Equipment Disinfection Protocols

BEFORE THE SCAN

- Using the disposable wipes provided,* clean the surfaces of anything the researchers may touch (e.g. button boxes, squeeze ball, coils, keyboard, computer mouse).
- Wash hands with soap and water or use alcohol-based hand sanitizer** immediately before coming into an animal research room.
- After coming into the room, avoid touching your eyes and mouth until you have thoroughly washed your hands with soap and water or used an alcohol-based hand sanitizer**.

AFTER THE SCAN

- Using the disposable wipes provided,* clean the surfaces of anything you may have touched (e.g. button boxes, squeeze ball, coils, keyboard, computer mouse).
- Using the disposable wipes provided or the 70% IPA solution,* clean the keyboard of the imaging equipment computer, computer desktop surface, and any other countertop surfaces you or your colleagues might have touched.
- Complete this disinfection checklist and put it in the locked dropbox if one is available or leave it in the room you were using. The forms will be picked up randomly to double-check users are following protocol.
- Upon leaving the facility, wash your hands with soap and water or use an alcohol-based hand sanitizer**.

*Do not use any other wipes to clean the surfaces of the hardware. The disinfection agents used in the wipes we provide are designed to not degrade the plastic and rubber surfaces.

**The hand sanitizer dispensers in the BIC provide alcohol-based sanitizer.