



Inspection Report

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Customer ID: **43924**

Certificate:

Site: 001

LOREN YODER

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 12-SEP-2022

2.40(b)(2) **Direct** **Repeat**

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

Two nursing female dogs and one puppy were underweight.

****Black and White Adult Female Poodle (microchip number 900215002579390) had loosely formed stools present in the enclosure. When the inspector examined the dog, her spine and hips were easily felt under the haircoat. She is nursing 5 puppies born 27-July-2022. The facility representative states the dog is being fed canned food but has not identified this dog as underweight in medical records or have a record of when canned food was given. This dog has not been evaluated by a veterinarian for the poor body condition or the loose stool.**

****Dapple Adult Female Poodle (microchip number 990000003112321) had loosely formed stools present in the enclosure. When the inspector examined the dog, her spine, ribs and hips were easily felt under the hair coat with little to no fat or muscle covering the dog's frame. She is nursing 5 puppies born 20-July-2022. The facility representative was not aware of this dog's body condition, the dog has not been evaluated by a veterinarian for the poor body condition or the loose stool.**

****A male Bernedoodle/Poodle puppy born 20-July-2022, litter 35, was underweight when the inspector examined him. The ribs and spine were easily felt under the haircoat with little to no fat or muscle covering. The facility representative was not aware of this puppy's body condition, the puppy has not been evaluated by a veterinarian for the poor body condition. An emaciated or underweight body condition could indicate an underlying health issue and if left untreated could result in**

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the death of the animal.

The above mentioned dogs must be evaluated by a licensed veterinarian for an accurate diagnosis and to develop an effective treatment plan in writing. This treatment plan must be made available for APHIS inspection.

To be corrected by: The facility representative and licensee were verbally told these dogs needed to be evaluated by a veterinarian by noon (12PM) 13-September-2022.

2.50(a)(1)

Time and method of identification.

Two approximate 16 week old Bernedoodles had no official identification. For official identification, the facility uses cage cards for puppies under 16 weeks or microchips placed under the skin for dogs over 16 weeks of age, these two dogs had neither form of official identification. An acceptable form of official identification (listed below) is necessary for APHIS officials to positively identify animals for inspection and to properly trace their movements.

All live dogs over the age of 16 weeks shall be identified by an official tag affixed to a collar around the animal's neck, by a legible tattoo marking approved by the Administrator, by a microchip placed under the dog's skin or if under 16 weeks of age a cage card may be used for official identification. The licensee must place a microchip under the dog's skin of the 2 dogs listed above or apply one of the other forms of identification. The licensee must ensure that all dogs have the correct type of official form of identification at all times.

To be corrected by: 23-September-2022.

2.75(a)(1)

Records: Dealers and exhibitors.

The licensee documents the acquisition information for the adult dogs on APHIS 7005 (Record of Acquisition for Dogs).

Only 4 adult dogs are listed on the form and the inspector counted 91 adult dogs during the inspection. Acquisition information is necessary for APHIS officials to make positive identification of animals during inspection and to properly

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trace their movements.

The licensee documents the acquisition information for puppies born at the facility on a cage card. Two litters of puppies had not been updated on the cage cards when the puppies were sold. Litter 31- 3 Goldendoodle puppies were sold but not marked on the cage card. Litter 22- 1 Bernedoodle puppy was sold but not marked on the cage card. Acquisition records of animals born at the premises must be accurate and kept up to date to ensure proper identification and allow APHIS officials to track the animal's movement.

The facility shall make, keep, and maintain an approved method of documentation which fully and correctly disclose all information concerning each dog purchased or otherwise acquired, owned, held, or otherwise in his or her possession or under his or her control, or which is transported, euthanized, sold, or otherwise disposed of by that dealer. The facility must ensure all required acquisition information for each dog is properly and accurately documented at all times.

To be corrected by: 19-September-2022.

3.1(a) Repeat
Housing facilities, general.

There are 3 outdoor enclosures housing a total of 12 adult dogs where the dogs have dug large holes under flooring structures. 2 enclosures, the holes were dug under cement hog slat flooring and 1 enclosure had a hole dug below plastic flooring. The holes were large enough for the large breed dogs to fit their head and front legs below the flooring. Holes dug beneath flooring at severe angles into the ground could cause injury or even the death of a dog should the flooring collapse into the holes.

Housing facilities for dogs must be designed and constructed so that they are structurally sound. They must be kept in

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good repair, and they must protect the animals from injury, contain the animals securely, and restrict other animals from entering. The facility must eliminate the holes dug in the enclosure to ensure the safety of the dogs.

To be corrected by: 19-September-2022.

3.1(c)(3)

Housing facilities, general.

At least 11 enclosures housing 44 adult dogs had significant buildup of cobwebs in their outdoor shelter. The facility representative stated these cobwebs were not present last week when he cleaned. The cobwebs were present in all 4 corners of the shelters and at least 3 enclosures had cobwebs present in the top of the self feeder. Many cobwebs were still active with spiders present and dead insects in the webs.

All surfaces of housing facilities must be cleaned and sanitized when necessary to satisfy generally accepted husbandry standards and practices to support the health of the dogs. The facility must clean and sanitize surfaces in the outdoor shelters on a schedule that prevents the buildup of cobwebs and pests (spiders and other insects).

To be corrected by: 20-September-2022.

3.6(a)(2)(iii)

Primary enclosures.

The inspector observed 4 adult poodles running loose on the property. The facility representative was unaware of the dogs being out of their outdoor enclosure. They stated they have had some people dumping dogs on their property recently. When the inspector and facility representative went outside, the dogs were identified as the facility's dogs and he knew which pen they were from. All dogs went back into their enclosure at the time of inspection. The clips holding the gate to the enclosure seemed to have failed to hold the gate closed causing their escape.

A primary enclosure must contain the dogs securely to ensure they are protected from various possible injuries. The

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facility must ensure that all enclosures contain the dogs at all times.

To be corrected by: This day forward.

3.9(a)

Feeding

At least 3 outdoor enclosures housing a total of 14 adult dogs had caked dog kibble present in the self feeder. The accumulation of caked food in the corners of the feeder tray was scraped away with the inspector's finger nail. One enclosure housing 4 adult dogs had cobwebs with dead insects present in the top of the self feeder and a beetle was found in the tray in a chunk of kibble and dog hair. Dog food that is caked, deteriorating and/or contaminated by insects is not considered wholesome and palatable and may lead to reduced feed consumption, poor nutrition and poor body condition.

Food must be uncontaminated, wholesome, palatable, and of sufficient quantity and nutritive value to maintain the normal condition and weight of the dog. The licensee must remove all contaminated, caked, and deteriorating food from the self-feeders and ensure that all food remains uncontaminated and of good quality at all times.

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This inspection was conducted with a facility representative and the exit interview was conducted with the licensee and facility representative.

The licensee cancelled his USDA license in writing effective immediately during the exit interview.

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Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
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Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000091	<i>Canis lupus familiaris</i>	DOG ADULT
000047	<i>Canis lupus familiaris</i>	DOG PUPPY
000138	Total	