



Inspection Report

Bridges For Brain Injury Inc
5760 Duke Of Gloucester Way
Farmington, NY 14425

Customer ID: **321420**
Certificate: **21-C-0350**
Site: 001

BRIDGES FOR BRAIN INJURY INC

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION
Date: 18-APR-2018

2.40(a)(2)

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

Facility staff contacted the Attending Veterinarian (AV) 2-4 months ago regarding a lesion on the left foot of the male Bettong. The AV was unable to visit the facility until the following month but offered that the facility could bring the Bettong in for treatment. The facility chose not to take the Bettong to the AV and instead treated the lesion in-house without consulting the AV. According to staff, the lesion had an underlying cavity was flushed with betadine for a period of a several days until it healed. There is no documentation of communication with the AV, treatment of the animal, or observations as to how it recovered.

The facility is to assure that the AV has appropriate authority in regards to veterinary care. By bypassing the AV to administer treatment, the animal is at risk of not receiving the proper medical care, including pain management or observation for complications, all of which can be detrimental to the animal's health.

Correct by communicating with the AV how medical issues will be treated when a site visit is not possible by the AV and ensure that the Program of Veterinary Care reflects any treatment authority the AV places upon the facility.
Correct by: July 18, 2018.

3.125(a) REPEAT

FACILITIES, GENERAL.

The top of the metal wire cage housing the woodchuck has an area where the wires are cut and bent inward into the enclosure by several inches. There are several sharp points protruding into the cage and places the woodchuck at risk for injury.

Housing facilities must be maintained in good repair to protect the animals from injury and the prevent escape of the animals. Correct by repairing the cage and removing all sharp points from the enclosure.

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with Facility Representatives.

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Species Inspected

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321420	21-C-0350	001	BRIDGES FOR BRAIN INJURY INC	18-APR-18

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000001	<i>Atelerix albiventris</i>	FOUR-TOED HEDGEHOG (MOST COMMON PET HEDGEHOG)
000002	<i>Bettongia penicillata</i>	BRUSH-TAILED RAT-KANGAROO
000001	<i>Canis latrans</i>	COYOTE
000001	<i>Canis lupus hallstromi</i>	NEW GUINEA SINGING DOG
000001	<i>Chinchilla lanigera</i>	CHINCHILLA (DOMESTICATED)
000001	<i>Chlorocebus pygerythrus</i>	VERVET
000001	<i>Cynomys leucurus</i>	WHITE-TAILED PRAIRIE DOG
000001	<i>Didelphis virginiana</i>	VIRGINIA OPOSSUM
000001	<i>Echinops telfairi</i>	LESSER MADAGASCAR HEDGEHOG TENREC
000001	<i>Erethizon dorsatum</i>	NORTH AMERICAN PORCUPINE
000001	<i>Helogale parvula</i>	DWARF MONGOOSE
000001	<i>Hystrix cristata</i>	AFRICAN CRESTED PORCUPINE
000002	<i>Lemur catta</i>	RING-TAILED LEMUR
000001	<i>Lynx lynx</i>	NORTHERN/EURASIAN LYNX
000001	<i>Macropus giganteus</i>	EASTERN GREY KANGAROO
000002	<i>Marmota monax</i>	GROUNDHOG / WOODCHUCK
000001	<i>Notamacropus rufogriseus</i>	BENNETT'S WALLABY / RED-NECKED WALLABY
000001	<i>Oryctolagus cuniculus</i>	DOMESTIC RABBIT / EUROPEAN RABBIT
000002	<i>Petaurus breviceps</i>	SUGAR GLIDER
000001	<i>Sus scrofa domestica</i>	DOMESTIC PIG / POTBELLY PIG / MICRO PIG
000001	<i>Tamias sibiricus</i>	SIBERIAN CHIPMUNK
000002	<i>Vulpes vulpes</i>	RED FOX (INCLUDES SILVER FOX & CROSS FOX)
000027	Total	