## **User Guidance**

# THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY

#### Requesting Animal Movement by ULAR

University Laboratory Animal Resources 400 W Twelfth Avenue, Columbus, OH 43210-1016

### **Requirements:**

- 1. Animal movements can be scheduled on either Tuesday or Thursday mornings
- 2. Requests require 3 business days
- 3. Complete information must be provided for efficient processing
- 4. Cages should be clearly marked by the research team for ease in identification
- 5. Transport Requests
  - In Eprotocol¹ (transfer between ULAR facilities, protocol transfer), select "ULAR transport" to initiate the movement. Transfers done in the eProtocol system do not require an email.
  - For all other types of animal movement, send an email to the ULAR-Transport-Specialist at ULAR-Transport-Specialist@osu.edu.

Email should include the following information:

- o PI & Protocol
- Workday (Account) tags:
- ° Contact information: (name, email, and cell phone)
- Current Housing Location: (Facility/Room/Rack/Cage Location)
- Number of cages to be moved:
- Desired delivery date/time:
- Delivery location (ULAR vivarium):
  - Do you have access to this vivarium?
  - If Yes, animals will be placed in designated location inside the vivarium
  - If NO, arrangements must be made to be present at vivarium entrance when delivery occurs.
- Final Destination if not the ULAR Vivarium (must be approved location in animal use protocol if outside ULAR)

Special accommodations (deliveries outside transfer windows, directly to lab, and last minute requests) when able to be accommodated, will accrue a delivery service fee<sup>2</sup>

#### References

- 1. Online Animal Transfer Handout https://ular.osu.edu/training/e-protocol/
- 2. ULAR rates and fees