



## Live Animal Free Testing Training for Animal Technicians



At each cage change, remove the cage with the CMF from the rack, collect a scoop of feces laden bedding from EACH cage on the rack and place it in a cage with the CMF.

- The scoop is standard and is provided by OLAC.

Once all bedding has been collected for that side of the rack, close the lid, shake and rotate the cage vigorously for 15 – 20 seconds to expose the CMFs to the dust in the soiled bedding.

- Be sure to keep your hands on the lid to ensure it doesn't come off.

After shaking the cage, place the cage on the change out station, remove the lid from the cage, remove the CMF from the cage with decontaminated forceps and place it on the inside of the open lid, or on a clean paper towel.

Dispose of the soiled bedding, replace the CMFs in the cage, and close the lid securely.

The cage with the CMF can be returned to the rack it represents

The scoop is disinfected and soiled gloves are replaced with clean gloves.

Repeat the above steps at each cage change.

Link <https://olac.berkeley.edu/WIN-&-Guidelines> to access WIN 113

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