



Inspection Report

Clayton Yoder
4408 C R 7480
West Plains, MO 65775

Customer ID: **12503**
Certificate: **42-A-1000**
Site: 003
CLAYTON YODER

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION
Date: 08-OCT-2014

2.40(a)(1) REPEAT

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

There is a written program of veterinary care but the last visit by the veterinarian is greater than one year ago on March 13, 2013. Regular inspections by attending veterinarians are required in order to ensure adequate veterinary care at the facility. The licensee shall employ an attending veterinarian under formal arrangements and must schedule regular visits to the premises.

2.50(a)(1) REPEAT

TIME AND METHOD OF IDENTIFICATION.

None of the dogs at the facility have an official form of identification. Individual identification is required in order to ensure that each animal's identity can be known with certainty and to facilitate record keeping requirements. All live dogs on the premises must be officially identified with a tag, tattoo or microchip and this identification information must be made available to the inspector.

2.75(a)(1) REPEAT

RECORDS: DEALERS AND EXHIBITORS.

The licensee did not have a record of dogs on hand (7005's) at the time of inspection. Complete and accurate animal records must be kept in order to facilitate tracking and/or tracing of animals. Records must be made, kept and maintained that fully and correctly disclose information concerning all animals purchased or otherwise acquired, owned, held, leased, transported, sold, euthanized or otherwise disposed of and shall include any offspring born while in the licensees possession.

3.1(c)(1)(1) REPEAT

HOUSING FACILITIES, GENERAL.

Surfaces.

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Four shelters have visible rust. The rust is pitting and flaking along the bottom portion of the shelter. In some places the metal has completely eroded leaving holes and jagged edges along nearly the entire bottom edge of the shelter. There are ten dogs in the affected enclosures. Rusted surfaces that are pitting and flaking cannot be cleaned or sanitized properly. It can also affect the structural strength of the shelter. Interior surfaces and any surfaces that come in contact with the dogs must be repaired or replaced so that it is free of excessive rust that prevents the required cleaning and sanitization, or that affects the structural strength of the surface.

3.1(c)(3)

HOUSING FACILITIES, GENERAL.

There is a build-up of feces and urine mixed in with dirt and gravel throughout all of the outdoor runs. All of the feeders within all of the enclosures have a layer of dust and/or dirt on and within them. There are thirteen dogs in the affected enclosures. Failure to properly clean within primary enclosures can lead to disease hazards for the dogs. Hard surfaces with which the dogs come in contact must be spot-cleaned daily and sanitized at least once every two weeks or more often if necessary to prevent an accumulation of dirt, debris, food waste, excreta, and other disease hazards. Floors made of dirt or similar material must be raked or spot-cleaned with sufficient frequency to ensure all animals the freedom to avoid contact with excreta. Contaminated material must be replaced whenever this raking and spot-cleaning is not sufficient.

To be corrected by: October 22, 2014.

3.4(b)(3)

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OUTDOOR HOUSING FACILITIES.

None of the shelters have wind and rain breaks at the entrance. There are 13 dogs in the affected enclosures. Lack of wind and rain breaks does not provide protection from the elements. Shelter must be provided with a wind break and rain break at the entrance.

3.6(a)(2)(1)

PRIMARY ENCLOSURES.

In the outdoor enclosure containing 3 dogs there is an area along the bottom portion of a chain-link gate that has broken and bent wires. The chain-link is starting to separate and unravel creating sharp points within the enclosure. The wired panels that make up the wall of the enclosures in the outdoor runs are tied to steel posts using twisted wire strands. Some of the ends of the twisted wire strands are sharp and protrude into the enclosure. In 3

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enclosures containing 6 dogs there are pieces of wire strands on the ground. The sharp wires present an injury hazard to the animals. The licensee must ensure that all cages are constructed and maintained so they have no sharp points or edges that can injure the animals.

To be corrected by: October 15, 2014.

3.10 DIRECT

WATERING.

In the outdoor housing facility, there are 5 enclosures containing a total of 13 dogs. All of the plastic water bowls in the enclosures have severely chewed and worn surfaces. There is a build-up of dirt and grime on these surfaces. A thick slimy green material is present on the inside surface of three of the water bowls affecting 8 dogs. The water in those three receptacles has a slime-like appearance and contains an excessive amount of dirt and debris giving the water a cloudy appearance. Failure to provide clean drinking water can lead to disease hazards for the dogs. All water bowls must be kept clean and sanitized at least once every two weeks. Fresh water must be provided to the dogs at least twice daily.

To be corrected by: 12:00 p.m. on October 9, 2014.

3.11(d) REPEAT

CLEANING, SANITIZATION, HOUSEKEEPING, AND PEST CONTROL.

Pest control.

An excessive number of flies are on and around all of the enclosures. One pen housing three dogs has an excessive number of flies flying around and landing on the water receptacle. An excessive number of pests can lead to disease hazards. An effective program for the control of insects, external parasites affecting dogs that are pests, must be established and maintained so as to promote the health and well-being of the animals and reduce contamination by pests in animal areas.

Inspection and exit interview conducted with licensee.

Additional Inspectors

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Species Inspected

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Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000015	<i>Canis lupus familiaris</i>	DOG ADULT
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