

JOB HAZARD ANALYSIS (JHA)		Date: 04-01-06	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New JHA <input type="checkbox"/> Revised JHA
Task: Transportation of small animals		JHA #18	Page <u>1</u> of <u>1</u>
Task Overview:	APHIS personnel will be restrain and transport animals of small (49 lbs. or less) size and weight.		
Task Elements:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Restraining small animals • Preparing small animals for transport • Transporting small animals 		
Personal Protective Equipment:	Work clothes, Dust mask, air purifying respirator, safety glasses, nitrile (exam) gloves, work gloves		
Tools and Equipment:	Motor vehicle, animal transport case		

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH CONCERNS

Chemical Agents: Various possible	Physical Agents: Bites/scrapes	Biological Agents: Allergic reactions Animal borne pathogens
Activity/Sequence of Job Steps	Potential Hazards/ Injury sources	Safe Action or Procedure
1) Restrain small animals	Working with possible chemically contaminated animals Bites/scrapes Allergic reactions Animal borne pathogens	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See JHA #8, Working with Small Animals
2) Preparing small animal for transport	Working with possible chemically contaminated animals Bites/scrapes Allergic reactions Animal borne pathogens	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assure the animal is properly restrained • Inspect the animal transportation case to assure it is safe for the animal and handlers • Ready the case to receive the animal • Place the animal in the case
3) Transport the animal	Motor vehicle	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See JHA # 3, driving or automobiles or JHA #4, driving or ATV