

United States Department of Agriculture Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service

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Inspection Report

Dawn K Van Deman 2130 Gilbert Ave Indianapolis, IN 46227 Customer ID: 36282

Certificate: 32-C-0240

Site: 001

EAGLE CREEK EARTH DISCOVERY CENTER

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 12-APR-2016

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

One of the opossums receives an oral daily glucosamine supplement. The supplement is labeled to administer one treat to a sixty pound dog. One treat is divided into six pieces and one piece is given to the opossum once daily. Though the attending veterinarian has indicated on the written program of veterinary care that Cosequin may be given to older animals, the supplement being used is not the brand Cosequin, nor are there veterinary instructions present for how to dose this supplement to opossums.

Pyrantel poamate, an oral dewormer labeled for dogs, is kept on hand and given to the opossums once monthly at the dog dose. The written program of veterinary care indicates the opossums will have fecal exams done and treated as necessary. There are no veterinary instructions present for how to dose the opossums with the dewormer kept on hand.

Medications/supplements/treatments may be ineffective or even harmful when used off label. Specific instructions including: The species for which it is to be used, the name of the medication/supplement/treatment, the dose to be administered, the route of administration, the frequency of administration, and the duration of treatment must be indicated for all medications/supplements/treatments used. All medications/supplements/treatments must be approved by a licensed veterinarian. Each exhibitor shall employ an attending veterinarian under formal arrangements which includes a written program of veterinary care and specific instructions for use of all medications/supplements and treatments.

Correct by: April 22, 2016

Exit interview conducted with Facility Representative

Prepared By: KERRY MCHENRY, D V M USDA, APHIS, Animal Care Date:

Title: VETERINARY MEDICAL OFFICER 6024

Received by Title: FACILITY REPRESENTAIVE Date:

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Species Inspected

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36282	32-C-0240	001	EAGLE CREEK EARTH DISCOVERY CENTER	12-APR-16
Count	Scientific Name		Common Name	
000002	Didelphis virginiana	а	VIRGINIA OPOSSUM	