

Health Surveillance of Animals

- Animal Acclimation and Quarantine Procedures
- Sentinel Program
- Veterinary Requests and Rounds

Animal Husbandry

- Standard caging and changes
- Standard weaning practices
- Environmental enrichment/social housing (SOP 400, 403, 101)
- Paperwork usage and record keeping (SOP 012, 017, 018)
- Disposal of carcasses

Transportation of Animals (SOP 007)

- Within the Facility
- To Outside Labs
- Between Facilities

Facility Information

- Access limited to IACUC certified individuals that have been granted facility access
- Security and access (badges, ID cards, keys)
 - no sharing access cards
 - no piggybacking or unauthorized escort of/by others
- Core hours of operation
- Scheduling of Procedure/Special use rooms
- Scheduling of equipment (hoods, microscopes, etc.)
- Decontamination of Common Procedural Areas (SOP 1015)
- Use of and returning of animal caging/equipment
 - Clean caging
 - Soiled caging
- Reporting Facility Issues (lights out, water leaks, etc)

Safety within the Facility

- Eating and drinking restrictions
- Use of and disposal of sharps and PPE
- Use of and disposal of radioisotopes or biohazards
- Evacuation and take cover routes
- Location of SDSs, fire extinguishers and safety showers
- Reporting emergencies
 - Veterinary emergency
 - Medical emergency
 - Building emergency

Health and Risk Assessment – enquire if the H&R has been completed/submitted to ARC, if not; provide a copy/review with the individual

- _____ JAHVA current CITI training certificates maybe used in lieu of AALAS Learning Library training
- _____ Print certificate of completion, scan, and save as PDF for upload during ARC registration

Training

_____ Comparative Medicine offers training, courses and schedules can be found at <http://www.usf.edu/research-innovation/comparative-medicine/technical-training-resources.aspx>

_____ **Basic Rodent Biomethodologies** is required if you will be handling rodents

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