A BRIEF GUIDE TO RAT BODY LANGUAGE

**Aggressive**
- Standing on toes, fur puffed out

**Cautious**
- Arched back
- Eyes narrowed, nose elongated

**In pain**
- In pain
- Eyes narrowed, nose elongated, whiskers bunched

**Sick**
- Fur puffed out
- Stretching forward, turning ears and whiskers to object of interest
- Distance between ears widens, ears bright pink

**Scared**
- Narrowed ears and eyes

**In pain**
- Cheeks flattened, nose elongated, whiskers bunched

**Happy**
- Lower lip hanging down, showing teeth

**Neutral**

**Sleepy**

**Relaxed**

**Pancake**

**Seems legless**

**Curious**