



Inspection Report

San Joaquin Valley College
3828 West Caldwell Avenue
Visalia, CA 93277

Customer ID: 1132

Certificate: 93-R-0232

Site: 001

SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY COLLEGE

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 07-MAY-2015

2.31(c)

INSTITUTIONAL ANIMAL CARE AND USE COMMITTEE (IACUC).

The Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC) only met once in 2014 and once in 2013. The meetings were held on February 25, 2013 and November 5, 2014. Protocols were not reviewed during the last meeting.

IACUC oversight is intended to ensure that the facility is in compliance with the Animal Welfare Act. Inadequate program oversight may be detrimental to the welfare of the animals used in the program. The facility should meet at least once every six months to review their program for humane care and use of animals, inspect all animal facilities, and perform any other necessary functions required in paragraph (c).

Correct by May 31, 2015.

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There were no protocols available for review at the time of the inspection. The facility did have incomplete descriptions of some of the procedures used on animals. Protocols should include: the rationale for the species and number of animals to be used with a rationale for the numbers, a complete description of the proposed use of the animals, a description of procedures designed to assure that discomfort and pain to animals will be limited to that which is unavoidable for the conduct of scientifically valuable research, and a description of any euthanasia method to be used.

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The IACUC is responsible for reviewing and approving all activities using regulated species at the facility thus ensuring facility compliance with the Animal Welfare Act. Without complete written protocols the IACUC cannot adequately perform these functions. The IACUC should ensure that proposals to conduct activities involving animals include the appropriate information prior to approving the proposal. Additionally, any significant changes to activities should have IACUC approval prior to their implementation.

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An exit briefing was conducted with a facility representative.

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Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
1132	93-R-0232	001	SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY COLLEGE	07-MAY-15

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000013	<i>Canis lupus familiaris</i>	DOG ADULT
000001	<i>Felis silvestris catus</i>	CAT ADULT
000014	Total	