



United States Department of Agriculture
 Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service
Inspection Report

JSIFKAROVSKI
 INS-0001256005

Sadie and Daniel Yoder



Customer ID: **506433**

Certificate: **21-A-0204**

Site: 001

Sadie and Daniel Yoder

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 05-MAR-2025

2.40(b)(2) Direct Repeat

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

A six-year-old female Shiba Inu dog, identified #9221, is observed with right-hind limb lameness and two lacerations, five and six inches from the tail base, respectively. The dog is observed eating normally and navigating throughout its enclosure, but only intermittently places weight on the affected limb. The laceration closest to the tail base spans the width of the tail, measuring 1-inch wide and 0.5-inch long, and exposes deeper underlying tissue with adjacent dark skin; there is minimal discharge present. The other laceration, measuring 0.5-inch wide and 1-inch long, is a more superficial laceration that is similarly surrounded by dark skin but has no discharge present. A facility representative stated the lameness had been identified on Saturday, March 1, 2025, at which point the dog was immediately moved to separate housing for monitoring. The facility's written Program of Veterinary Care, however, does not provide guidance for monitoring or managing lameness nor wound care, nor was the veterinarian contacted for guidance.

As lameness of this nature is a sign of pain, and as open wounds may require thorough assessment and care, failure to seek care or establishing guidance for addressing these issues may result in unnecessarily prolonged pain or other medical risks. The facility must assure these injuries are addressed by a veterinarian and, going forward, must continue to maintain appropriate methods for diagnosing and treating medical problems. At the time of inspection, the facility representative notified the Attending Veterinarian and confirmed with the inspector that a plan for care of these injuries was arranged.

Correct by end of day, March 5, 2025.

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

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Received by Title: Facility Representative

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Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
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Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000021	<i>Canis familiaris</i>	DOG ADULT
000013	<i>Canis familiaris</i>	DOG PUPPY
000034	Total	