

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

RPEREZ-BAUM INS-0000868476

## Inspection Report

**BLUE RIDGE COMMUNITY COLLEGE** 

P O BOX 80

WEYERS CAVE, VA 24486

Customer ID: 496

Certificate: 52-R-0001

Site: 001

**BLUE RIDGE COMMUNITY** 

COLLEGE

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 08-MAY-2023

### 2.38(I)(1)

#### Miscellaneous.

The facility does not have a comprehensive written contingency plan to provide for the humane handling, treatment, transportation, housing, or care of their animals in the event of an emergency or disaster. If an emergency or natural disaster were to occur at the facility, the lack of a complete written contingency plan could impact animal health if the staff are not prepared to respond to the situation appropriately. Correct by June 9, 2023 by developing, documenting, and following an appropriate contingency plan to provide for the humane handling, treatment, transportation, housing, and care of their animals in the the event of an emergency or disaster.

#### 3.13(a)(3)

#### Veterinary care for dogs.

The Program of Veterinary Care for dogs does not have schedule regarding the sampling of parasites and other pests (fleas, worms, coccidia, giardia, and heartworm). The program states that a fecal examination will be performed on every dog when the specimen becomes available but does not state a frequency that this will occur (e.g. monthly, once a year, etc.). Additionally, the program states all animals will receive preventative treatment for heartworm and external parasites monthly but has no frequency of sampling (e.g. a heartworm test yearly for all dogs greater than 6 months of age). The written program of veterinary care must include a schedule for sampling and treatment of parasites and other pests

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(including fleas, worms, coccidia, giardia, and heartworm) approved by the Attending Veterinarian to ensure consistent guidance to all veterinarians and staff tasked with providing care for the dogs. Correct by June 9, 2023 by having the Attending Veterinarian update the written program of veterinary care for dogs to include a schedule for sampling and treatment of parasites and other pests.

### 3.13(a)(4)

#### Veterinary care for dogs.

The Program of Veterinary Care for dogs does not include a plan to ensure healthy skin and hair coats, nails, eyes, ears, and teeth. The husbandry standard operating procedure (SOP) states that dogs may receive baths, nail trims, ear cleanings, and other routine preventative care but does not state a schedule for these procedures to be performed or a frequency that animals will be evaluated on their skin, hair coat, eye, ear, nail, or dental health. The written program of veterinary care must include preventative care and treatments to ensure healthy skin, hair coats, ears, eyes, nails, and teeth that is approved by the Attending Veterinarian to ensure consistent guidance to all veterinarians and staff tasked with providing care for the dogs. Correct by June 9, 2023 by having the Attending Veterinarian update the written program of veterinary care for dogs to include preventative care and treatments to ensure healthy and unmatted hair coats, properly trimmed nails, and clean and healthy eyes, ears, skin, and teeth.

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with the Attending Veterinarian.

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