



## Inspection Report

Santa'S Workshop  
P O Box 246  
Cascade, CO 80809

Customer ID: **3505**  
Certificate: **84-C-0156**  
Site: 001  
SANTA'S WORKSHOP

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION  
Date: 12-APR-2018

### 2.40(a)(1)

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

The Program of Veterinary Care (PVC) states that the llama will receive a physical exam twice a year. Documentation of the last two visits by the attending veterinarian did not include a physical exam for the llama. The PVC also states that capture and restraint of the llama consists of halter and sedation, if necessary. When asked how the llama is caught, the facility representative stated that the llama is roped first as he is unable to place a halter on him otherwise. When asked if the rope was just slipped over the head, he stated that he has to throw the rope and tighten it around the llama's neck as the llama is unapproachable if it sees anything other than food with the handler.

The PVC is a part of the formal arrangements that are to be followed when a part-time attending veterinarian is used. By not following it, there may be signs of illness or injury that are missed as well as activities, such as roping of the llama, that can cause injuries.

Correct by ensuring the PVC is being followed and reviewed with the attending veterinarian whenever changes need to be made. Correct by April 26, 2018.

### 2.40(b)(2)

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

While observing the llama in it's enclosure, it was noted to have a limp on it's right front leg. The facility representative stated that, according to what was told to him by the attending veterinarian, the limp was chronic and due to arthritis. When reviewing medical records for the llama, there was no documentation of communication with the attending veterinarian regarding the limp.

Animals displaying signs of injuries or diseases must be addressed with the attending veterinarian so that treatment, prevention, or pain relief can be addressed. By not doing so can lead to additional pain and further impact the overall health of the animal.

Correct by having the llama evaluted by the attending veterinarian and developing a treatment plan. Correct by

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April 26, 2018.

### 3.130

#### **WATERING.**

The water trough used in the enclosure for the llama and 23 fallow deer had debris floating on the water as well as a greenish-brown film along the inside of the trough within the water. This film was easily dislodged when touched.

Water receptacles are required to be kept clean and sanitary so as to prevent contamination of water as well as to not discourage the animals from drinking, which could impact their overall health.

Correct by cleaning and sanitizing water receptacles used by the animals and ensuring that the water is kept free from contamination. Correct by April 14, 2018.

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with Facility Representative.

#### **Additional Inspectors**

Rhodes Cindy, Animal Care Inspector

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## Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
3505	84-C-0156	001	SANTA'S WORKSHOP	12-APR-18

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000023	<i>Dama dama</i>	FALLOW DEER
000001	<i>Lama glama</i>	LLAMA
<b>000024</b>	<b>Total</b>	