Extended Methods Form

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2. Animals

1. Experimental design

Experiments blinded		Age	
- what		Sex	
- how		Genetic background of mutation	
		Supplier	
Randomization	ļ	Weight Range	
Power calculation			
How many data points		Behavioral Abnormalities	
removed?			
- why		Any additional comments	

3. Environment

a. Housing	b. Testing
Diet	# of testers
Bedding	Experience of tester(s)
Cage rack ventilation	Lighting intensity (lux)
Home cage enrichment	Time testing ends
Habituation time before experiments (in days)	Test environment noise
Handling frequency before testing	Recent calibration of testing equipment
Cage cleaning frequency	Cleaning of test equip. between subjects
# housed per cage	-with
House experimental/ control groups together or separately	Habituation time before testing (in minutes)
Different species housed in same room	Oestrus stage of females
	Number of animals
Lights on time	present in testing room
Lights off time	Distance separated
Procedural anesthetic	
Post-operative analgesia	
-Analgesic and dose	Arousal state