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June 30, 2020

Re: Animal Welfare Assurance
A3368-01 [OLAW Case 10B]

Dr. Nadine Connor
Associate Vice Chancellor
for Research Policy and Compliance
University of Wisconsin-Madison
(b) (4) Bascom Hall – 500 Lincoln Drive
Madison, WI 53706

Dear Dr. Connor,

The Office of Laboratory Animal Welfare (OLAW) acknowledges receipt of your June 4, 2020 letter reporting an instance of noncompliance with the PHS Policy on Humane Care and Use of Laboratory Animals at the University of Wisconsin - Madison. Your letter supplements the information in the prompt telephone report, also on June 4th. According to the information provided, OLAW understands that a post-operative analgesic treatment for an adult, rhesus macaque was delayed by eight hours because a veterinary technician scheduled the treatment incorrectly in the electronic health records system. The animal did receive a non-steroidal anti-inflammatory at the appropriate time in the morning to alleviate pain and inflammation. Retraining is pending for the technician involved in this incident. The animal involved was supported by NIH.

The prompt consideration of this matter by the University of Wisconsin - Madison was consistent with the philosophy of institutional self-regulation. Similarly, the pending action to resolve the issue and prevent recurrence is appropriate. We appreciate being informed of this matter and find no cause for further action by this office.

Sincerely,

Brent C. Morse -S

Digitally signed by Brent C.

Morse -S

Date: 2020.06.30 11:52:08 -04'00'

Brent C. Morse, DVM
Director
Division of Compliance Oversight
Office of Laboratory Animal Welfare

cc: IACUC Contact



June 4, 2020

Dr. Brent Morse, DVM, DACLAM
Director, Division of Compliance Oversight
Office of Laboratory Animal Welfare
National Institutes of Health
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Bethesda, MD 20892-7892

Dear Dr. Morse:

The University of Wisconsin-Madison, in accordance with Assurance A3368-01 and PHS Policy IV.F.3, provides this report of an incident first reported to you via telephone by Dr. Janet Welter on June 4, 2020.

In this incident, a post-operative analgesic treatment for an adult, rhesus macaque was delayed by eight hours because a veterinary technician scheduled the treatment incorrectly in the electronic health records system. The animal did receive a non-steroidal anti-inflammatory at the appropriate time in the morning to alleviate pain and inflammation. Retraining is pending for the technician involved in this incident. The animal involved was supported by NIH grant 1R01AI138647.

The LSVC ACUC discussed these incidents in full committee and considered the corrective steps taken appropriate. If you have further questions, please feel free to contact either of us or Dr. Janet Welter.

Sincerely,

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Ricki Colman, Ph.D.
Chair, LSVC ACUC

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Nadine P. Connor, Ph.D.
Associate Vice Chancellor for Research Policy & Compliance
Institutional Official

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Janet Welter
AAALAC-I

Research Animal Resources Center

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Wolff, Axel (NIH/OD) [E]

From: OLAW Division of Compliance Oversight (NIH/OD)
Sent: Monday, June 15, 2020 7:26 AM
To: (b) (6)
Cc: OLAW Division of Compliance Oversight (NIH/OD)
Subject: RE: Incident Report from Nadine Connor @ UW-Madison

Thank you for this report, (b) (6) We will respond soon.

Axel Wolff

From: (b) (6)
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2020 5:02 PM
To: OLAW Division of Compliance Oversight (NIH/OD) <olawdco@od.nih.gov>
Cc: accredit@AAALAC.org; Nadine Connor <nadine.connor@wisc.edu>; RICKI COLMAN <rcolman@primate.wisc.edu>; (b) (6) Janet Welter <welter@rarc.wisc.edu>
Subject: Incident Report from Nadine Connor @ UW-Madison

Dr. Morse:

Please see the attached incident final report from Nadine Connor @ UW-Madison. Thanks!

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Initial Report of Noncompliance

By: Brent

Date: 6/4/2020

Time: 3:00

Name of Person reporting: Janet Welter, AV

Telephone #: (b) (6)

Fax #:

Email:

Name of Institution: Univ. of Wisconsin – Madison – PrimateCenter

Assurance number: ~~A3668~~ A3368

Did incident involve PHS funded activity? Yes

Funding component:

Was funding component contacted (if necessary):

What happened? Due to incorrect entry of date into electronic scheduling system one NHP had post-op Buprenorphine SR administration delayed by 8 hours. Did have NSAIDS. Examined by vet and did not appear painful.

Species involved: NHP

Personnel involved:

Dates and times:

Animal deaths: No

Projected plan and schedule for correction/prevention (if known):

Projected submission to OLAW of final report from Institutional Official:

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