

news *THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS HEALTH SCIENCE CENTER AT DALLAS*

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DALLAS--The Animal Resources Center of The University of Texas Health Science Center has been awarded a grant for \$212,875 by the National Institutes of Health to improve animal resources over the next two years.

The funds will be used to renovate animal facilities and to purchase new animal care equipment. This will aid the institution in providing a system of housing and care for maintaining animals in physical comfort and good health.

Earlier this year, The University of Texas System Board of Regents authorized architects to prepare plans for a new \$9.3 million Clinical Sciences Building and Animal Facility for the Health Science Center campus. Animal facilities are expected to occupy one of the eight levels of the new building. Additional quarters are slated for the existing Basic Sciences Research Building.

Health Science Center officials say the new animal facilities will have a positive effect on the scientific research efforts of the faculty.

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