

Rodent Health Survey

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Facility Where Rodents Are Housed: RIKEN BioResource Center

Type of Facility: Maximum Barrier

Caging System: Ventilated microisolation system

Cage Changing: Tabletop without cage changing station / hood

Handling: Using disinfected forceps
(0.5% Chlorhexidine solution)

Food: Irradiated (30 kGy)

Bedding: Autoclaved

Water: Autoclaved

Protective Clothing:

Gloves Hair Bonnet Mask

Wet shower, Autoclaved boots, clothes and Overall

Health status determined by: Sentinel rodents housed on dirty bedding

Monitoring Frequency: Quarterly

Are there any pathogens or health problems with rodents in this room?

Yes No

Have there been any outbreaks in this facility within the last 18 months?

Yes No