

United States Department of Agriculture Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service

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Inspection Report

AARON GLICK Customer ID: **327740**

25766 HWY 81 Certificate: **35-A-0363** CUBA CITY, WI 53807

Site: 001

AARON GLICK

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 06-JUL-2023

3.25(a)

Facilities, general.

A male guinea pig was outside of his primary enclosure during inspection and in the walkways. The facility representative said this guinea pig has learned to jump over the dividers and then goes back to his own enclosure for food and water when it wants and hasn't caused any problems. Ensure that this guinea pig's enclosure is adjusted so that it can't jump out, as his safety can't be ensured if it is out in the walkways or if it goes in with other guinea pigs that aren't part of his home enclosure.

***Correct by July 8, 2023.

3.25(c) Repeat

Facilities, general.

The licensee has made progress on cleaning out trash from around the food and bedding storage, however there is still clutter in the area around the food storage in the northwest corner of the barn. While stored bags were observed to lack any sign of rodent damage in inspection; clutter can allow areas for vermin or rodents to hide and live in which can then contaminate food/bedding. To protect food and bedding ensure to get the remaining clutter around the food and bedding storage cleaned out.

3.28(a)(1) Repeat

Primary enclosures.

The licensee has begun repairs on feeders, however 33 feeders were observed to need repair or replacement; these feeders had corners or edges that were sharp to the touch. Rough or sharp edges on feeders could hurt guinea pigs and cannot be cleaned and sanitized. Ensure that affected feeders and enclosure surfaces are maintained smooth and in good repair to protect the guinea pigs from injury.

3.31(a)(1) Repeat

Sanitation.

The facility has a regular daily and weekly enclosure cleaning routine, however areas in eleven enclosures in inspection were seen to have excessively soiled, moist material by the water sipper area. Excessive build-up of moist waste material

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can cause discomfort and make guinea pigs	sick. Ensure that areas of soiled material are cleaned out often enough to
prevent a build-up of material. ***Note: A faci	lity representative began to correct this during inspection.

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with a facility representative.

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Species Inspected

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Count Scientific Name Common Name

001317 Cavia porcellus DOMESTIC GUINEA PIG

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