



## Inspection Report

STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK  
SUNY DOWNSTATE MEDICAL CENTER  
450 CLARKSON AVENUE, BOX 47

Customer ID: **294**  
Certificate: **21-R-0021**  
Site: 001

SUNY DOWNSTATE MEDICAL CENTER

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: Oct-29-2008

BROOKLYN, NY 11203

### 2.31 (d) (1) (ii)

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

Item IACUC 2.31 d 1 ii

The IACUC shall insure the principal investigator consider alternatives to procedures that may cause more than momentary pain or distress and consider alternatives to those procedures and has provided a written narrative of the methods used to determine none were available

Protocol 03-309-08 involves both craniotomy and water restriction study,

There is no evidence that the investigator considered alternatives to these procedures.

The IACUC needs to insure the investigator for these and any similar protocols involving similar studies needs to consider alternatives for the painful/distressful procedures and provide a narrative of the methods used to determine none were available.

Correct by 12/1/08

Inspection place over 2.5 days 10/27-29/08

### 2.33 (b) REPEAT

#### ATTENDING VETERINARIAN AND ADEQUATE VETERINARY CARE.

Item Veterinary Care 2.33 b Repeat

Each research facility shall maintain a program of adequate veterinary Care

At the time of inspection bags of sodium chloride solution were found in the investigator lab rm 5-86B expired 2/08

Facility needs to monitor drugs to insure proper veterinary care

### 3.31

#### SANITATION.

Item Housekeeping 3.31b

Premises shall be kept clean and in good repair to facilitate good husbandry practices

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Corridor light out side rm 6-65 has a broken light cover  
Corridor light outside rm 7-66 is missing a light cover  
Facility needs to repair/replace broken or missing light covers.

Correct by 11/15/08

Access panel in corridor by rm 4-75 has mold development  
Facility needs to clean and remove mold from panel

Correct by 11/15/08

### 3.84 (c)

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

Housekeeping 3.84c

New Items noted on this inspection

Refrigerator in primate rm 921b used to keep primate treats had debris inside that needed to be cleaned.

Facility needs to clean refrigerator.

Correct by 10/29/08

Light in clean side of cage washer is cracked and needs to be repaired

Correct by 11/15/08

Rm 921b had ceiling joint seals cracked and and area of ceiling cracked

Clean side of cage washer has an area of peeling paint

Facility need to insure areas are properly maintained

921b and clean side of cage washer are repeat areas

treatment rm had area of ceiling blistering

Rm 9-24A ceiling has areas cracking

Rm 8-59 ceiling has area cracking

7th floor crack in ceiling outside of rm 7-66

### 3.84 (d)

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

Item Pest control 3.84d

An effective program for control of insects, external parasites affecting nonhuman primates must be established and maintained.

At the time of inspection a dead roach was found in the refrigerator of primate rm 921b and dead roaches were found in the lamp fixture rm 9-39.

Facility needs to review its pest control program and follow up for removal of pests.

Correct by 11/1/08

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**3.131** (c)

**SANITATION.**

Item Housekeeping 3.131c

Premises shall be kept clean and in good repair to facilitate good husbandry practices

Bat rm 6-65 had an area of ceiling that is cracking and peeling

Outside rm 6-65 the light fixture had a broken light cover.

Facility needs to repair broken light cover

Correct by 11/15/08

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