



Inspection Report

John H Beiler
726 Turnbull Rd
Platteville, WI 53818

Customer ID: **44451**
Certificate: **35-A-0321**
Site: 001
JOHN BEILER

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION
Date: 06-OCT-2016

2.40(b)(2)

ATTENDING VETERINARIAN AND ADEQUATE VETERINARY CARE (DEALERS AND EXHIBITORS).

Some guinea pigs in the upper building at location 1 have hair loss and appear to have skin problems:

- A guinea pig in enclosure #9 has hair loss along its back and reddened skin along its back.
- A guinea pig in enclosure #14 has hair loss along its back and the skin is reddened in areas of hair loss.
- A brown guinea pig in enclosure #15 has hair loss and the skin appears slightly crusty in areas.
- Two guinea pigs in enclosure #4 had hair loss and reddened skin in areas of hair loss; one of these guinea pigs also has a scab above its shoulders in the area of hair loss.

Hair loss and reddened/crusty skin can be sign of health problems and can be caused by many different things and can be uncomfortable for affected animals. To see if these animals need medication, the facility must have them evaluated by the attending veterinarian and follow the veterinarian's treatment plan. The treatment plan will need to be documented for future inspections.

-A female guinea pig in the lower building (location 1) had a buildup of crusted material on its front feet. Close evaluation revealed that it had an overgrown toe-nail on one toe (the other toes could not be visualized due to the crusted material). Improper nail care and build-up of material on this guinea pig's feet affects its ability to walk and can cause discomfort in the feet. This guinea pig must be evaluated by the attending veterinarian for treatment of its feet and guidance on proper nail care for guinea pigs at the facility must be obtained from the attending veterinarian. The treatment plan will need to be documented and available for future inspections.

Correct by October 11, 2016

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PRIMARY ENCLOSURES.

At least 50 feeders at Location 1's upper building and at location 2 have wire points exposed to the guinea pigs. Also, in the lower building at location 1 there is a feeder in the first pen closest to the main door that is rusted and has sharp edges exposed to the guinea pigs. Sharp edges and wire points can injure the guinea pigs. The facility must replace or fix feeders so that they do not have any sharp points exposed to the guinea pigs.

Correct by October 12, 2016.

3.31(a)(1) REPEAT

SANITATION.

There was an excessive buildup of wet soiled bedding and debris in the corners of most enclosures by the water sipper valves and feeding areas. Guinea pigs in these areas have to stand on wet soiled bedding to eat or drink. A build up of wet and soiled areas in the enclosures increases the risk for sickness and increases odors in the building. To promote animal health; spot clean soiled areas more often to ensure that guinea pigs have dry access to feed and water at all times.

This was an inspection of locations 1 and 2. Exit interview conducted with facility representative.

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Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
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Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
001745	<i>Cavia porcellus</i>	DOMESTIC GUINEA PIG
001745	Total	