

United States Department of Agriculture Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service

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Inspection Report

ELANCO ANIMAL HEALTH 2500 INNOVATION WAY GREENFIELD, IN 46140 Customer ID: 332834

Certificate: 32-R-0053

Site: 001

ELANCO ANIMAL HEALTH

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 25-AUG-2021

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Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC).

The facility was not following the IACUC approved procedure for one category E protocol involving hamsters. The protocol required challenged hamsters to be observed for morbidity twice daily at no less than a six-hour interval. One facility representative working directly with the hamsters stated that the challenged hamsters were checked, as standard practice, twice daily at a four-hour interval.

The reduction of the interval from at least 6 to every 4 hours, twice daily, would reasonably be expected to result in greater distress, pain and suffering in these hamsters.

Failure to follow IACUC approved protocols, and implementing unapproved changes without IACUC oversight, may have a negative impact on animal welfare.

The facility must ensure that all significant changes to protocols are approved by the IACUC prior to implementation or that the facility follows the protocols as written and approved.

Correction: by Close of Business Aug 26, 2021

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This inspection and exit interview were conducted with facility representatives.						
Additional Inspectors:						
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Species Inspected

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Count 000173	Scientific Name Canis lupus familiaris	Common Name DOG ADULT DOMESTIC RABBIT / EUROPEAN		
000082 000116	Oryctolagus cuniculus Felis silvestris catus	RABBIT CAT ADULT		
000030 000539	Cavia porcellus Mesocricetus auratus	DOMESTIC GUINEA PIG SYRIAN / GOLDEN HAMSTER		
000940	Total			