Statement from Americans for Medical Progress on HSUS Undercover Video

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“All Americans love animals which is why we are naturally conflicted when we see images of animals in labs. At the same time, we simply cannot forget that animals play an irreplaceable role in health research. Humans and animals are impacted by many of the same diseases. Therefore, studying them helps us develop treatments that can be used in both human and veterinary medicine. 95 percent of all animal research involves rodents, but in very rare cases, dogs must be studied.”

“When viewing this video, it’s important to note what we do see and what we do not. We see employees dedicated to ensuring animals are treated with respect and kindness. We do not see abuse or mistreatment. We should also not forget that this video was shot and edited by an organization with an agenda.”

“Perhaps the biggest lesson learned from this video is the recognition that Americans need to better understand how new treatments are developed. The science community must do more to help the public realize the critical role of animal studies in combatting serious diseases. We also need to demonstrate the tremendous efforts taken to ensure that lab animals are treated well.”

Coverage

NEWSWEEK - Beagles Force-Fed Fungicides Won’t Be Euthanized, The Humane Society and Corteva Announce

NEWSWEEK - Humane Society Petition Goes Viral After Video Shows Beagles ‘Force-Fed’ Fungicides at Michigan Lab

THE SCIENTIST - Humane Society Successfully Campaigns to End Pesticide Test on Dogs | The Scientist Magazine®

WNDU TV - Michigan lab to end testing on beagles

WNDU TV - Undercover video shows dogs used, sometimes killed in Michigan lab testing

WILX TV (Lansing, Michigan) - Undercover investigation shows dogs being used in labs for testing

WJLA -TV USDA no longer experimenting on kittens after 7 On Your Side gets action | WJLA

WOOD TV - Humane Society says 36 beagles force-fed pesticide during lab testing will be euthanized

WISH TV - Humane Society says 36 beagles force-fed pesticide during lab testing will be euthanized

WTVG - Dogs force-fed pesticides in laboratory testing, Humane Society says
WKRN TV - Humane Society says 36 beagles force-fed pesticide during lab testing will be euthanized

WCMH TV - Humane Society says 36 beagles force-fed pesticide during lab testing will be euthanized

WKRG TV - Humane Society says 36 beagles force-fed pesticide during lab testing will be euthanized

WSAZ TV - Dogs force-fed pesticides in laboratory testing, Humane Society says

WROC TV - Humane Society says 36 beagles force-fed pesticide during lab testing will be euthanized

WKBN TV - Humane Society says 36 beagles force-fed pesticide during Michigan lab testing will be euthanized

WTAA TV - Humane Society says 36 beagles force-fed pesticide during lab testing will be euthanized

WJBF - Humane Society says 36 beagles force-fed pesticide during lab testing will be euthanized

KWXT TV - Dogs force-fed pesticides in laboratory testing, Humane Society says

WKYT TV - Dogs force-fed pesticides in laboratory testing, Humane Society says

KTXS TV - Humane Society asks Michigan lab to adopt out dogs it says are killed after experiments | KTXS

KTVF TV - Dogs force-fed pesticides in laboratory testing, Humane Society says

WDBJ TV - Dogs force-fed pesticides in laboratory testing, Humane Society says

WHSV TV - Dogs force-fed pesticides in laboratory testing, Humane Society says


KHNL TV - Dogs force-fed pesticides in laboratory testing, Humane Society says

KOLD TV - Dogs force-fed pesticides in laboratory testing, Humane Society says

WWSB TV - Dogs force-fed pesticides in laboratory testing, Humane Society says

WJLA TV - Humane Society asks Michigan lab to adopt out dogs it says are killed after experiments | WJLA

WOOD TV - Humane Society: Local dog testing unnecessary