

## United States Department of Agriculture Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service

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## **Inspection Report**

Melvin Shirk 4341 State Route 364

Penn Yan, NY 14527

Customer ID: **330612** 

Certificate: 21-A-0178

Site: 001
MELVIN SHIRK

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 30-NOV-2017

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

\*\*\* A Yorki identified as #103 "Butterfly" had matted fur along the her back. Matted fur pulls and separates from the skin potentially causing pain and skin irritations and decreases the ability of the animal to regulate body temperature. This dog should be groomed on a routine basis to prevent matted fur and for the comfort of the dog. The dog was also observed with her tongue hanging out of mouth. On closer examination the dog was observed to have no teeth. Under the mouth saliva was clumped into the fur. Lack of teeth can impact an animal's ability to eat normally and maintain appropriate body weight. Additionally the dog had a 1.5 inch irregular shaped mass under the nipple region. This dog needs to be seen by the attending veterinarian in a timely manner to diagnose and provide treatment options.

Correct by: Dec 5, 2017

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with facility representative.

Additional inspector Katie Steneroden, DVM

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01-DEC-2017

Date:

Title: ANIMAL CARE INSPECTOR 6003

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Customer: 330612 Inspection Date: 30-NOV-17

# **Species Inspected**

Cust No Cert No Site	Site Name	Inspection
330612 21-A-0178 001	MELVIN SHIRK	30-NOV-17

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000027	Canis lupus familiaris	DOG ADULT
000014	Canis lupus familiaris	DOG PUPPY
000041	Total	