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Exceptions:

One IACUC-approved exception to USDA's standards occurred concerning temperature requirements:

Sled dogs used for exercise physiology experiments in Alaska were maintained and used in temperatures below those listed in the Animal Welfare Regulations. The dogs were thoroughly acclimated to the lower temperatures, and conducting the exercise experiments in warmer temperatures would have invalidated the research results and could have endangered animal health by heat stressing the animals.

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