



## Inspection Report

East Tennessee Clinical Research Inc  
80 Copper Ridge Farm Rd  
Rockwood, TN 37854

Customer ID: **39091**

Certificate: **63-R-0120**

Site: 001

EAST TENNESSEE CLINICAL RESEARCH INC

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 04-JUN-2014

### 3.2(b)

#### INDOOR HOUSING FACILITIES.

The humidity level before 11 am in the indoor dog and cat housing rooms was already over 70% (for example, the digital readout in the large dog room was 76% and odors associated with the dogs/dog excreta appeared stronger than would normally be expected based on the room conditions). Review of room logs for the past few days in June 2014 showed minimum humidity readings of 73-94% and maximum humidity readings of 96-98%. Review of room logs for 17 days of Jan 2014 showed that the average minimum humidity level was about 20% with a range of 3-32% and the average maximum humidity level was about 47% with a range of 29-98%. Review of the last four semi-annual IACUC facility inspection evaluations and reports showed that the humidity issues were noted as a minor deficiency on three of the four evaluations. A note had been made in the corresponding documentation that the odor was stronger in the rooms than usual in the most recent evaluation (May 2014). Humidity levels of indoor facilities should be able to be maintained between 30 and 70% and in accordance with generally accepted professional and husbandry practices to provide for the health and well-being of the animals and to minimize odors, ammonia levels and moisture condensation. Correct by 8/5/14.

Exit conducted with undersigned facility representative.

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Date:  
04-JUN-2014

Title: VETERINARY MEDICAL OFFICER 1076

Received by Title: FACILITY REPRESENTATIVE

Date:  
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## Species Inspected

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39091	63-R-0120	001	EAST TENNESSEE CLINICAL RESEARCH INC	04-JUN-14

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000022	<i>Canis lupus familiaris</i>	DOG ADULT
000019	<i>Felis silvestris catus</i>	CAT ADULT
<b>000041</b>	<b>Total</b>	