



## Inspection Report

State University Of New York  
450 Clarkson Avenue, Msc 112  
Brooklyn, NY 11203

Customer ID: 294

Certificate: 21-R-0021

Site: 001

SUNY DOWNSTATE MEDICAL CENTER

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 23-FEB-2017

### 2.31(b)(3)(i)

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

Item IACUC 2.31 b 3 i

The facility has recently changed from a full time Veterinarian to a consulting vet. There is no record that the consulting vet has been appointed to the IACUC as required by the regulations.

The institution needs to appoint the veterinarian to the IACUC.

The IACUC needs to review that the IACUC is properly constituted by appointments before any activities are conducted and that any previous activities that were performed need to be reviewed to insure the IACUC was in compliance with the regs or those activities are void.

Correct by close of business 2/24/2017

### 2.31(e)(3)

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

Item IACUC 2.31 e 3

At the time of inspection bat protocol 15-10450 was reviewed. The protocol involves breeding of bats, the protocol does not mention how the investigator intends to monitor the breeding of the animals as well as reporting any other issues involving the care and use of animals to the IACUC.

In addition a request by the USDA VMO to review the records of the 5 bats reported on the annual report could not be accomplished, as there were no records available for the USDA to review.

The IACUC needs have the investigator supply the updated information for the protocol and maintain records for the animals.

Correct by 3/1/2017

### 2.33(b)(3)

#### ATTENDING VETERINARIAN AND ADEQUATE VETERINARY CARE.

Item Vet care 2.33 b 5

At the time of inspection record dated 10/11/2016 indicates the Investigator was notified about alopecia in bats and the attending vet requested a meeting to discuss the issue with him there is no indication that the investigator had a

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meeting with the vet. In addition another bat was reported to have alopecia on 12/23/2016 and the investigator indicates on the card "not sick".

The investigator is not a veterinarian and the veterinarian and the investigator needs to review the husbandry for these animals to determine cause of the alopecia.

Correct from this day 2/24/2017

### 3.81

#### ENVIRONMENT ENHANCEMENT TO PROMOTE PSYCHOLOGICAL WELL-BEING.

Item Environment enhancement to promote psychological well being 3.81

At the time of inspection the plan for environment enhancement was reviewed, with the change over to a consulting vet.

The plan needs to be reviewed and signed off by the new vet.

Facility needs to have the new consulting vet review and direct the enrichment plan.

correct by 3/1/2017

### 3.84(c)

#### CLEANING, SANITIZATION, HOUSEKEEPING, AND PEST CONTROL.

Item Housekeeping 3.84 c

At the time of inspection it as noticed that the ceiling in the dirty side of the cage washer is peeling and need to be repaired, as well as primate rm 8 34 J has the back wall of the primate room peeling.

Facility needs to repair surfaces so that good husbandry practices can be maintained.

Correct by 3/24/2017

At the time of inspection it was noticed there is buildup of ice touching fruit in the primate enrichment refrigerator.

Refrigerator needs to be cleaned.

Correct by 2/24/2017

### 3.131(a)

#### SANITATION.

Item Sanitation 3.131 a

At the time of inspection protocol 15-10450 involves the use of bats, a review of the cages shows an accumulation of debris on the outside and other debris on the outside of the cage.

Facility needs to insure cages are properly cleaned.

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An exit interview took place at the end of inspection with the chair of the IACUC and other members of the IACUC.

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## Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
294	21-R-0021	001	SUNY DOWNSTATE MEDICAL CENTER	23-FEB-17

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000093	<i>Cynopterus sphinx</i>	SHORT-NOSED FRUIT BAT
000002	<i>Macaca fascicularis</i>	CRAB-EATING MACAQUE / CYNOMOLGUS MONKEY
000074	<i>Macaca mulatta</i>	RHESUS MACAQUE *MALE
<b>000169</b>	<b>Total</b>	