



## Inspection Report

UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS  
M.D. ANDERSON CANCER CENTER  
1515 HOLCOMBE BLVD BOX 63

Customer ID: **1476**  
Certificate: **74-R-0065**  
Site: 002  
UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS

HOUSTON, TX 77030

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION  
Date: Jan-07-2009

### 3.75 (a)

#### HOUSING FACILITIES, GENERAL.

(a) Structure: construction. Housing facilities for nonhuman primates must be designed and constructed so that they are structurally sound for the species of nonhuman primates housed in them. They must be kept in good repair, and they must protect the animals from injury, contain the animals securely, and restrict other animals from entering.

One enclosure in the Q buildings has rust that may be affecting the structural strength of the bars on the top of the enclosure. No animals were housed in this building at time of the inspection. The rust is located where the bars are welded to the sides at the top of the enclosure. There is concern with continued deterioration of the welds the top may no longer be structurally strong to contain chimps. These areas need to be examined carefully to determine degree of deterioration and repairs made as needed to maintain the structural strength of the enclosure.

Correct By: 4-09-09

Inspection was conducted with UT MD Anderson, Bastrop staff and Dr. Pannill- USDA

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