



Inspection Report

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INSTITUTIONAL ANIMAL CARE AND USE COMMITTEE (IACUC).

Inspectors reviewed Proposals #4347 and #4356. Both proposals state that, "Postoperatively the animals will receive one dose of Buprinorphine (0.03 mg/kg IM/SQ), and then as needed for pain." Both proposals also state that, "Topical lidocaine eye drops (0.5%) or proparacaine eye drops (0.5%) will be used to prevent any further discomfort." Finally, both proposals state that, "All rabbits will be treated for one week with topical Tobradex ointment twice a day and Vigamox four times a day, to prevent infection." When inspectors reviewed 8 animal procedure/usage records pertaining to the aforementioned proposals, none of the records indicate that these medications were administered as outlined in the proposal.

The IACUC must review and approve significant changes in proposals and ensure that the activities are conducted as stated in the approved proposal. This approval is required in order to ensure that all activities involving animals are conducted in compliance with the Animal Welfare Act regulations, and in order to protect the health and well-being of the animals at the facility. The IACUC must ensure that significant changes to approved proposals are reviewed and approved prior to implementation.

To be corrected by 6 October 2014

Inspection and exit briefing were conducted with facility representatives.

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