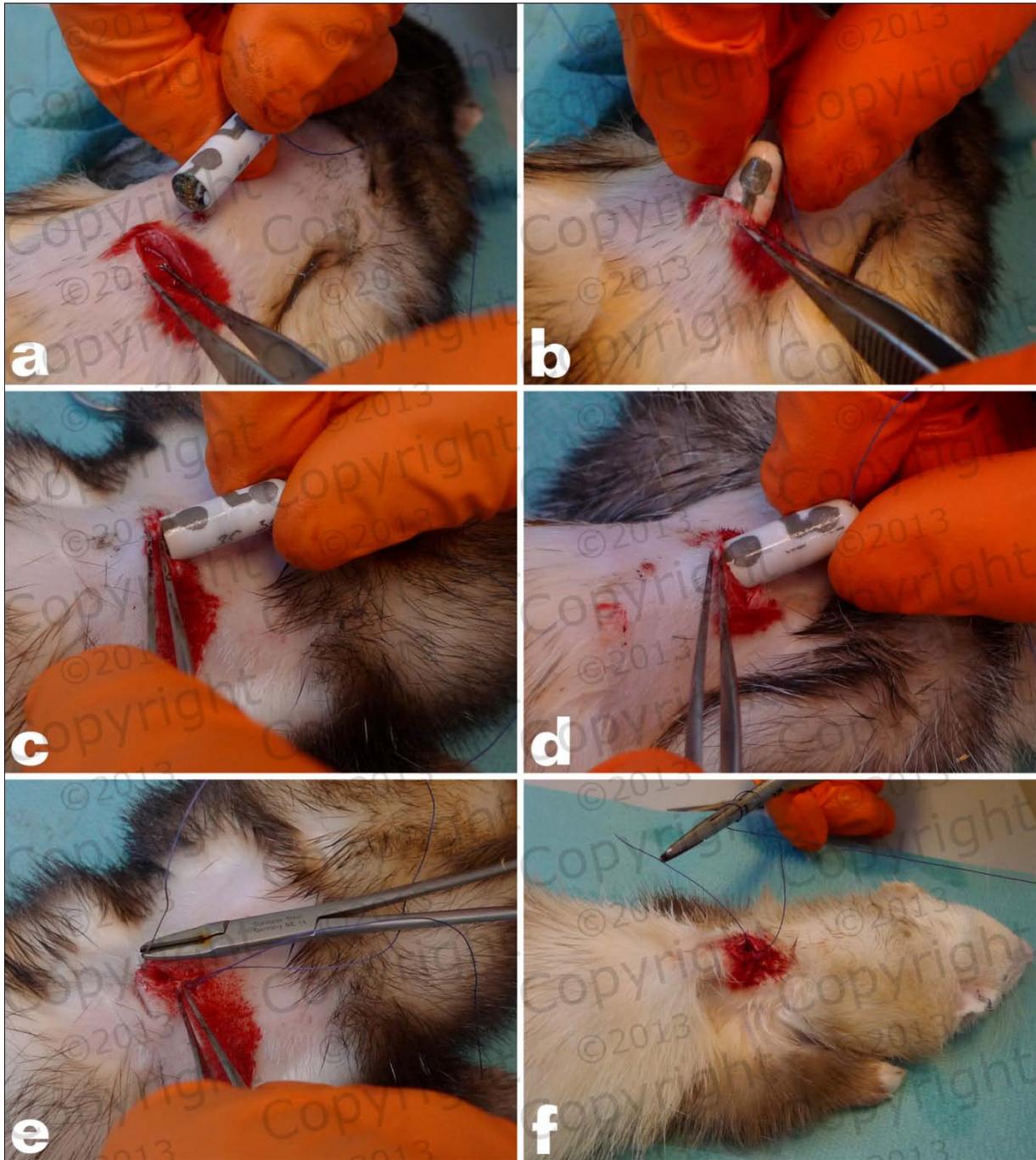


In vivo subcutaneous implantation of Biological Data Loggers by Star-Oddi.



Surgical implantation of a ceramic probe (DST micro-HRT heart rate and temperature logger, 8.3mm x 25.4mm, by STAR-ODDI®), within the subcutis of the neck region of an anaesthetised ferret. A small incision is made in the skin to expose the subcutis (a). Insertion of a sterile probe into the subcutis (b, c, and d). Routine surgical closure of the subcutis and skin by absorbable sutures (e) and (f).