TERRACE STREET

S1040 TE STARZL BIOMEDICAL SCIENCE

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Date: Feb-11-2010

PITTSBURGH, PA 15261

No covered animals present under this license. No noncompliant items identified during this inspection.

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PLUM BOROUGH RESEARCH CENTER

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Date: Apr-08-2009

No covered species under this license present today. No noncompliant items identified during this inspection.

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PLUM BOROUGH RESEARCH CENTER

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No noncompliant items identified during this inspection.

No covered animals present during this inspection.

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PLUM BOROUGH RESEARCH CENTER

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Date: Oct-31-2007

No noncompliant items identified during this inspection. No dealer animals at present. This facility is under renovation.

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RIDIC PARK

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No non-compliant items identified during this inspection.

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3.75 (e)

HOUSING FACILITIES, GENERAL.

(e) Storage. Supplies of food and bedding must be stored in a manner that protects the supplies from spoilage, contamination, and vermin infestation. The supplies must be stored off the floor and away from the walls, to allow cleaning underneath and around the supplies. Food requiring refrigeration must be stored accordingly, and all food must be stored in a manner that prevents contamination and deterioration of its nutritive value. Only the food and bedding currently being used may be kept in animal areas, and when not in actual use, open food and bedding supplies must be kept in leakproof containers with tightly fitting lids to prevent spoilage and contamination. Substances that are toxic to the nonhuman primates but that are required for normal husbandry practices must not be stored in food storage and preparation areas, but may be stored in cabinets in the animal areas.

**** There were four trays of frozen treats prepared in ice cube trays that were stored uncovered in the freezer in the food prep area. These must be kept covered and identified as to life span to prevent loss of nutritive value to freezer burn or other deterioration.

These were disposed of immediately

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Date: Jun-16-2009

No noncompliant items identified during this inspection.

No animals present for the dealer's license during this inspection.

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RIDIC PARK

3500 TERRACE STREET S1040 BIO SCI. TWR.

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: Sep-18-2008

PITTSBURGH, PA 15261

No noncompliant items identified during this inspection.
No primates sold from this facility.

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No covered species sold from this facility.
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