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# INSPECTION REPORT

EMORY UNIVERSITY  
YERKES PRIMATE CENTER  
1462 CLIFTON RD.  
ATLANTA, GA.

Site 13 MAIN CAMPUS  
YERKES REGIONAL PRIMATE  
CENTER  
SAME  
ATLANTA, GA. 30322

57-R-0003  
4-29-98  
0930  
ROUTINE

## NARRATIVE

**CATEGORY I: Non-compliant item(s) previously identified that have been corrected =**

3.75 (a)- bracket and bolt missing in the chain link fencing has been replaced in CF build.

3.75 (f) - drainage in Eye building 105 and IDB Animal rooms. No standing water on the floors and no accumulation of fecal and food waste near the drain.

3.81 (a) Enhancement plan revised . The level of enhancement is adequate at this time.

3.75 (e)- food storage--all food storage rooms are in compliance at this time. Chemicals and other nonfood items are stored elsewhere.

3.84 (a) cleaning methods – care is taken not to spray water on the animals while cleaning. No improper cleaning methods were observed this inspection.

3.84 (d)- pest control --no evidence of mice or rat droppings was noted. Fly control measures are in place.

2.35 (a) (1)-animal deaths or accidents are reported to the IACUC and are reflected in the minutes.

3.84 © housekeeping in all areas is in compliance at this time.

3.75 © (2) conduit next to right run in the capuchin bldg. - within reach of the animal has been replaced.

**CATEGORY III: Non-compliant item(s) identified this inspection =**

3.7(f)- rooms 240 and 260 in the small primate wing had trash containers with no lids. In all housing facilities the trash containers must have tightly fitted lids at all times. Correct by 5-1-98.

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3.75 (f) waste removal--room -06 - of the RC building had a pile of trash on the floor that consisted of surgical gloves, mask, eye shields and bedding and two uncleaned cages. Animals had been removed from this room three days earlier. This was corrected this date.

2.38 (f) QIF - build room -02- primate number RUP5 was expressing stereotypical behavior. The health status of this animal needs to be evaluated and some course of treatment provided. Correct by 5-5-98.

3.80 (b) (2) (I)- Primates number 376P and 181QX housed in room 14 A of the QT building appeared to be to large for the amount of space provided in their enclosure. The weight of these animals should be taken to ensure that the space requirements are in compliance and that they can make normal postural adjustments. Correct by 5-5-98.

3.75 (a) The water line hose in room number 274 of the small primate wing is located near the rear of the cage. The animal was able to pull a section of this line into his enclosure. This <sup>caused</sup> injury to the animal. This was corrected this date.

3.75 © surfaces- rooms number 103 and 107 had paint flaking from the ceiling above the primate enclosures. This could result in the paint falling into the enclosure since the enclosure did not have a solid top. Correct by 6-1-98.

**CATEGORY IV: Non-compliant item(s) previously identified that have not been corrected.=**  
None

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7/30/99

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Site 001  
Emory University & Yerkes Regional  
Primate Center  
Same

57 - R - 0003  
6/30 - 7/2/99  
Routine

NARRATIVE

I was accompanied by Dr. Scott Price, VMO-KY, Dr. Noel Lehner, and Dr. Harold McClure.

Number of Animals Inspected: 1675 (See Inventory Sheet)

**CATEGORY I: Non-compliant item(s) previously identified that have been corrected.**  
Section 3.75(f) Waste Disposal  
Both NCIs corrected.

Section 3.80(b)(2) Space Requirements  
Corrected.

Section 3.75(a) Housing facilities, general - Structure  
Corrected.

Section 2.38(f) QIF  
Corrected.

**CATEGORY III: Non-compliant item(s) identified this inspection**  
Section 2.40 Veterinary Care

Expired drugs, fluids, etc. noted in several different locations: "lock box" in surgery prep at Rollins Res. Bldg.; Room 060 Anatomy/Physiology Bldg.; Room 285 (safe) & Room 240 in Small Primate Bldg. These must be disposed of and/or segregated and marked as expired until such time.

To be corrected by: 7/2/99

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**Emory University - Category III continued:**

**Section 2.35(3)(b) Records**

The inventory of Dogs on Hand count did not match the head count at the Peavine Kennels - several dogs had been re-tagged (due to lost tags) and erroneously entered twice on the inventory.

**Corrected in our presence**

**Section 3.56(b) Sanitation of primary enclosures**

1) The daily room log (Room G12) for the month of June had not been marked as to sanitation of the rabbit cages making it impossible to properly access the sanitation schedule.

**To correct from this day forward**

2) The cage wash machine in the Eye Center is not working properly resulting in urine scale build-up on the rabbit cages in Room BT 405.

**To be corrected by: 7/15/99**

3) Urine scale noted on rabbit cages in Room 9635 of the Crawford Long Bldg.

**To be corrected before housing more animals in them**

**CATEGORY IV: Non-compliant item(s) previously identified that have not been corrected.**

**Section 2.3B(g) Identification**

The cage card and official USDA tag noted to be missing for a cat in Room 075 in the Anatomy/Physiology Bldg.

**Corrected in our presence**

**Section 3.75(c) General Requirements - Surfaces**

Large areas of paint noted to be chipping off the walls of Rooms 253 & 242 in the Small Primate Bldg.

*(Handwritten signature/initials in a circle)*

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**EMORY UNIVERSITY**

1440 CLIFTON RD, NE  
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Customer ID: 896

Certificate: 57-R-0003

Site: 001

EMORY UNIV. - DIV. OF ANIMAL  
RES.

Inspection  
Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: SEP-11-2001

**2.33 ( b X 1 )**

**ATTENDING VETERINARIAN AND ADEQUATE VETERINARY CARE.**

**Veterinary Care**

The surgery room located in the Woodruff Building was noted to be too cluttered with cardboard boxes, etc. to be maintained as a dedicated (ie - aseptic) surgical facility. As per AWA regulations and Animal Care Policy #3, major operative procedures on nonrodents must be performed only in dedicated surgical facilities.

To be corrected by: 9/28/01

**3.25 ( c )**

**FACILITIES, GENERAL.**

**Storage**

An open bag of bedding not stored in a container noted in Room BT-419 of the Eye Center. Supplies of feed and bedding shall be stored in a manner to adequately protect them against spoilage, deterioration, infestation, or contamination.

To be corrected by: 9/28/01

**3.75 ( c X 2 )**

**HOUSING FACILITIES, GENERAL.**

**Maintenance and replacement of surfaces**

The paint on the ceiling over the animal cages in Room 101 of the IDB Building noted to be peeling. All surfaces must be maintained on a regular basis.

To be corrected by: 9/28/01

**3.84 ( d )**

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

**Pest Control**

Large numbers of (Fruit) flies noted on the ceilings and walls of Rooms 103 & 105 of the Eye Building at Yerkes Main Station. An effective program for control of insects must be established and maintained to promote health and well being of animals and reduce contamination by pests in animal areas.

To be corrected by: 9/28/01

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FROM Dr. Michael Crowder  
VMO - Animal Care - TN

SUBJECT  
Inspection - Emory Univ.  
& Yerkes Primate Center  
Re: Space Requirements

MESSAGE (WRITE CONCISE MESSAGE SIGN AND FORWARD PARTS 1 AND 3 TO ADDRESSEE RETAIN PART 2.)

Maus,

We were unable to photograph the baboons in the non-compliant (as to space requirements) cages - as requested by Dr. Goldenhyer. The exit interview did not go well and therefore lasted much longer than anticipated - which did not allow us time to go back and photograph the cages. Sorry! Thanks!

Michael

SIGNATURE 

REPLY (USE THIS SPACE FOR REPLY SIGN AND DATE. RETURN PART 3 TO SENDER. RETAIN PART 1.)

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**EMORY UNIVERSITY**

**Customer ID: 886**

**Certificate: 57-R-0003**

**WHITEHEAD BIOMEDICAL RESEARCH BLDG  
615 MICHAEL STREET SUITE G02  
ATLANTA, GA 30322**

**Site: 002**

**YERKES REG. PRIMATE**

**Inspection**

**Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION**

**Date: AUG-05-2003**

**3.75 (c)(1)(i)**

**3.75 (c)(2)**

**HOUSING FACILITIES, GENERAL.**

(c) Surfaces

(1) General requirements. The surfaces of housing facilities -- including perches, shelves, swings, boxes, houses, dens, and other furniture-type fixtures or objects within the facility -- must be constructed in a manner and made of materials that allow them to be readily cleaned and sanitized, or removed or replaced when worn or soiled. Any surfaces that come in contact with nonhuman primates must:

(i) Be free of excessive rust that prevents the required cleaning and sanitization, or that affects the structural strength of the surface

\*\*\*The indoor portion of the C-2 primary enclosure has excessive peeling paint. The structure is noted to be excessively rusted beneath the peeled paint. The exposed rust inhibits proper cleaning and sanitization and compromises the structural integrity of the structure. These areas must be repaired or replaced. Correct by: 05 Sep 03.

(2) Maintenance and replacement of surfaces. All surfaces must be maintained on a regular basis.

\*\*\*There are areas of peeling paint in the indoor of G-8 on the interior aspects of the animal doors, and the sides of the resting perches. This inhibits proper cleaning and sanitization of the area. Correct by: 01 Oct 03.

\*\*\*There are areas of peeling paint on the indoor portion of the primary enclosure of T-1. This inhibits proper cleaning and sanitization of the area. Correct by: 01 Oct 03.

\*\*\*In G-12, areas of concrete wall on the indoor portions of chimpanzee primary enclosures area chipped in areas directly below the animal doors. This inhibits proper cleaning and sanitization of the area. Correct by: 01 Oct 03.

\*\*\*In the outdoor portion of the primary enclosure of M-5, concrete wall on the building exterior is beginning to erode. This inhibits proper cleaning and sanitization of the area. Correct by: 01 Oct 03.

\*\*\*There are small areas of flooring on the indoor portion of the D-2 primary enclosure that are beginning to peel. The largest area measures approximately 8" x 4". Maintenance records indicate the flooring in this area was replaced in May 2003. Surfaces must be maintained and constructed with material suitable to withstand use by non-human primates. Correct by: 01 Oct 03.

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**3.80 ( b X 3 X iii )**

**PRIMARY ENCLOSURES.**

(3) Hard surfaces of primary enclosures and food and water receptacles must be sanitized using one of the following methods:

(iii) Washing all soiled surfaces...with a thorough cleaning of the surfaces to remove organic material, so as to remove all organic material and mineral buildup

\*\*\*The stainless steel bars constructing the roofs of the indoor primary enclosures in BC-1, T3, and T2 have excess accumulation of organic debris on them. Organic material inhibits proper cleaning and disinfection of the primary enclosure, thus, these areas must be cleaned as often as necessary to prevent organic material buildup. Correct by: 08 Aug 03.

Reviewed:

- 1.) SOP 4.28 (new enclosure inspection procedure)
- 2.) Employee training procedure
- 3.) Policy regarding employees with English as a second language
- 4.) Summary of language classes presented to employees
- 5.) Animal incident reports

\*\*\*Complete inspection of Yerkes Field station 05 Aug 03. Previously cited non-compliant items in areas S-3, S-6, G-8, M-5, A-1, A-2, A-3, C-2, G-1, and T-2 have been corrected.\*\*\*

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