

## REQUIREMENTS FOR RAT WORK

Completion of AALAS Learning Library Courses and OHS Enrollment is required before personnel can be approved on protocols.

### AALAS LEARNING LIBRARY COURSES

#### All NU Animal Users (3 Required Courses)

	Public Health Service Policy on Humane Care and Use of Laboratory Animals
	Occupational Health and Safety
	New Research Staff Orientation

#### NU Rat User (3 Required Courses)

	Post Procedure Care of Mice and Rats in Research: Minimizing Pain and Distress (2020)
	Introduction to Rats
	Microisolator Course

#### NU Rodent Survival Surgery (3 Required Courses-if applicable)

	Principles of Aseptic Technique
	Pain Management and Perioperative Care
	Introduction to Aseptic and Surgical Technique (Post-Protocol Approval)**

\*\*If seeking exemption from the wet lab course, refer to the Introduction to Aseptic and Surgical Technique Exemption Form.