**PURPOSE**

For transporting rodent cages from one building to another for sanitization.

**PROCEDURE FOR DIRTY CAGES**

A. Wear proper PPE such as mask, gloves and lab coat or scrubs to prevent exposure to allergens.
B. Empty the dirty bedding out of the cage into a lined trash can. Use the BioBubble Bedding Disposal Unit if available to prevent breathing in animal allergens.
C. Stack cages into a trash bag and close tightly.
D. Place the bag covered cages on a cart or in a vehicle and take it to the destination.
E. The outside of the bag will be sprayed with a high level disinfectant (Clidox-S) before being brought back into the facility.
F. Wash the cages according to cage washing SOP016 or SOP017

**PROCEDURE FOR CLEAN CAGES**

A. Place clean cages into a new trash bag and close tightly.
B. Transport to desired location.
C. The outside of the bag will be sprayed with a high level disinfectant (Clidox-S) before being brought back into the facility.
D. Store the cages in an appropriate area.