

Special Facilities: Aseptic Surgery

Date:

Location:

Inspection Team:

	A*	M	S	C	NA
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> General Considerations: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> location minimizes traffic/contamination (<i>Guide, p 144</i>) functional components (surgical support, animal preparation, surgeon scrub, operating room, postoperative recovery) are designed and separated (physically or otherwise) (<i>Guide, p 144</i>) appropriate drug storage, control, expiration date monitoring (<i>Guide, pp 115, 122</i>) safe sharps disposal system (<i>Guide, p 74</i>) adequate records of anesthesia and perioperative care (<i>Guide, p 122</i>) aseptic procedures in use for all survival surgery (<i>Guide, pp 118-119</i>) Operating Room: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> effective contamination control procedures (<i>Guide, p 144</i>) effective cleaning procedures/dedicated tools (<i>Guide, p 145</i>) interior surfaces smooth and impervious to moisture (<i>Guide, p 145</i>) HVAC system meets <i>Guide</i> requirements (<i>Guide, p 145</i>) lighting safe and appropriate (<i>Guide, p 145</i>) outlets safe and appropriate (<i>Guide, p 145</i>) scavenging of anesthetic gases implemented (<i>Guide, p 145</i>) Surgical Support: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> facility for washing, sterilizing, storing instruments and supplies (<i>Guide, p 145</i>) autoclave monitoring procedures are implemented (<i>Guide, pp 119, 145</i>) storage of autoclaved materials maintains sterility (<i>Guide, p 145</i>) cold sterilization procedures are appropriate (<i>Guide, p 119</i>) Animal Preparation: contains large sink to facilitate cleaning of animal and operative site (<i>Guide, p 145</i>) Surgeon Scrub: outside operating room, non-hand-operated sink (<i>Guide, p 145</i>) Postoperative Recovery: allows adequate observation, easily cleaned, supports physiologic functions, minimizes risk of injury (<i>Guide, p 145</i>) Dressing Area: place for personnel to change (<i>Guide, p 145</i>) 					

* A = acceptable

M = minor deficiency

S = significant deficiency (is or may be a threat to animal health or safety)

C = change in program (PHS Policy [IV.A.1.a.-i.](#)) (include in semiannual report to IO and in annual report to OLAW)

NA = not applicable

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