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Inspection Report

University Of Kentucky
Office Of The Attending Veterinarian
445 Bowman Hall, 151 Washington Ave
Lexington, KY 40506

Customer ID: 898

Certificate: 61-R-0002

Site: 006

UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 24-JUN-2014

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SANITATION.

During inspection of building K, it was made known by staff that the cage wash was not functioning properly but was still being used to sanitize the primary enclosures of 3 white rabbits. According to staff, the instrument used to measure the temperature inside the cage wash was not functional, and maintenance was having difficulty in finding the correct part to fix the cage wash; however, the cage wash was still being used as the primary means to sanitize the rabbit's enclosure. In the cage wash records, the last temperature test strip used was marked on April 29th 2014. When questioned about the reason temperature test strips had not been used since, the staff said it was because the cage wash would not consistently reach 180 degrees Fahrenheit. A detergent called Steris CIP 200 (a clear fluid in white container) was also being used in the sanitation process, but no disinfectant was used for the primary enclosure. By not having a cage wash that can reliably reach 180 degrees Fahrenheit or not using a disinfectant, the rabbit primary enclosure cannot be appropriately sanitized. Proper sanitization is vital in removing harmful pathogens that can serve as an opportunity of infection for the animals in the enclosure. Proper sanitization removes all sources that promote pathogen presence and growth. The rabbit primary enclosure must be sanitized at least every 30 days by either hot water (180 degrees Fahrenheit) with a detergent or using a detergent followed by a disinfectant.

Correct by: 7/3/2014

The inspection was conducted with a facility representative and the exit interview was conducted with the IO, Director and Associate Director ORI, Associate Director DLAR, clinical veterinarians, ORI and DLAR staff.

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Species Inspected

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