

The Office of Research and Economic Development's Mission

ORED enables, supports, performs and promotes research and scholarly and creative activities that address the needs and expectations of the state, region and world.

OUR VISION

University of Idaho research and scholarly and creative activities will expand knowledge, provide solutions, foster an enhanced quality of life and cultivate an educated 21st century citizenry.

LAR Facility, Gibb Hall 039
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University of Idaho

Laboratory Animal Research Facility (LAR)

The LAR Facility houses small animals for University of Idaho research



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The LAR Facility is a centralized animal care facility that houses a number of terrestrial and aquatic species located on the Moscow campus the LAR facility has been in service since the mid 1980's. The facility has a variety of standard animal holding rooms, Biological Safety Level 2 animal holding rooms, standard and internally ventilated caging systems, a block of aquatic rooms, a fully functional surgical suite and behavioral suite, quarantine space and a newly renovated insectary.



Animal Care and Husbandry

Following guidelines and regulations set out by publications including the Guide for the Care and Use of Laboratory Animals, Animal Welfare Act, Public Health Service Policy and the American Veterinary Medical Association Guidelines on Euthanasia, to name a few, the LAR Facility provides the highest standard of care. The LAR Facility also assists principal investigator's (PI's) in compliance with these guidelines as well as protocols approved by the University of Idaho Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC).

Special Services

In addition to our standard husbandry care services the LAR Facility also offers a variety of special services including:

- Animal breeding services
- Small animal surgical suite
- Behavioral suite
- *In vivo* imaging system (IVIS)
- BSL/ACL 2 housing

*Please contact the LAR Facility for options on how they can help you with these or additional special services.

How can the LAR Facility contribute to your research success?

The LAR Facility takes pride in providing exceptional care for university research animals. Along with our standard husbandry and special services, we are always excited to work with new animal models and innovative research.

Contact us for more information on:

- Standard and special services
- Requested new services
- Standard fees charged
- To schedule a tour

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