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Summary Information

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Historical Note

Beginning in 1969 as a university-wide unit of the Institute of Biology and Medicine through the College of Veterinary Medicine, the Center for Laboratory Animal Resources (CLAR) provided research, education, and service in laboratory animal medicine, nutrition, behavior, and husbandry.

In 1976, animal resources moved to the Laboratory Animal Care Service (LACS). LACS provided supportive services for instructional and research programs involving laboratory

animals as well as coordinated the purchase and delivery of laboratory animals and their supplies.

Circa 1993, LACS became the University Laboratory Animal Resources (ULAR), a campus-wide organization reporting to the Vice President for Research and Graduate Studies and provides support for research and instructional programs. It is responsible for the care of a wide variety of animals - from fish to frogs and goats to guinea pigs.

As of 2015, ULAR had been absorbed into the larger Campus Animal Resources, which provides husbandry, veterinary care, procurement, and other administrative support for research and teaching in animal housing facilities.

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Scope and Contents

The collection consists of newsletters, correspondence and annual reports submitted to USDA (1991–2002). The collection also includes the "Handbook for Animal Care" published by MSU.

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Controlled Access Headings

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- Laboratory animals
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- Correspondence
- Handbooks and manuals
- Newsletters
- Reports
- Michigan State University. Center for Laboratory Animal Resources
- Michigan State University. Laboratory Animal Care Service
- Michigan State University. University Laboratory Animal Resources
- Michigan State University. All University Committee on Animal Use and Care
- Michigan State University. University Laboratory Animal Resources

Collection Inventory

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October 2008-September 2009	box 2541	folder 39
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