



Inspection Report

Northwestern C T Community College
Park Place East
Winsted, CT 06098

Customer ID: **10301**

Certificate: **16-R-0040**

Site: 001

NORTHWESTERN CT COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 30-MAR-2016

2.31(b)(2)

INSTITUTIONAL ANIMAL CARE AND USE COMMITTEE (IACUC).

IACUC Membership.

1. The research facility's Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC) does not have a Chairman. The Chairman of the IACUC left the college in August 2015 but a replacement has not been appointed by the Institutional Official (IO).

Per this Section of the Regulations, the IACUC shall be composed of a Chairman and at least 2 other members who are appointed by the Chief Executive Officer of the research facility. A properly constituted IACUC is important and is required in order to assess a research facility's animal program, animal facilities, and procedures to ensure compliance with the AWA and Regulations.

The IO needs to appoint a Chairman to the IACUC.

Correct by 4/15/16.

2.31(c)(1)

INSTITUTIONAL ANIMAL CARE AND USE COMMITTEE (IACUC).

Semi-annual Program Review.

1. The IACUC has not reviewed the research facility's Program for Animal Care and Use at least once every 6 months as required. The last review of the Program was conducted almost 12 months ago on 4/20/15.

Per this Section of the Regulations, the IACUC shall review the Program for Animal Care and Use at least once every 6 months to ensure all aspects of the Program are in compliance with the AWA Regulations.

The IACUC needs to conduct a semi-annual review of the Program for Animal Care and Use.

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Correct by 5/1/16.

2.31(c)(2)

INSTITUTIONAL ANIMAL CARE AND USE COMMITTEE (IACUC).

Semi-annual Facility Inspection.

1. The IACUC has not inspected the research facility's animal facilities at least once every 6 months as required. The last inspection of the animal facilities was conducted almost 12 months ago on 4/20/15.

Per this Section of the Regulations, the IACUC shall inspect all of the research facility's animal facilities at least once

every 6 months to ensure the condition of the animal facility is in compliance with the AWA Regulations.

The IACUC needs to conduct a semi-annual inspection of the animal facilities.

Correct by 5/1/16.

2.31(c)(3)

INSTITUTIONAL ANIMAL CARE AND USE COMMITTEE (IACUC).

IACUC functions.

1. The IACUC has not updated their reports to the Institutional Official (IO) at least once every six months as required. The last Semi-annual IACUC Report submitted to the IO was dated 4/20/15 and pertained to the IACUC's April 2015 semi-annual reviews of the program for animal care and animal facility inspection. Almost 12 months have elapsed since the IACUC prepared and updated their semi-annual report to the IO.

Per this Section of the Regulations, reports of the IACUC semi-annual evaluations of the program for animal care and

animal facility inspection should be updated at least once every 6 months upon completion of the required semiannual evaluations and the report should be submitted to the Institutional Official. Compliance with the requirements outlined in this Section is important to ensure the IO is updated regarding the status of the animal use program and the condition of the animal facilities to ensure that the research facility is adhering to the standards and regulations specified under the Act.

The IACUC needs to update their report to the IO after completing the semi-annual review of the program for animal use and the inspection of the animal facilities.

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NOTE - Exit interview held 3/30/16 on-site with facility representative. Report delivered by e-mail 4/4/16.

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Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
10301	16-R-0040	001	NORTHWESTERN CT COMMUNITY COLLEGE	30-MAR-16

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000001	<i>Cavia porcellus</i>	DOMESTIC GUINEA PIG
000002	<i>Felis silvestris catus</i>	CAT ADULT
000001	<i>Mesocricetus auratus</i>	SYRIAN / GOLDEN HAMSTER (COMMON PET/RESEARCH TYPE)
000001	<i>Oryctolagus cuniculus</i>	EUROPEAN RABBIT
000005	Total	