



# 2026 MMRRC-UNC Production Facility Health Report

**Building:** Genetic Medicine

**Location:** Lower Basement, Suite 30

**Date of Issue:** 03/17/2026

**Date Location First Occupied:** 8/1/10

**Housing Type:** IVC

**Report#:** 2026-011645

**Species:** Mouse

**Testing Laboratory:** Charles River Diagnostic Laboratory

This report summarizes the results of tests performed on surrogate, cull and sentinel mice from all rooms in the MMRRC-UNC barrier-maintained production facility. Note data are reported as positive tests/total tests performed. Current positive results are bolded. Please contact the MMRRC-UNC at [mmrrc\\_health@med.unc.edu](mailto:mmrrc_health@med.unc.edu) with questions about this report or animal health issues.

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**Latest Result** is the date animals are removed from the colony to begin the health testing process. Compilation of all results for web posting may take several weeks.

Organism	Sample Tested	Test Method	Latest Result 3/10/2026	Cumulative 2026 Results	2025 Results	2024 Results	2003 -2023 Results <sup>##‡</sup>
<b>VIRUSES</b>							
Ectromelia	Serum	MFI	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/88	0/2659
GDVII (Theiler's) virus	Serum	MFI	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/88	0/2659
Hantaan	Serum	MFI	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/88	0/2659
K Virus	Serum	MFI	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/88	0/2659
Lactic dehydrogenase elevating virus (LDEV)	Serum	MFI	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/88	0/2659
Lymphocytic choriomeningitis (LCMV)	Serum	MFI	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/88	0/2659
Minute virus of mice (MVM)	Serum	MFI	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/88	0/2659
Mouse adenovirus strain 1(MAD1)	Serum	MFI	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/88	0/2659
Mouse adenovirus strain 2 (MAD2)	Serum	MFI	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/88	0/2659
Mouse cytomegalovirus (mCMV)	Serum	MFI	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/88	0/2659
Mouse hepatitis virus (MHV)	Serum	MFI	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/88	0/2659
Mouse Parvovirus (MPV)	Serum	MFI	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/88	0/2659
Mouse Parvovirus (MPV)	Spleen	PCR	-----	-----	-----	-----	0/743
Mouse Thymic virus (MTV)	Serum	IFA	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/88	0/2659
Murine Norovirus (MNV)	Serum	MFI	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/88	0/2659
Pneumonia virus of mice (PVM)	Serum	MFI	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/88	0/2659
Polyoma virus	Serum	MFI	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/88	0/2659
Reovirus 3 (REO3)	Serum	MFI	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/88	0/2659
Rotavirus (EDIM)	Serum	MFI	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/88	0/2659
Sendai virus	Serum	MFI	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/88	0/2659

<sup>#</sup>From 2003-January 2007, Charles River was the testing Laboratory. February 2007- October 2011, RADIL was the testing Laboratory.

<sup>\*</sup>The MMRRC moved to a brand new animal facility in the Genetic Medicine Building from BerryHill Hall 8/1/10. Prior to 2010, fewer animals were sent for testing due to less rigorous standards in the previous facility.

<sup>‡</sup> November 2011, MMRRC-UNC switched all testing to Charles River Diagnostic Laboratory.

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<b>BACTERIA &amp; MYCOPLASMA</b>							
<i>Bordetella bronchiseptica</i>	Nasopharynx	Culture	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/88	0/2301
<i>CAR bacillus</i>	Serum	MFI	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/88	0/2659
<i>Clostridium piliforme</i>	Serum	MFI	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/88	0/2659
<i>Citrobacter rodentium</i>	Cecum	Culture	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/88	0/2659
<i>Corynebacterium bovis</i>	Oral swab	PCR	---	---	---	---	0/5
<i>Corynebacterium kutscheri</i>	Trachea	Culture	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/88	0/2659
<i>Helicobacter bilis</i>	Feces	PCR	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/88	0/2659
<i>Helicobacter ganmani</i> <sup>e</sup>	Feces	PCR	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/88	0/2020
<i>Helicobacter hepaticus</i>	Feces	PCR	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/88	0/2659
<i>Helicobacter rodentium</i> <sup>e</sup>	Feces	PCR	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/88	0/2285
<i>Helicobacter trogontum</i> <sup>e</sup>	Feces	PCR	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/88	0/2285
<i>Helicobacter typhlonius</i> <sup>e</sup>	Feces	PCR	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/88	0/2285
<i>Helicobacter sp.</i>	Feces	PCR	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/88	0/2659
<i>Klebsiella oxytoca</i>	Cecum	Culture	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/88	0/2242
<i>Klebsiella pneumoniae</i>	Cecum	Culture	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/88	0/2242
<i>Mycoplasma pulmonis</i>	Serum	PCR	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/88	0/2659
<i>Pasturella multocida</i>	Nasopharynx	Culture	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/88	0/2331
<i>Pasturella pneumotropica</i>	Trachea	Culture	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/88	0/2659
<i>Pneumocystis carinii</i> <sup>**</sup>	Lung	PCR	---	---	---	---	0/5
<i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i>	Cecum	Culture	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/88	0/2502
<i>Proteus mirabilis</i>	Cecum	Culture	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/88	0/2213
<i>Salmonella sp.</i>	Cecum	Culture	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/88	0/2659
<i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>	Nasopharynx	Culture	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/88	0/2331
<i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>	Oral swab	PCR	---	---	---	---	0/2
<i>Staphylococcus xylosus</i>	Oral swab	PCR	---	---	---	---	0/2
<i>Streptobacillus moniliformis</i>	Oral swab	PCR	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/88	0/2213
<i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i>	Trachea	Culture	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/88	0/2519
<i>Streptococcus sp. beta hemolytic</i>	Nasopharynx	Culture	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/88	0/2331
<b>PARASITES &amp; PROTOZOA</b> As of June 2022, IVC racks are tested 3xs/year by EAD (Exhaust Air Duct) Sampling & PCR analysis for internal and external parasites by our institutional vet services. See additional report titled "MMRRC-UNC parasite PCR"							
Encephalitozoon cuniculi	Serum	MFI	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/91	0/2659
Ectoparasites <sup>b,‡</sup>	Fur/Pelt	Exam	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/91	0/2659
Endoparasites <sup>c</sup>	Intestine	Exam	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/91	0/2659
Helminths <sup>d</sup>	Cecum*	Exam	0/8	0/6	0/69	0/91	0/2659
Demodex sp.	Fur Swab	PCR	-----	-----	-----	-----	0/4

<sup>b</sup>Fleas, fur mites, mesostigmaid mice, lice

<sup>c</sup>*Chilomastix sp.*, *Entamoeba sp.*, *Giardia sp.*, *Hexamastix sp.*, *Monocercomonoides sp.*, *Retortamoebas sp.*, *Spironucleus sp.*, *Trichomonads* and other large intestinal flagellates

<sup>d</sup>Pinworms and tapeworms (*Aspicularis tetraptera*, *Syphacia muris* and *Syphacia obvelata*).

<sup>e</sup>RADIL identifies these species and Charles River started identifying them in 12/2012.

\* A perianal tape test is performed in addition to an examination of cecal contents to detect for pinworms.

\*\* Test only done for contact sentinels with immunocompromised strains

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#8/1/2017 ectoparasite testing also included skin scraping for *Demodex muscili*