



Inspection Report

John H Lynch
240 Walnut Dale Rd
Shippensburg, PA 17257

Customer ID: **13482**
Certificate: **23-B-0187**
Site: 001
JOHN LYNCH

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION
Date: 30-APR-2015

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

*** A brindle and white male Bulldog identified as Studly (Microchip ending in #943) was noted to have a squint to the left eye. The eye itself had an area on the ventral (lower) half of the corneal surface that appeared cloudy and the lower eyelid was rolling inwards so that the haired portion of the eyelid is rubbing against the eye itself. There did not appear to be significant reddening of the conjunctiva (membranes surrounding the eye), however, the skin folds under the affected eye were wet from what appeared to be excessive tearing. When this was pointed out to the licensees they both stated they were 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.

*** A brindle and white male Bulldog identified as Heart Breaker (Microchip ending in #300) was noted to have a red fleshy mass in the corner of the right eye nearest the nose. The licensee stated that this dog had recently had treatment for cherry eye and entropion and that the veterinarian had informed her that there may be swelling post-operatively. The facility's records confirmed that this dog had been identified and received surgery in February 2015 but had no further follow-up or any direction for follow-up from the veterinarian. The licensee stated that she intended to have the veterinarian look at this dog again when he came to conduct physical exams on all of the dogs (currently planned for June). Although this was identified and treated previously by the attending veterinarian, when conditions fail to resolve as expected it is the responsibility of the licensee to communicate that to the attending veterinarian so that additional guidance can be provided.

*** A fawn and white male Bulldog identified as Romeo (Microchip ending in #470) had a small area (approximately 1cm round) of hair loss on the right upper neck. The underlying skin was red and appeared both inflamed and moist with a small amount of crusts around the margin. Hair loss can occur from multiple causes and veterinary examination is necessary to properly diagnose and treat this condition.

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. For animals expected to have chronic conditions the licensee must seek guidance regarding: continued care, any necessary changes in husbandry, and indications that additional care or recheck examination by the veterinarian is needed.

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Correct by ensuring that each of these animals are examined by the Attending Veterinarian and that records of the recommendations and treatment are maintained for review by APHIS Officials upon request.

Correct by: 5 May 2015

An exit interview was conducted with facility owners, David Oelberg VMO, and Dana Miller SACS.

Additional Inspectors

Miller Dana, Supervisory Animal Care Specialist

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Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
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Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000067	<i>Canis lupus familiaris</i>	DOG ADULT
000067	Total	