Challenge Whole Body Plethysmography IC S_CHL_003

Purpose

The purpose of this procedure is to record the respiratory function of mice, with a LPS challenge, by means of Unrestrained Whole-Body Plethysmography, using a lipopolysaccharides (LPS) challenge.

Description: Spontaneous bronchospasm after LPS challenge

Experimental Design

Minimum number of animals: 6M + 6F

• Age at test: Week 13

• Sex: We would expect the results of this test to show sexual dimorphism

Equipment

- 1. Flow chambers
- 2. Plethysmographs
- 3. Computer connected to flow chamber
- 4. Challenge reagents
- 5. Personal safety equipment (masks, gloves, etc.)

Procedure

- 1. Before starting, calibrate the plethysmographic chambers
- Freshly prepare a 200 μg/mL LPS (O55:B5 serotype) solution in sterile saline (NaCl 0.9 %).
- 3. Inject 50 mg/kg ketamine and 3.3 mg/kg xylazine to mice in 100 μ L volume by intraperitoneal injection
- 4. Administrate 25 μL of LPS solution (5 μg / mice)
- 5. Mouse are next placed in decubitus on a heated plate during 10-15 min
- 6. Place mice in the chambers
- 7. Start the experimental recording phase (6 hours)
- 8. Remove mice from chambers and place back in the home cages.

Parameters and Metadata

Frequency of breathing (f) ICS_CHL_001_001 | v1.0

seriesParameter

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procedureMetadata

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procedureMetadata

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Date equipment last calibrated ICS_CHL_011_001 | v1.1

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