

## Program Exemption Report

October 1, 2010 through September 30, 2011

Registration No: 65-R-0102

Customer No: 844

### Exceptions to the exercise plan for dogs

A total of 27 dogs were housed in metabolic cages during the reporting period. These animals are exempted from the canine exercise program. Metabolism dogs are chronically catheterized and continuously monitored via computer. The jacket system precludes large caging in order to minimize problems with the various instrumentation. The exemption from the exercise requirement has been approved by the University of Mississippi Medical Center's IACUC and verified by the LAF veterinary staff.

No other exceptions are noted for the University of Mississippi Medical Center's animal care program.

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