

Semi-Quantitative Grading Scheme for H ₂ S-induced Neuropathology										
Score	Neurons: Clumped Nissl or central chromatolysis	Neurons: Angular, shrunken neurons or early apoptotic neurons	Neurons: Loss of neurons	Glia: Astrocytes	Glia: Microglia/ macrophages	Apoptotic bodies	Neuropil: Pallor or Vacuoles			
0	None	None	No loss	Normal morphology	Normal morphology	None	Solid, bright eosinophilic			
1	Mild	<2/20X		Clumped chromatin		<2/20X	Slightly pale eosinophilic			
2		2-5/20X			Rare amoeboid	2-5/20X	Finely vacuolated			
3	Moderate	6-10/20X	~50% loss	Type II Alz cells	Many amoeboid	6-10/20X	Coarsely vacuolated			
4		11-15/20X			Mixed amoeboid/Gitter	11-15/20X	Condensation of vacuoles			
5	Severe	>15/20X	100% loss	Loss of astrocyte	Gitter cells	>15/20¥	Loss of large areas of			
5		×15/20A	100/01033	Pob 113	pressent	~ 1J/ 20A	neuroph			

observational battery e	valuation during H2S			
Cli	nical effecs in mice during	H2S exposure		
	Breathing Air	ir H ₂ S		
Autonomic		_		
Lacrimation	No	present		
Salivation	No	present		
Urination/Defecation	Normal	increased		
Convulsions				
Tonic movements	No	mild		
Clonic movements	No	severe		
Paddling feet	No	severe		
General Measures				
Piloerection	No	present		
Body Posture	Normal	hunched		
Dyspnea	No	present		
Gait				
Hindlimbs splayed	No	present		
Ataxia	No	severe		
Unable to support weight	No	present		

Supplemental Table 3.			Breathing Air		H2S					
Neurochemical changes in various					Day 1				Day 7	
brain regions					Da	Day 1		Day 5		Day /
	5-HT									
		Male	100.00	±5.33	130.40	±6.19**	125.10	±23.59	120.80	±6.74*
		Female	100.00	±30.69	176.80	±16.63*	186.70	±11.64*	109.80	±7.33
Inferior	5-HIAA									
Colliculus		Male	100.00	±5.85	98.23	±6.83	118.60	±9.20	133.80	±21.28
contcutus		Female	100.00	±8.98	131.70	±9.10	118.80	±5.17	109.20	±4.85
	NE									
		Male	100.00	±3.98	72.48	±4.457**	53.75	±22.61	66.19	±17.5
		Female	100.00	±8.35	110.10	±9.99	93.34	±5.00	105.60	±4.93
	5-HT									
		Male	100.00	±57.75	399.10	±65.91*	208.00	±130.60	298.10	±101.20
		Female	100.00	±17.67	93.36	±6.69	42.90	±2.36*	82.55	±22.35
	5-HIAA									
Thalamus		Male	100.00	±4.61	108.30	±6.521	103.40	±23.83	121.80	±22.77
		Female	100.00	±19.20	63.65	±11.93	47.77	±13.99	53.51	±16.55
	NE									
		Male	100.00	±4.45	89.03	±10.32	121.50	±34.36	195.80	±16.25**
		Female	100.00	±37.63	128.90	±31.32	73.43	±30.14	243.90	±101.30
	5-HT									
		Male	100.00	±35.90	84.73	±8.79	86.58	±13.12	61.12	±14.98
		Female	100.00	±4.02	114.10	±2.91*	91.69	±2.923	94.86	±6.66
	5-HIAA									
Cortex		Male	100.00	±8.44	137.10	±22.79	183.80	±5.27**	114.50	±23.1
		Female	100.00	±5.32	108.70	±3.88	87.81	±7.36	103.00	±18.01
	NE									
		Male	100.00	±8.45	73.96	±11.12	99.87	±9.94	98.86	±10.93
		Female	100.00	±5.03	94.53	±7.93	97.83	±9.81	117.40	±24.21
	5-HT									
		Male	100.00	±9.14	190.20	±78.88	56.76	±20.12	61.23	±4.63*
		Female	100.00	±4.02	114.10	±2.91	91.69	±2.93	94.86	±6.66
	5-HIAA	°.								
Striatum		Male	100.00	±3.32	153.90	±44.84	79.85	±26.7	85.94	±6.70
		Female	100.00	±22.92	161.40	±32.19	33.97	±15.87*	7.85	±0.62**
	NE									
		Male	100.00	±7.64	83.91	±17.35	88.99	±21.79	113.70	±9.78
		Female	100.00	±68.55	361.40	±67.30*	145.10	±13.22	75.93	±24.57