

## United States Department of Agriculture Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service

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## **Inspection Report**

Amos S Stoltzfus Katie Stoltzfus 2404 W Winter Rd Loganton, PA 17747 Customer ID: **502203** 

Certificate: 23-A-0653

Site: 001

AMOS AND KATIE STOLTZFUS

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 09-JAN-2020

# 2.40(b)(2) DIRECT

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

The following guinea pigs were observed during inspection with medical conditions:

- 1). In pen D, an adult female with white and brown hair was noted to have a 1 to 2 cm mass under its chin.
- 2). In pen D, an adult female mostly brown with white and tan hair was noted to have a 2 cm mass under its chin.

The licensee had not identified the guinea pigs with masses prior to inspection, but did state that she observed guinea pigs with masses in the past. Licensee also stated that she had never discussed masses with the attending veterinarian. The written program of veterinary care on file does not does not address animals with masses.

When animals are identified as needing care, the facility must either initiate treatment as outlined in the program of veterinary care or contact the attending veterinarian. Licensee must conduct daily observations to assess the health and well-being of guinea pigs. The attending veterinarian must be consulted about the two guinea pigs listed above so that adequate care can be provided. Correct by January 11, 2020.

#### 2.75(b)(1)

## **RECORDS: DEALERS AND EXHIBITORS.**

Records for guinea pigs were not being maintained on births and deaths. Only the number of weaned guinea pigs were being recorded each week. Records need to be kept and maintained on animal births and deaths to help keep track of animals and to assess the facility animal care program. Correct by January 16, 2020.

#### 3.26(b)

#### **FACILITIES, INDOOR.**

Ventilation. There was a strong ammonia odor throughout the indoor guinea pig room. There was a small opening in one window, but this opening was not sufficient to provide adequate ventilation. The enclosures were last cleaned on Saturday (1/4/20). Failure to provide fresh air can expose the guinea pigs to potential disease hazards. The indoor facilities must be ventilated to minimize odors and to ensure the health of the animals. Correct by January

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## 3.31(a)(1)

### SANITATION.

Several primary enclosures containing guinea pigs had wet, dirty, and soiled bedding by the water bottles and self feeders. Enclosure were last cleaned on Saturday (1/4/20). Wet and dirty bedding can cause unpleasant ammonia odors, lead to contamination of feed and water, attract pests, and expose animals to disease risks which can affect the health of the animals. The facility must ensure primary enclosures are cleaned and sanitized often enough to prevent an accumulation of wet, dirty, and soiled bedding. Correct by January 10, 2020.

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with the owner.

#### **Additional Inspectors**

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# **Species Inspected**

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502203	23-A-0653	001	AMOS AND KATIE STOLTZFUS	09-JAN-20
Count	Scientific Name		Common Name	
000162	Cavia porcellus		DOMESTIC GUINEA PIG	