

DOOR POSTING FORM

BIOSAFETY PRECAUTIONS IN ANIMAL ROOMS

Agent(s):	Animal Biosafety Level:	Biohazard Sticker
Animal Care Protocol No.:	Building/Room:	
Biosafety use Authorization No.:		
Project Title:		
Principal Investigator:	Department:	
1. This agent is a: <input type="checkbox"/> Bacteria <input type="checkbox"/> Fungus <input type="checkbox"/> Parasite <input type="checkbox"/> Virus <input type="checkbox"/> Prion		
2. This agent is infectious for: <input type="checkbox"/> Humans only <input type="checkbox"/> Animals only <input type="checkbox"/> Humans & Animals Animal Species: _____		
3. The agent can be spread in: <input type="checkbox"/> Blood <input type="checkbox"/> Feces/Urine <input type="checkbox"/> Saliva/nasal droplets <input type="checkbox"/> Does not leave animal <input type="checkbox"/> Placental fluid		
4. You can become infected by this agent in the following ways(s): <input type="checkbox"/> Ingestion (contaminated hands, clothes, soiled bedding) <input type="checkbox"/> Inhalation <input type="checkbox"/> Mucus membranes (via <u>splashes or hands</u> to eyes/nose/mouth) <input type="checkbox"/> Contact - breaks in skin <input type="checkbox"/> Tick or insect bite		
5. If you are exposed to this agent, you may develop the following clinical signs: (NOTE: clinical signs may differ according to route and dose of exposure, and overall health of the individual.)		
6. The following apply to the management/husbandry of these animals: <input type="checkbox"/> Researcher or his/her staff is responsible for the feeding and care of these animals. <input type="checkbox"/> All cages must be autoclaved or chemically disinfected before cleaning. (ABSL 2 standard) <input type="checkbox"/> All cages must be autoclaved before cleaning. (ABSL 3 standard) <input type="checkbox"/> Class II Biosafety Cabinet (BSC) is available in the room listed above. <input type="checkbox"/> All animal manipulation <u>must</u> be done within the BSC unless a NIOSH Certified dust mask or HEPA filtered respirator is worn. Animals will be housed in the following type of caging/racks: <input type="checkbox"/> Micro-isolator boxes within individually ventilated cage racks <input type="checkbox"/> Micro-isolator boxes within laminar flow unit or other containment device <input type="checkbox"/> Micro-isolator boxes on standard racks <input type="checkbox"/> Standard shoe box or other open caging Animal carcasses must be labeled and disposed of as follows: <input type="checkbox"/> No special handling needed <input type="checkbox"/> Bag and Incinerate <input type="checkbox"/> Biohazardous waste container Soiled bedding or other waste must be disposed of as follows: <input type="checkbox"/> No special handling needed <input type="checkbox"/> Bag and Incinerate <input type="checkbox"/> Bag and autoclave followed by incineration The following personal protective equipment <u>must be used in the room regardless of animal housing or use of BSC:</u> <input type="checkbox"/> Lab coat/Coveralls <input type="checkbox"/> Shoe covers/booties <input type="checkbox"/> Disposable gloves <input type="checkbox"/> Reusable gloves <input type="checkbox"/> Disinfectant footbath <input type="checkbox"/> NIOSH Certified Dust Mask or HEPA filtered respirator (fitted face or PAPR)		
7. Other information or procedures:		

Signatures: **Obtain signatures in the specific order indicated below!**

Date:

1. Principal Investigator _____
2. DLAM Representative _____
3. Biosafety Officer _____
4. IACUC Chair _____
