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| VENTILATION | The enclosed area(s) of animal facilities must be sufficiently ventilated. [3.2(b), 3.3(b), 3.5(b), 3.26(b), 3.76(b), 3.77(b), 3.79(b), 3.102(b), 3.126(b)] |
| Criteria | <p>Ventilation must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • provide for the animal's health and well being • minimize: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ harmful odors ▶ drafts ▶ ammonia levels ▶ chlorine fumes ▶ noxious fumes ▶ moisture condensation which can cause: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> □ wet bedding □ wetting of the animal <p>Methods of providing ventilation include, but are not limited to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • windows • vents • fans • air conditioning • doors |
| Species Specific | <p>Dogs & Cats <i>Indoor Housing</i> [3.2(b)] Auxiliary ventilation must be provided if ambient temperature is 85° F or higher.</p> <p>Examples of auxiliary ventilation include, but are not limited to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • exhaust fans • blowers • air conditioning <p>Relative humidity must be:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • maintained at a level that ensures the health and well being of the animal • in accordance with the directions of the attending veterinarian, and |

- in accordance with generally accepted professional and husbandry practices

Sheltered Housing [3.3(b)]

Auxiliary ventilation must be provided if ambient temperature is 85° F or higher.

Examples of auxiliary ventilation include, but are not limited to:

- exhaust fans
- blowers
- air conditioning

Mobile Housing [3.5(b)]

Animal facility must be sufficiently ventilated to minimize exhaust fumes.

Auxiliary ventilation must be provided if ambient temperature is 85° F or higher.

Examples of auxiliary ventilation include, but are not limited to:

- exhaust fans
- blowers
- air conditioning

Rabbits

Indoor Housing [3.26(b)]

Auxiliary ventilation must be provided if ambient temperature is 85° F or higher.

Examples of auxiliary ventilation include, but are not limited to:

- exhaust fans
- blowers
- air conditioning

Nonhuman Primates

Indoor Housing [3.76(b)]

Auxiliary ventilation must be provided if ambient temperature is

85° F or higher.

Examples of auxiliary ventilation include, but are not limited to:

- exhaust fans
- blowers
- air conditioning

Relative humidity must be:

- maintained at a level that ensures the health and well being of the animal
- in accordance with the directions of the attending veterinarian, and
- in accordance with generally accepted professional and husbandry practices

Sheltered Housing [3.77(b)]

Auxiliary ventilation must be provided if ambient temperature is 85° F or higher.

Examples of auxiliary ventilation include, but are not limited to:

- exhaust fans
- blowers
- air conditioning

Relative humidity must be:

- maintained at a level that ensures the health and well being of the animal
- in accordance with the directions of the attending veterinarian, and
- in accordance with generally accepted professional and husbandry practices

Mobile/Traveling Housing [3.79(b)]

Animal facility must be sufficiently ventilated to minimize exhaust fumes.

Auxiliary ventilation must be provided if ambient temperature is 85° F or higher.

Examples of auxiliary ventilation include, but are not limited to:

- exhaust fans
- blowers
- air conditioning

Marine Mammals

Indoor Housing [3.102(b)]

Ventilation must minimize harmful chlorine fumes.

Vertical air space averaging at least 6 feet (1.83 meters) must be provided in all primary enclosures, including pools of water.