



Inspection Report

Dan Barker Jr
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Customer ID: **14166**
Certificate: **21-A-0136**
Site: 001
DANS PETS

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION
Date: 23-MAY-2016

2.40(b)(3)

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

Several dogs (a Bichon #078377827, a small Yorkie # 072034855 and a Poodle # 069122300) were observed continuously circling/spinning in their enclosures during the inspection process. This occurred when the inspector was in front of the enclosure and continued as the inspector walked down the aisle and looked back to see if the behavior stopped. A few of these dogs were co-housed and would continue the behavior around the other animals. This is an abnormal behavior pattern for these animals and could be indicative of stress or another health issue. The licensee has observed these behaviors and stated that they will stop when the dogs are allowed outside but begin again when in the enclosure. The licensee has not communicated these abnormal behaviors with the vet to address the issue. Daily observation of the animals should focus on their health and well-being which would include their psychological well-being. The attending vet needs to evaluate these animals for diagnosis of the cause of these behaviors and develop an appropriate treatment plan to address this issue. Written documentation of the Attending Veterinarian's recommendations regarding alterations to cage space, provisions of enrichment and any other steps necessary to address this abnormality shall be maintained by the licensee for review by APHIS Officials. Additionally, the licensee shall maintain documentation of the implementation of these recommendations for review.

Correct by: June 3, 2016

2.50(a)(2)

TIME AND METHOD OF IDENTIFICATION.

*** The licensee did not have any ID numbers on puppies that have recently whelped. In a few whelping boxes there were puppies fostered by other dams. These puppies need to be identified as they have been separated from their initial litter and dam. In addition the facility is not keeping records of puppies that have died prior to being identified by microchip. The facility may maintain these numbers on cage cards for the whelping boxes as long as the cage cards are maintained for inspection. This needs to be corrected to ensure dogs are identified in a timely manner for

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record keeping purposes.

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3.11(a) REPEAT

CLEANING, SANITIZATION, HOUSEKEEPING, AND PEST CONTROL.

***The main kennel is pressure washed daily. The dogs are not removed from the enclosures during cleaning and many of the dogs on the bottom tier of the enclosures were very wet. Some of the dogs appear to have skin and hair issues potentially due to being wet and then in a humid environment. A yorki # 078093019 has ears where the skin is irritated and ragged around the edges possibly to being consistently damp. The facility needs to come up with a plan to ensure dogs are not getting wet during daily cleaning. This needs to be addressed for their health and well being.

An exit briefing was conducted with the licensee at the time of the inspection.

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Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
14166	21-A-0136	001	DANS PETS	23-MAY-16

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000276	<i>Canis lupus familiaris</i>	DOG ADULT
000167	<i>Canis lupus familiaris</i>	DOG PUPPY
000443	Total	