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Jennie Lofgren, DVM, MS, DACLAM, is Global Head of Animal Welfare and Compliance at Novartis Institutes for BioMedical Research, Inc. Dr. Lofgren earned a dual degree Masters in Comparative Biomedical Sciences and a DVM from Tufts University. She completed post-doctoral training in Comparative Medicine at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. In a visiting research fellowship at Newcastle University, Dr. Lofgren learned how to conduct scientifically rigorous studies that isolate and evaluate pain behavior in rodents. She became a Diplomate of the American College of Laboratory Animal Medicine in 2011. Prior to joining Novartis, she was a Clinical Assistant Professor with the Unit for Laboratory Animal Medicine at the University of Michigan Medical School. There, she served as the faculty lead for the Enrichment and Social Housing Committee and was the University's Associate Attending Veterinarian with a focus on Practice Standards and Enrichment. She is the co-founder of the Refinement and Enrichment Advancements Laboratory (REAL) at the University of Michigan. At Novartis, Dr. Lofgren has worked with the global Animal Welfare Compliance team to increase education and transparency about the need for and value of animals in research and increased 3Rs opportunities for internal and external animal studies.