Record Nr. UNINA9910789888503321 **Titolo** The laboratory rabbit, guinea pig, hamster, and other rodents [[electronic resource] /] / edited by Mark A. Suckow, Karla A. Stevens. Ronald P. Wilson London, : Elsevier, 2012 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 1-283-39404-9 9786613394040 0-12-380921-5 Edizione [1st ed.] 1 online resource (1289 p.) Descrizione fisica Collana American College of Laboratory Animal Medicine series Altri autori (Persone) SuckowMark A StevensKarla A WilsonRonald P Disciplina 636.0885 636.932 Soggetti Laboratory animals Rabbits as laboratory animals Guinea pigs as laboratory animals Hamsters as laboratory animals Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Description based upon print version of record. Note generali Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references and index. Nota di contenuto Front Cover; The Laboratory Rabbit, Guinea Pig, Hamster, and Other Rodents; Copyright Page; Contents; Preface; List of Contributors; List of Reviewers; I. GENERAL; 1. Ethical Considerations and Regulatory Issues; Introduction; Ethical Concepts; Moral Theories; Descriptive Laboratory Animal Use Ethics; Ethical Principles; Respect for Life; Societal Benefit; Non-Maleficence; The Three Rs (Replacement, Reduction, and Refinement); Replacement; Reduction; Refinement; Ethical Challenges; Breeding Colonies; Genetically Modified Rodents; Cancer Research; Perinatal Animal Use Neuroscience and Behavioral ResearchFood and Fluid Restriction; Neuroanatomic Studies; Neural Injury and Disease; Behavioral Studies; Prolonged Restraint and Anesthesia: Restraint of Awake Animals:

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Sommario/riassunto

The Laboratory Rabbit, Guinea Pig, Hamster, and Other Rodents is a single volume, comprehensive book sanctioned by the American College of Laboratory Animal Medicine (ACLAM), covering the rabbit, guinea pig, hamster, gerbil and other rodents often used in research. This well-illustrated reference won a 2012 PROSE Award for Best Single Volume Reference in Science from the Association of American Publishers. The book includes basic biology, anatomy, physiology, behavior, infectious and noninfectious diseases, husbandry and breeding, common experimental methods, and use of the species as a