

United States Department of Agriculture Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service

BVOETBERG INS-0001165412

Inspection Report

Pawsitive Memories LLC 9149 N St Rd 19 Etna Green, IN 46524 Customer ID: 6015621

Certificate: 32-A-1030

Site: 001

Kevin Bontrager

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 23-OCT-2024

3.13(a)

Veterinary care for dogs.

The licensee did not follow the Program of Veterinary Care related to the administration of heartworm preventative medication. The Program of Veterinary Care, signed and dated 3/18/2022, called for the monthly administration of heartworm prevention to all dogs over 8 weeks of age. However, the licensee stated that he did not administer heartworm prevention to the dogs over 8 weeks of age in the month of September.

Failure to follow the Program of Veterinary Care can lead to harm to the animals from the inappropriate administration of medication or the development of illnesses the Program of Veterinary Care is meant to prevent.

The licensee must follow the Program of Veterinary Care for dogs that is developed, documented in writing, and signed by the attending veterinarian.

To be corrected by close of business on 11/8/2024.

3.13(a)(4)

Veterinary care for dogs.

The written Program of Veterinary Care, signed and dated 3/18/2022, did not contain preventive care procedures for ensuring healthy and unmatted hair coats, properly trimmed nails, and clean and healthy eyes, ears, skin, and teeth.

A preventive care program that includes regular examination of the dogs to ensure healthy and unmatted hair coats, properly trimmed nails, and clean and healthy eyes and teeth is essential to keeping dogs in good health and preventing disease and/or injury.

The licensee must ensure that the written Program of Veterinary Care for dogs includes a preventive care program for ensuring healthy and unmatted hair coats, properly trimmed nails, and clean and healthy eyes, ears, skin, and teeth.

To be corrected by close of business on 12/30/2024.

	BRYAN VOETBERG VETERINARY MEDICAL OFFICER	USDA, APHIS, Animal Care	Date: 25-OCT-2024
Received by Title:	Licensee		Date: 25-OCT-2024



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3.13(b)

Veterinary care for dogs.

Records of administration of anti-parasitic medications for intestinal parasites were not maintained for adult dogs sold and held by the licensee. The written Program of Veterinary Care, signed and dated 3/18/2022, required that pregnant females receive a 10-day course of fenbendazole starting at 53 days of gestation. The licensee stated that he has been administering the fenbendazole to his pregnant females as described in the Program of Veterinary Care; however, he has not been documenting this activity.

Medical records are essential for APHIS inspectors to evaluate the quality of medical care provided by the facility and ensure the animals are protected from disease, injury, and illness.

The licensee must keep copies of medical records for dogs and make the records available for APHIS inspection. These records must include routine husbandry procedures (such as vaccinations, preventive medical procedures, and treatments) performed an all animals.

To be corrected by the close of business on 11/15/2024.

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with licensee.

Prepared By:BRYAN VOETBERGDate:USDA, APHIS, Animal Care25-OCT-2024

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OFFICER

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Species Inspected

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CountScientific NameCommon Name000015Canis familiarisDOG ADULT000000Canis familiarisDOG PUPPY

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