



Inspection Report

Walter S Terhune
2021 Plains Hwy
Dawson, GA 39842

Customer ID: **328129**
Certificate: **57-A-0199**
Site: 002
WALTER S TERHUNE

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION
Date: 22-JAN-2020

2.40(a)(1) REPEAT

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

The facility does not have a Program of veterinary care available for review of approved protocols. The formal arrangement of the licensee with a part time veterinarian shall include a written program of veterinary care and regularly scheduled visits to the facility premise to ensure that any changes to the facility or husbandry practices are addressed.

2.40(b)(2) REPEAT

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

The licensee identified and is treating multiple animals with medical conditions. The licensee explained that some of the treatments were obtained in accordance to veterinary consultation while others were not.

- At least three rabbits were identified by the licensee as having a respiratory condition. The licensee also confirmed that he recently identified many rabbits with respiratory conditions that he treated with Florfenicol. When asked, the licensee explained that he did discuss using this medication with his veterinarian but was unable to obtain a dosage. The licensee created his own drug dosaging and route protocol to treat. The licensee provided the medication to the rabbits orally and through muscle injection. The licensee explained that the treated rabbits did not respond or respond well to either treatment, many of them going off feed and getting worse.

- At least one black and white rabbit (Pecan side, second group) was identified by the licensee as having coccidia. The licensee explained that he is treating animals with coccidia with Toltrazuril and that his veterinarian was consulted on this. The licensee indicated that he determined dosaging on his own through research.

Treating animals and/or dosaging without guidance from a veterinarian could lead to inappropriate methods (under/over dosing, inappropriate route) to treat diseases that can be detrimental to animal's health and well-being.

The licensee, in connection with the attending veterinarian must develop an adequate program of veterinary care that includes the use of appropriate methods to prevent, control, diagnose, and treat diseases and injuries.

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

Additional Inspectors

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Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
328129	57-A-0199	002	WALTER S TERHUNE	22-JAN-20

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
001592	<i>Oryctolagus cuniculus</i>	DOMESTIC RABBIT / EUROPEAN RABBIT
001592	Total	