



Inspection Report

Morehead State University
901 Ginger Hall
Morehead, KY 40351

Customer ID: **888**

Certificate: **61-R-0004**

Site: 001

MOREHEAD STATE UNIVERSITY

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 13-AUG-2014

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HOUSING FACILITIES, GENERAL.

On inspection, four of the metal guillotine doors in the dog kennel used to permit access to the outside section of the enclosure was determined to be in disrepair and does not protect the dogs from potential injury. Of the twenty canine enclosures (each with a metal guillotine door to allow access to and from the outside section of the enclosure), four had guillotine doors that became easily stuck in the metal track and would not become unstuck by re-pulling the rope pull. The stuck doors had to be freed by entering into the enclosure and applying an outside force in order to allow the doors to slide down in its closed position. This is extremely dangerous if an animal is in the enclosure when the door becomes stuck since the operator must release the rope pull and physically enter into the enclosure allowing an animal to brush up against the door causing it to slide down. The weight of the metal door could easily cause injury to a foot or tail or possibly cause death in an animal. There is no counterweight or mechanism to prevent the door from sliding down with full force other than a metal clip used to hold the door in its open position. This clip must be unhooked when trying to close the guillotine door. At the time of inspection there were no dogs present in the kennel; however, dogs will be arriving at the facility in 2-3 weeks. According to staff there were no plans to repair the four guillotine doors before the dogs were to enter into the kennel. Repair or replace the four guillotine doors to prevent the doors from becoming stuck. Additionally, monitor all guillotine doors so the doors can be operated that protects the animals from possible injuries.

Correct by: 8/21/2014

The inspection was conducted with the Large Animal Veterinarian, and the exit interview was conducted with the Director of Research Integrity & Compliance.

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Species Inspected

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Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000011	<i>Equus caballus</i>	DOMESTIC HORSE
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