



Inspection Report

Laverne Troyer
4836 SR 314
Mount Gilead, OH 43338

Customer ID: **500856**
Certificate: **31-A-0969**
Site: 001
LAVERNE TROYER

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION
Date: 01-JUL-2026

2.40(b)(3) Direct

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

A dog was identified at the facility needing veterinary care. The facility did not identify the issue prior to the inspection. An adult female Poodle (# 40020) has severe dental disease. A severe buildup of thick brown material (tartar) was seen covering most of the teeth on both sides with the back teeth (premolars and molars) completely encased in hard tartar. The gums were bright red and severely swollen on both sides of the mouth. Heavy buildup of tartar with severe redness and swelling can be signs of dental problems and can cause infection, pain, and discomfort to the animal.

Failure to conduct adequate daily observations to assess the health and well-being of the animals with direct and frequent communication to the attending veterinarian can delay treatment leading to the condition getting worse and delays in healing. Each dealer shall establish and maintain programs of adequate veterinary care that include daily observation of all animals to assess their health and well-being and that a mechanism of direct and frequent communication is required so that timely and accurate information on problems of animal health, behavior, and well-being is conveyed to the attending veterinarian. The licensee must ensure that all animals receive adequate veterinary care at all times. Correct by ensuring that the animal is examined and treated by a licensed veterinarian. Correct by close of business 3-JULY-2026.

3.3(b)

Sheltered housing facilities.

The facility is not maintaining adequate ventilation. Inside the facility none of the windows or doors were open. Additionally, there was no air flow appreciated and the air inside was muggy and stale. Insufficient ventilation can cause temperatures to increase and also may lead to excessive buildup of odors. The enclosed or sheltered part of sheltered housing facilities for dogs must be sufficiently ventilated when dogs are present to provide for their health and well-being, and to minimize odors, drafts, ammonia levels, and moisture condensation. Ventilation must be provided by windows, doors, vents, fans, or air conditioning. Auxiliary ventilation, such as fans, blowers, or air-conditioning, must be provided when the ambient temperature is 85 °F (29.5 °C) or higher. Correct by ensuring there is adequate ventilation at all times. During the inspection, the licensee opened the windows and door. Correct by 8-JULY-2026.

3.6(a)(2)(ii)

Primary enclosures.

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Enclosures are not protecting animals from injury:

-In approximately 16 enclosures housing about 22 adults and 24 puppies, spray foam is located around the doorway that leads from the outside portion to the inside portion of the enclosures. The spray foam is accessible to the animals.

-In two enclosures containing an adult dog and approximately 14 puppies, the carpet is noticeably frayed with long strings observed and/or too numerous to count pieces of carpet torn off.

Insulation if ingested can cause irritation, discomfort, and distress to the animals. Frayed edges can be injurious to the regulated animal as they could ingest the material or could cause entrapment. Primary enclosures must be constructed and maintained so that they protect the dogs from injury. Correct by ensuring that the enclosures protect the animals from injury. Correct by 15-JULY-2026.

3.13(b)(3)

Veterinary care for dogs.

The facility did not maintain a complete medical record for all dogs. The facility was treating an adult female Poodle (# 40020) for a wound on the back left leg with a topical medication. The medical record documented when treatment was initiated but did not record all the days the medication was administered. Failure to maintain adequate medical records may interfere with the ability of APHIS officials to determine if the animals are receiving adequate veterinary care. Complete medical records must be maintained and include the names of all vaccines and treatments administered and the dates of administration. Correct by documenting all treatments given and ensure that medical records are complete and contain the required information. Correct by 8-JULY-2026.

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with the Licensee.

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Species Inspected

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Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000048	<i>Canis familiaris</i>	DOG ADULT
000049	<i>Canis familiaris</i>	DOG PUPPY
000097	Total	