



Inspection Report

Colorado Academy of Veterinary Technology
2766 Janitell Road
COLORADO SPRINGS, CO 80906

Customer ID: **331127**

Certificate: **84-R-0087**

Site: 001

COLORADO ACADEMY OF
VETERINARY TECHNOLOGY

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 02-JUN-2025

2.31(c)(2)

Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC).

The IACUC did not inspect the research facility's animal facilities at least once every six months as required. The last semiannual inspection was conducted 7.5 months ago on Oct. 23, 2024. The official semi annual inspection ensures the IACUC's oversight and maintains accountability for the facility's compliance. The facility must ensure that the IACUC performs the semi annual inspections at least once every six months. Correct from this date 6/2/2025 forward for all future semi-annual inspections of the animal facilities.

2.31(c)(3)

Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC).

The IACUC, in it's report to the Institutional Official (IO), did not distinguish significant deficiencies from minor deficiencies. It also did not include a specific plan and schedule with dates for correcting each deficiency. A significant deficiency is one which, in the judgement of the IACUC, is or may be a threat to the health and safety of the animals. If the deficiencies are not distinguished it could negatively affect the welfare of the animals. As such, the semi-annual report must contain a plan and schedule with dates for correcting these deficiencies. Correct from this date 6/2/2025 forward for all future semi-annual inspections of the animal facilities.

2.38(l)(2)

Miscellaneous.

This facility's annual contingency plan review has not been documented since April 2024. The annual review and documentation of the review, ensures that contingency planning incorporates facility changes and new resources for the management of emergency situations for the animals. Each registrant must maintain documentation of their annual reviews, including documenting any amendments or changes made since the previous year's review. To be corrected by July 3, 2025.

2.40(b)(2)

Attending veterinarian and adequate veterinary care (dealers and exhibitors).

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On routine inspection, there are several expired medications including Torbugesic, Gabapentin, Euthanasia solution, Alfaxan, 1% Silver Sulfadiazine Cream (SSD), and Proparacaine. An Exel Hypodermic Needle was also found that expired on 3/13/2023. The use of expired medications and needles are not considered to be a safe or appropriate method to prevent, control, diagnose, and treat diseases and injuries since the expected results cannot be guaranteed. The facility must ensure the use of appropriate methods to prevent, control, diagnose, and treat diseases and injuries. The licensee must ensure all medications and needles on-hand are not expired. The facility corrected this at time of inspection by throwing expired medications and needles away.

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with the facility representative.

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