

# United States Department of Agriculture Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service

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#### **Inspection Report**

UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AUSTIN VICE PRESIDENT FOR RESEARCH P.O. BOX 7996 AUSTIN, TX 78713 Customer ID: 1453

Certificate: 74-R-0029

Site: 001

The University of Texas at Austin -

ARC

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 10-MAY-2021

2.32(a) Critical Repeat

Personnel qualifications.

In March 2020, a vole was found alive after CO2 euthanasia was conducted. The PI's staff member failed to verify death and the animal recovered. Corrective action has included retraining the staff member in proper euthanasia procedures and close monitoring.

In December 2020, veterinary staff member discovered that pain medication had not been give to macaques in a timely manner. The required dosing schedule was every 12 hours and the medication had not been administered 15 hours after the last dose.. The vet staff medicated the animals and informed the PI of the issue. Corrective measures included retraining PI staff in the correct timing of medication administration and continued monitoring of medication records. In April 2021, one marmoset was found out of the home enclosure at an afternoon room check. The loose marmoset had caused an injury to the finger of a marmoset in a nearby enclosure. The wound on that animal was minor but did require treatment with an anti inflammatory medication. It was found that the escape occurred when a side door was not properly secured. Corrective action has included retraining staff on cage door complexities to prevent further escapes. It shall be the responsibility of the research facility to ensure that all scientists, research technicians, animal technicians,

and other personnel involved in animal care, treatment, and use are qualified to perform their duties. This responsibility

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Title: VETERINARY MEDICAL

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## **Species Inspected**

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1453	74-R-0029	001	The University of Texas at Austin - ARC	10-MAY-2021

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000024	Mesocricetus auratus	SYRIAN / GOLDEN HAMSTER (COMMON PET/RESEARCH TYPE)
000058	Callithrix jacchus	COMMON MARMOSET
000030	Macaca mulatta	RHESUS MACAQUE
000011	Oryctolagus cuniculus	DOMESTIC RABBIT / EUROPEAN RABBIT MONGOLIAN GERBIL (COMMON PET / RESEARCH VARIETY)
000046	Meriones unguiculatus	
080000	Microtus pennsylvanicus	MEADOW VOLE
000072	Scotinomys teguina	ALSTON'S BROWN MOUSE / SHORT-TAILED SINGING MOUSE
000014	Baiomys taylori	NORTHERN PYGMY MOUSE
000335	Total	