

## Guidelines for Aseptic Technique for Rodent Survival Surgeries



### Recommended:

- Surgical gowns
- Sterile gloves
- Masks
- Hair bonnets



- Drape placement over the surgical site is recommended
- Instruments must always be placed on a sterile field



- Instruments should be re-sterilized using a glass bead sterilizer between each surgery
- Instruments must be allowed to cool prior to applying them to the skin or other tissues