

# United States Department of Agriculture Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service

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### **Inspection Report**

University of Texas- El Paso 500 W UNIVERSITY AVE I A C U C OFFICE, ADMIN. 209 EL PASO, TX 79968 Customer ID: 1473

Certificate: 74-R-0069

Site: 001

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PASO

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 20-MAR-2025

#### 2.31(b)(3)(ii)

#### Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC).

The non-affiliated member of the Committee at the UTEP research facility is the current Attending Veterinarian at another USDA registered research facility in the local area. Use of an affiliate in the regulated research community, such as an Attending Veterinarian, as a non-affiliated member of the IACUC does not meet the intention of the Secretary for general community representation and may lead to conflict of interest in animal research. The Committee shall be composed of a Chairman and at least two additional members, one of which shall not be affiliated in any way with the facility other than as a member of the Committee, and shall not be a member of the immediate family of a person who is affiliated with the facility. The Secretary intends that such person will provide representation for general community interests in the proper care and treatment of animals.

Correct by 30 April 2025 or the next IACUC meeting.

#### 2.38(I)(2)

#### Miscellaneous.

When requested to see documentation of annual reviews of the contingency plan, a facility representative could not find any. Failure to document annual reviews and modifications of the contingency plan may lead to errors in executing the plan that can result in poor animal handling during emergencies. Each registrant must maintain documentation of their annual reviews, including documenting any amendments or changes made to their plan since their previous year's review. Contingency plans, as well as all annual review documentation must be made available to APHIS upon request.

Correct by 27 May 2025.

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with the facility representatives.

Prepared By: MADELINE ANNA Date:

Title: VETERINARY MEDICAL

**OFFICER** 

Received by Title: Facility Representative Date:

28-MAR-2025

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## **Species Inspected**

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
1473	74-R-0069	001	UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS- EL PASO	20-MAR-2025

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
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