



Inspection Report

Path Valley Farm Inc
14374 Shady Pine Road
P.O. Box 233
Willow Hill, PA 17271

Customer ID: 2155
Certificate: 23-A-0009
Site: 001
PATH VALLEY FARM INC

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION
Date: 29-APR-2015

2.40(b)(1)

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

One bottle of Acepromazine present in the surgical prep room had an expiration date of 03/14. This facility uses Acepromazine as a part of an anesthetic protocol and it had been used on animals as recently as 27 April 2015. Expired medications may have unpredictable potency and therefore may compromise the welfare of the animals. All licensees shall have the availability of appropriate facilities and equipment (including any necessary medications) in order to provide appropriate veterinary care. Correct by ensuring that expired medications are properly discarded and that all medications administered to animals are within date.

Correct by: Prior to any additional administration of this medication and not later than 6 May 2015.

2.40(b)(2)

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

A female ferret with ear tag #9002 in the left ear was noted to have a growth on the right lower eyelid and a moderate amount of brown debris accumulated around the mass and the upper eyelid. The eye itself appeared normal and there did not appear to be reddening of the conjunctiva (membranes surrounding the eye). When this was pointed out to the licensee he stated he was unaware of the condition and the facility did not have record identifying this issue or referring it to the attending veterinarian for diagnosis and treatment. Failure to properly identify ocular conditions such as this can delay treatment and may lead to worsening of the condition. Additionally, records of treatments and veterinarian recommendations are necessary to ensure good communication between all staff when individual animals are undergoing care or have chronic conditions requiring monitoring. Correct by ensuring that this animal is examined by the Attending Veterinarian and that records of the recommendations are maintained for review by APHIS Officials upon request. The facility must also ensure that records of diagnosis and treatment for any future animals identified are available to inspectors upon request.

Correct by: 6 May 2015

An exit briefing was conducted with the owner, David Oelberg VMO, Mary Geib VMO, & Dana Miller SACS.

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Additional Inspectors

Miller Dana, Supervisory Animal Care Specialist

Geib Mary, Veterinary Medical Officer

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Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
2155	23-A-0009	001	PATH VALLEY FARM INC	29-APR-15

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
001754	<i>Muscardinus avellanarius</i>	HAZEL DORMOUSE
001754	Total	