Health Monitoring Report for Mice

Institution: Harvard University Faculty of Arts and Sciences Date: 01 April 2024

Microbiological Entity/Unit	Entity/Unit type (mark the correct type):
Building: BRI	Conventional
Room(s): POD 3, 1303, 1305, 1306, 1309	Barrier
Pod also contains Phodopus and Acomys	Isolator
	Other



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Testing Results:

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		Tested subject					
	Testing Laboratory	Testing method	(sentinel, colony animal, environmental, etc.)	Date	No. positives/ No. tested	No. positives/ No. tested	Testing frequency
ruses :							
Ectromelia virus ¹	CRL	PCR	Environmental	1-Apr-24	0/18	0/29	Yearly
Hantaviruses	CRL	PCR	Environmental	1-Apr-24	0/18	0/29	Yearly
K virus				Not teste	ed		
Lactate dehydrogenase elevating virus				Not teste	ed		
Lymphocytic choriomeningitis virus ¹	CRL	PCR	Environmental	1-Apr-24	0/18	0/29	Yearly
Mouse adenovirus (type 1 and 2) ¹	CRL	PCR	Environmental	1-Apr-24	0/18	0/29	Yearly
Mouse cytomegalovirus				Not teste	ed		
Mouse hepatitis virus ¹	CRL	PCR	Environmental	1-Apr-24	0/18	0/42	Quarterly
Mouse norovirus ¹	CRL	PCR	Environmental	1-Apr-24	7/18	13/42	Quarterly
Mouse rotavirus ¹	CRL	PCR	Environmental	1-Apr-24	0/18	0/42	Quarterly
Mouse thymic virus				Not teste	ed		
Parvovirus ¹	CRL	PCR	Environmental	1-Apr-24	0/18	0/42	Quarterly
- MuCPV	CRL	PCR	Environmental	1-Apr-24	0/18	0/42	Quarterly
- MPV ¹	CRL	PCR	Environmental	1-Apr-24	0/18	0/42	Quarterly
- MVM ¹	CRL	PCR	Environmental	1-Apr-24	0/18	0/42	Quarterly
Polyoma virus				Not teste	ed		
Pneumonia virus of mice ¹	CRL	PCR	Environmental	1-Apr-24	0/18	0/29	Yearly
Reovirus type 3 ¹	CRL	PCR	Environmental	1-Apr-24	0/18	0/29	Yearly
Sendai virus ¹	CRL	PCR	Environmental	1-Apr-24	0/18	0/29	Yearly
Theiler's murine encephalomyelitis virus ¹	CRL	PCR	Environmental	1-Apr-24	0/18	0/42	Quarterly

Bacteria & fungi:

β -hemolytic <i>Streptococcus</i> spp. (not group D) ¹	CRL	PCR	Environmental	1-Apr-24	0/18	0/29	Yearly	
Bordetella bronchiseptica	CRL	PCR	Environmental	1-Apr-24	0/18	0/29	Yearly	
Bordetella hinzii	CRL	PCR	Environmental	1-Apr-24	0/11	0/29	Yearly	
Citrobacter rodentium ¹	CRL	PCR	Environmental	1-Apr-24	0/18	0/29	Yearly	
Clostridium piliforme ¹	CRL	PCR	Environmental	1-Apr-24	0/18	0/29	Yearly	
Corynebacterium kutscheri ¹	CRL	PCR	Environmental	1-Apr-24	0/18	0/29	Yearly	
Filobacterium rodentium**	CRL	PCR	Environmental	1-Apr-24	0/11	0/29	Yearly	
Helicobacter spp. ¹	Enzootic in colony							
Klebsiella oxytoca	CRL	PCR	Environmental	1-Apr-24	1/18	1/29	Yearly	

1: The 2014 FELASA recommendations include these agents.

*Agents formerly known as Pasteurella pneumotropica , Heyl and Jawetz

**Agent formerly known as CAR bacillus

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acteria & Fungi (continued)								
Klebsiella pneumoniae	CRL	PCR	Environmental	1-Apr-24	0/18	0/29	Yearly	
Lawsonia intracellularis	CRL	PCR	Environmental	1-Apr-24	0/18	0/29	Yearly	
Mycoplasma pulmonis ¹	CRL	PCR	Environmental	1-Apr-24	0/18	0/29	Yearly	
Rodentibacter heylii ^{1*}	CRL	PCR	Environmental	1-Apr-24	12/18	27/42	Quarterly	
Rodentibacter pneumotropicus ^{1*}	CRL	PCR	Environmental	1-Apr-24	8/18	16/42	Quarterly	
Pseudomonas aeruginosa	CRL	PCR	Environmental	1-Apr-24	0/18	0/29	Yearly	
Pneumocystis murina	CRL	PCR	Environmental	1-Apr-24	0/18	0/29	Yearly	
Salmonella spp. ¹	CRL	PCR	Environmental	1-Apr-24	0/18	0/29	Yearly	
Staphylococcus aureus	CRL	PCR	Environmental	1-Apr-24	0/18	0/29	Yearly	
Streptobacillus moniliformis ¹	CRL	PCR	Environmental	1-Apr-24	0/18	0/29	Yearly	
Streptococcus pneumoniae ¹	CRL	PCR	Environmental	1-Apr-24	0/18	0/29	Yearly	
Parasites ¹ : Mites								
Myobia musculi	CRL	PCR	Environmental	1-Apr-24	0/18	0/42	Quarterly	

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CRL	PCR	Environmental	1-Apr-24	3/18	7/42	Quarterly
CRL	PCR	Environmental	1-Apr-24	2/18	2/29	Yearly
CRL	PCR	Environmental	1-Apr-24	3/18	3/42	Quarterly
Not tested						
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Other parasites

Additional agents for which testing has been performed:

Pathology:

Additional comments:

Helicobacter spp. enzootically present in the colony: H. ganmani, H. typhlonius, H. mastomyrinus, H. hepaticus. Pod 3 now houses colonies of Phodopus sungorus and Acomys cahirinus. Their results are reported here as well as those of the resident research mice. Regular testing for this pod now includes MuCPV and Lawsonia intracellularis. PCR testing for Entamoeba positive for hamsters and spiny mice and Giardia in hamsters.

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