

B. Summary of exceptions to the regulations and standards October 1, 2017 - September 30, 2018Exceptions to the standard 2-week cage sanitation program

Nineteen non-human primates were considered as exceptions to the standard 2-week complete cage sanitation program for the conduct of telemetry data collection studies. There was one (1) occurrence with fifteen non-human primates and three (3) occurrences with four non-human primates where the sanitation was extended between 15 to 20 days. However, the standard daily cleaning of the cages was maintained during this period. The IACUC approved these exceptions based on scientific justification.

Six non-human primates were considered as exceptions to the standard 2-week complete cage sanitation program for the conduct of long-acting radio-isotope collection studies. There was one (1) occurrence where the sanitation was extended between 15 to 36 days. However, the standard daily cleaning of the cages was maintained during this period. The IACUC approved these exceptions based on scientific justification.

Four dogs were considered as exceptions to the standard 2-week complete kennel sanitation program for the conduct of telemetry data collection studies. There was one (1) occurrence where the sanitation was extended to 15 days. However, the standard daily cleaning of the kennels was maintained during this period. The IACUC approved these exceptions based on scientific justification.