



## Inspection Report

Vivopath Llc  
55 Union Street  
Worcester, MA 01608

Customer ID: **323725**  
Certificate: **14-R-0199**  
Site: 001  
VIVOPATH

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION  
Date: 15-MAY-2014

### 2.31(e)(4)

#### INSTITUTIONAL ANIMAL CARE AND USE COMMITTEE (IACUC).

Proposals to conduct an activity involving animals.

1. Review of Protocol #2014-039: At the time of the inspection, the inspector observed an animal under general anesthesia under this protocol. According to facility personnel, the injectable pre-anesthetic medications administered to the study animals are telazol and xylazine. However the protocol approved by the IACUC described the administration of ketamine and xylazine as the injectable pre-anesthetic medications.

2. Review of Protocol #2012-014: The 2/19/14 modification approved by the IACUC added a new animal use procedure that also included different anesthetic agents than the anesthetic agents that were approved by the IACUC in the original protocol. The 2/19/14 modification that was approved by the IACUC did not include a description of the dosages for the new anesthetic agents.

Per this Section of the Regulations, a proposal for animal use must contain a description of procedures designed to assure that discomfort and pain to animals will be limited in order to minimize discomfort and pain to the animals. A description of the analgesic, anesthetic, and tranquilizing drugs is required in order for the IACUC to determine that the proposed activities are in accordance with all of the requirements of this subchapter.

The IACUC needs to address this item as identified for both of these proposals.

Correct by 5/30/14.

NOTE - Exit interview held 5/15/14 on-site with facility representatives. Report delivered by e-mail 5/19/14.

\*END OF REPORT\*

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## Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
323725	14-R-0199	001	VIVOPATH	15-MAY-14

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000005	<i>Canis lupus familiaris</i>	DOG ADULT
000004	<i>Sus scrofa domestica</i>	DOMESTIC PIG / POTBELLY PIG / MICRO PIG
<b>000009</b>	<b>Total</b>	