



Assiz E. Dias
Assistant Technician.

JOB DESCRIPTION

Main Responsibilities: Sterilization, sanitation, minor cage repairs supply of clean cages to researchers and students and fumigation.

1. **Sanitization:** Receive soiled cages and supervise cleaning and sterilize in autoclave.
2. Keep a daily check on facility large autoclaves ready for use when required
3. **Feeds and Bedding disbursement:** Prepares Autoclavable animal feeds and bedding for sterilization and maintain accurate amount of disbursement of feeds and bedding in the animal room feeds/bedding containers.
4. **Equipment management:** Operates cage tunnel, cage washing equipment, rack washer steam sterilizer, high-pressure cleaner, and other equipment and report malfunction for immediate repair.
5. Supply / equipment and materials as researchers as directed by the Chief technician. Assist the Chief Technician in update of inventory ordering
6. Keep record of relative humidity and temperature of rooms in the facility
7. Maintains adequate supply of clean cages, racks, and watering devices from the store to researchers and students as per requirement.
8. Repair of cages, cage stainless steel cover, and Racks.
9. **Fumigation:** Fumigate experimental rooms at the end of every experimental program and before start of a new project.
10. **Disposal of Carcass and soiled bedding:** Collects carcasses in designated containers for sterilization and soiled bedding and animal room waste for adequate disposal.
11. Report frequently and directly to the Chief Technician about completion of tasks. In addition to routine duties report daily consumption of feeds and bedding and request for future supplies.