

*Validation Policy

Validation of rDNA samples such as modified viruses or plasmids by sequencing, may be recommended or requested at the discretion of the IBC. This is particularly true if they are to be used for in vivo studies.

*Screening Policy

Screening of human or non-human primate cell lines or other primary human or non-human primate cell/tissue material for the presence of human pathogens may be requested by the IBC. This IBC requirement is enacted in conjunction with the Animal Care and Use Committee (ACUC) Guideline found at the following website:
<http://web.ncifcrf.gov/rtp/lasp/intra/acuc/fred/guidelines/Engraftment.pdf>.

*The validation policy and the screening policy are not applicable to clinical specimens without informed consent.