

**UMass-Amherst  
Post Operative Record for Lab Animals**

Please check the following daily for each animal that has undergone survival surgery. Space is available for 7 days of observations. Post-operative observations must continue until animal is clinically normal. Weights should be monitored post surgically until body weight has stabilized (no longer decreasing). If any animal exhibits signs of post-operative complications including post-operative pain or distress, contact Dr. J. Paul Spurlock at 413-545-5268 or at 413-992-8295.

(N = normal)

Animal #	Date of proc.	Procedure/surg.:	Incision	Activity level	Eating/drinking	Body weight	Comments	Initials
			1					
			2					
			3					
		Post op checks by	4					
			5					
			6					
			7					
			1					
			2					
			3					
		Post op checks by	4					
			5					
			6					
			7					
			1					
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			3					
		Post op checks by	4					
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			6					
			7					
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		Post op checks by	4					
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