parenteral inoculation, and rarely, exposure to infectious aerosols are the primary hazards to laboratory personnel. A licensed vaccine is available through the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention; however, immunization of laboratory personnel is not recommended unless frequent work with clinical specimens or diagnostic cultures is anticipated.

http://www.labmed.washington.edu/Tutors/GS/GST.Demo/altspecies.html

Recombinant DNA

This site describes guidelines for recombinant DNA work with microorganisms such as <u>B. anthracis</u>. Recombinant DNA molecules are defined as molecules that are constructed outside living cells by joining natural or synthetic DNA segments to DNA molecules that can replicate in a living cell.

http://www.med.virginia.edu/research/UVA-Guidelines.html

Aerobic & Facultative Gram-Positive Rods

This site describes the properties of different classes of bacteria including <u>B</u>. anthracis. Topics include <u>Bacillus</u> anthracis, <u>Bacillus</u> cereus and other Gram positive aerobic rods.

http://salk.utmem.edu/classes/micro/AerobeIndex.html

IWF-Datenblatt

This site describes research on <u>B</u>. <u>anthracis</u>. It details the bacterial morphology and behaviour under different culture conditions.

http://www.iwf.gwdg.de/iwfger/alldaten/E327.html