

## **Cleaning SOP for FAU Neurobehavior Core**

Proper cleaning and disinfection of each apparatus, work surface and floor is required after each use of the Mouse Neurobehavioral Core.

1. Use 70% ethanol, or SaniCloth wipes to disinfect. This is provided in the facility. Please note that disinfectant requires 5 min exposure to disinfect. You should clean all equipment before you start a test, between each and every animal trial, and at the conclusion of your experiment. You must spray down all equipment and surfaces (INCLUDING DOOR HANDLES!) that have come into contact with mice or bedding, or your gloved hands, and let sit for at least 5 min.
2. Use paper towels as necessary to remove all remaining liquid residue.
3. Sweep the floor before leaving the room
4. Clean any cart you may have used.

As described in our User Agreement, failure to properly clean the room after use may lead to notification of the PI, fines, and possible loss of facility privileges.