



## Inspection Report

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Merle Yoder  
6776 Mt Hope Rd  
Apple Creek, OH 44606

Customer ID: **335053**  
Certificate: **31-A-0608**  
Site: 001  
Merle Yoder

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION  
Date: 04-SEP-2025

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#### Veterinary care for dogs.

The facility is not following the program of veterinary care for vaccinations. The program of veterinary care currently prescribes dogs will be vaccinated for distemper, parvovirus, and leptospirosis (DAPLP 7-way) annually. Twenty-six adult dogs currently housed at the facility were not administered a vaccine containing leptospirosis as required by the program of veterinary care. The dogs were administered a DAPP (5-way) vaccine on 5 July 2025. The last 7-way vaccine that was administered to the adult dogs was on 4 July 2024 per available medical records. Failure to follow the preventative care schedule for vaccinations in the program of veterinary care does not ensure the dogs are receiving appropriate protection against contagious and deadly diseases such as distemper, parvo, leptospirosis, and rabies which can lead to illness and discomfort to the dogs. The facility must follow the vaccination schedule approved by the attending veterinarian in the program of veterinary care to protect the dogs from deadly or contagious diseases.  
Correct by 4 October 2025

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

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Date:  
04-SEP-2025

Title:

Received by Title: Facility Representative

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**Species Inspected**

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
335053	31-A-0608	001	Merle Yoder	04-SEP-2025

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000034	<i>Canis familiaris</i>	DOG ADULT
000005	<i>Canis familiaris</i>	DOG PUPPY
000039	<b>Total</b>	