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Inspection Report

University Of California Los Angeles
U.C.L.A. School Of Medicine - D L A M
10833 Le Conte Avenue, Room 16-222 H C H S
Los Angeles, CA 90095

Customer ID: 9194

Certificate: 93-R-0435

Site: 001

THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, LOS ANGELES

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 29-SEP-2015

2.31(d)(1)(9)

INSTITUTIONAL ANIMAL CARE AND USE COMMITTEE (IACUC).

A non-survival procedure on a pig was being performed in a lab area at time of inspection. The following items/conditions were noted in the laboratory area while the procedure was in progress: an active HVAC vent was blowing directly toward the surgery table; there was unorganized clutter present, including two cardboard boxes, un-used monitors and equipment, among other stacked items on a table within 4 feet of the procedure site; a sink with a build -up of dirt, debris, and clutter was present; the door entering into the lab space was unsecured.

It was noted there was only one lab member present with the pig while the procedure was in progress. According to the lab personnel, an additional lab member had just stepped out and was due back. According to a facility representative from the Division of Lab Animal Medicine (DLAM), they were not aware or informed that a procedure was in progress. The corresponding approved protocol lists at least 2 lab members that are qualified to assist the anesthesiologist and surgeon during survival and non-survival procedures, and should have been made available as relief personnel.

Non-survival procedures must be performed in accordance with established veterinary medical and nursing practices.

To be corrected for all future non-survival procedures

3.125(a)

FACILITIES, GENERAL.

In at least 2 Yucatan pig enclosures, the metal, drain covers in the floor were in disrepair and had openings which were wide enough to allow a hoof to potentially get caught and lead to animal injury. Enclosures for all animals should be constructed in a manner that is appropriate and safe for the animals involved and should regularly be maintained so as to protect the animals from injury and to ensure their health and well-being.

To be corrected by October 31, 2015

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SANITATION.

The following conditions or items were noted in an animal treatment room:

- a soiled towel on the treatment table.
- used towels being stored in a plastic bag on the floor.
- a moderate amount of dust around the refrigerator.
- countertops were cluttered with food bowls, medical materials and cleaning products.

There was a sign posted in this treatment room that read " The clinic must be ready for an emergency procedure at all times". Rooms designated to conduct animal treatments and/ or emergency procedures should be maintained in a clean and ready-to-use manner in order to protect the health of the animals.

Additionally, air vents in the enrichment supply room and at least two animal rooms had a moderate accumulation of dust.

All animal use areas should be cleaned as often as needed to facilitate the prescribed husbandry practices set forth in this subpart.

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An exit briefing was conducted with the facility representatives.

This inspection was conducted on September 29th and October 8, 2015.

Accompanied on inspection October 8, 2015 by Veterinary Medical Officers Dr. Katharine Frank and Dr. Tyler Fields

Additional Inspectors

Frank Katharine, Veterinary Medical Officer

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Species Inspected

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9194	93-R-0435	001	THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, LOS ANGELES	29-SEP-15	
Count	Scientific Name		Common Name		
000012	Chinchilla lanigera		CHINCHILLA	CHINCHILLA	
000033	Gerbillus acticola		BERBERA GERBIL	BERBERA GERBIL	
000026	Oryctolagus cuniculus		EUROPEAN RABBIT	EUROPEAN RABBIT	
000014	Sus scrofa domestica		DOMESTIC PIG / POTBELLY PIG	DOMESTIC PIG / POTBELLY PIG / MICRO PIG	
000085	Total				