



## Inspection Report

Critter Camp Exotic Pet Sanctuary  
824 Church Street  
German Valley, IL 61039

Customer ID: 321255  
Certificate: 33-C-0382  
Site: 001

CRITTER CAMP EXOTIC PET SANCTUARY

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION  
Date: 24-OCT-2016

### 2.40(b)(2)

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

An adult female sugar glider was found dead in its enclosure during the time of inspection. The body of the sugar glider was not stiff while the license holder pulled it out of the pouch within the enclosure. The license holder indicated that the sugar glider was geriatric and that she had previously contacted the veterinarian because the animal was "slowing down". It could not be verified that the veterinarian had been consulted regarding this animal's condition. The use of appropriate methods to prevent, control, diagnose, and treat diseases and injuries must be obtained through the veterinarian to provide for the health and well-being of the animals.

Assure that all animal health issues including those associated with advanced animal age are communicated to the veterinarian. Follow through with any prescribed treatments and/or instructions.

To be corrected: From this day forward.

### 2.40(b)(3) CRITICAL

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

A adult male sugar glider was found dead in its enclosure during the time of inspection. The animal was completely stiff as the license holder pulled it out of its pouch within the enclosure. The license holder indicated that she hadn't observed the animal for a couple of days. Daily observation of all animals is necessary to identify any problems of animal health, behavior, or well-being. The findings of any animal problems must then be communicated to the veterinarian.

Assure that animals are observed daily and that any problems are communicated to the veterinarian.

To be corrected: From this day forward.

### 3.131(a)

#### SANITATION.

Excessive feces and food wastes are present in the enclosure containing two kinkajous. A large pile of feces is

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present on the laminated shelf in the larger part of the enclosure. Food wastes are present the feeding shelf and on the bottom of the enclosure. Feces and food wastes can attract flies and produce odors.

Clean and sanitize the kinkajou enclosure. Repeat often enough to prevent build up of feces and food wastes.

To be corrected: 10-26-16

### 3.131(d)

#### **SANITATION.**

Excessive mouse droppings and evidence of mouse nests were observed in three of the animal rooms at the facility. The first room contained eight sugar gliders and two degus. A large mouse nest was observed on the floor adjacent to the dresser with the two degu enclosures. The nest was approximately 4 inches in diameter. The second room contained three chinchillas, three hedgehogs, and five gerbils. Excessive mouse droppings were observed on the shelf, in between the two aquariums that housed the five gerbils. The final room contained nine ferrets. Mouse droppings were observed on the floor and in one of the ferret enclosures.

At least five mouse traps were observed in two of the three animal rooms. These traps are not effectively controlling the population of mice at the facility. Mice can carry and spread diseases that affect animals.

Establish, implement, and maintain an effective program to control the mouse population at the facility.

To be corrected: 10-31-16

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with the owner.

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## Species Inspected

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321255	33-C-0382	001	CRITTER CAMP EXOTIC PET SANCTUARY	24-OCT-16

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000003	<i>Atelerix albiventris</i>	FOUR-TOED HEDGEHOG (MOST COMMON PET HEDGEHOG)
000033	<i>Cavia porcellus</i>	DOMESTIC GUINEA PIG
000003	<i>Chinchilla lanigera</i>	CHINCHILLA (DOMESTICATED)
000005	<i>Meriones unguiculatus</i>	MONGOLIAN GERBIL (COMMON PET / RESEARCH VARIETY)
000001	<i>Mesocricetus auratus</i>	SYRIAN / GOLDEN HAMSTER (COMMON PET/RESEARCH TYPE)
000010	<i>Mustela putorius furo</i>	DOMESTIC FERRET
000002	<i>Octodon degus</i>	DEGU
000011	<i>Oryctolagus cuniculus</i>	DOMESTIC RABBIT / EUROPEAN RABBIT
000008	<i>Petaurus breviceps</i>	SUGAR GLIDER
000002	<i>Potos flavus</i>	KINKAJOU
000002	<i>Vulpes vulpes</i>	RED FOX (INCLUDES SILVER FOX & CROSS FOX)
000001	<i>Vulpes zerda</i>	FENNEC FOX
<b>000081</b>	<b>Total</b>	