



### **Sotera Health Statement on the Safety of Animals**

Sotera Health is committed to its mission, Safeguarding Global Health®. We provide laboratory testing for medical devices to demonstrate to regulatory bodies that medical devices are safe for their intended use. Our company is dedicated to in vitro alternatives wherever possible, and our Nelson Labs® business is a global pioneer and champion of in vitro alternative testing. Nelson Labs® does not perform animal testing in house. Once all non-animal options are explored, and only when required by regulatory agencies, Nelson Labs® will use a compliant subcontractor that meets the state and national regulatory requirements for animal testing.