



## Inspection Report

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BRADFORD SCHOOLS INC  
309 E MOREHEAD ST  
SUITE 220  
CHARLOTTE, NC 28202

Customer ID: **40697**  
Certificate: **55-R-0130**  
Site: 005  
VET TECH INSTITUTE

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION  
Date: 25-AUG-2021

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### 2.40(b)(3)

#### Attending veterinarian and adequate veterinary care (dealers and exhibitors).

One of the dogs pulled for a brief exam during the inspection was found to have moderate buildup of dark brown – black exudate and moderate inflammation in the right ear. The animal was not shaking its head or showing any obvious signs of discomfort at the time of inspection. Daily observations had already been performed, and none of the staff, including the attending veterinarian, were aware of the condition. Daily observations are a key aspect in identifying ailments and issues pertaining to the animals. If they are not performed adequately, the animals' health and well-being can be negatively impacted. The facility must establish and maintain programs of adequate veterinary care that include daily observation of all animals to assess their health and well-being. Furthermore, should the daily observation of animals be performed by someone other than the attending veterinarian, a mechanism of direct and frequent communication is required so that timely and accurate information on problems of animal health, behavior and well-being is conveyed to the attending veterinarian. The animal was scheduled to have its ear cultured, cleaned and treated after these findings.

Correct by: 4 pm August 26, 2021

### 3.13(a)

#### Veterinary care for dogs.

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The facility does not have a written Program of Veterinary Care (PVC), as is required with maintaining dogs at the facility. The PVC serves to list general routine protocols and measures the attending veterinarian (AV) will utilize while caring for the animals. Each facility must follow an appropriate PVC for dogs that is developed, documented in writing, and signed by the AV.

Correct by: September 3, 2021

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

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### Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
40697	55-R-0130	005	VET TECH INSTITUTE	25-AUG-2021

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000023	<i>Canis lupus familiaris</i>	DOG ADULT
000012	<i>Felis silvestris catus</i>	CAT ADULT
000035	<b>Total</b>	