



Inspection Report

Reuben Schlabach
5028 TOWNSHIP RD 351
MILLERSBURG, OH 44654

Customer ID: **23265**
Certificate: **31-A-0122**
Site: 001
REUBEN M SCHLABACH

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION
Date: 05-OCT-2021

3.4(b)

Outdoor housing facilities.

Two separate outdoor pens were housing 4 large dogs each. One pen contained 4 Bernese Mountain dogs, and the other pen contained 3 Bernese Mountain dogs and 1 Standard sized poodle. Each pen was observed having one small, circular, igloo-like shelter within them that measured approximately 3 feet by 3 feet. The licensee stated these dogs are housed in these pens all the time. There are no other shade structures located within the pens. Animals housed in outdoor facilities that do not have access to shade can be injurious to their health. Animals housed in outdoor pens that do not include shelter with enough space for all animals can lead to health problems and competition among the animals. Ensure one or more shelter structures are accessible to each animal that are large enough to allow each animal in the shelter structure to sit, stand, and lie in a normal manner, and to turn about freely. In addition to the shelter structures, ensure one or more separate outside areas of shade are provided that are large enough to contain all the animals at one time and protect them from the direct rays of the sun. Correct by close of business on October 7th, 2021.

3.11(a)

Cleaning, sanitization, housekeeping, and pest control.

Most of the primary enclosures housing adult dogs had brown, waxy debris mixed with hair built up and caked along the bottom seams of the enclosures. Brown, waxy material was also observed caked on the doggy doors that lead to the

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outside runs. Accumulations of dirt and debris are hazardous to the health and wellbeing of the animals. Clean primary enclosures as often as necessary to prevent accumulation of dirt, debris, food waste, excreta, and other disease hazards. Correct by close of business on October 19th, 2021.

3.11(b)(2)

Cleaning, sanitization, housekeeping, and pest control.

Brown, waxy debris was observed caked onto the bottom of most of the food receptacles within the primary enclosures housing dogs. Accumulations of dirt and debris are hazardous to the health and wellbeing of the animals. Clean food receptacles as often as necessary to prevent an accumulation of dirt, debris, food waste, excreta, and other disease hazards. Correct by close of business on October 19th, 2021.

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with the licensee.

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Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
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Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000076	<i>Canis lupus familiaris</i>	DOG ADULT
000042	<i>Canis lupus familiaris</i>	DOG PUPPY
000118	Total	