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## Inspection Report

Pima Medical Institute 40 N. Swan Road, Suite 100 Tucson, AZ 85711

Customer ID: 329220

Certificate: 86-R-0042

Site: 008

Pima Medical Institute

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: May-14-2015

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## ATTENDING VETERINARIAN AND ADEQUATE VETERINARY CARE.

Expired medications were found intermingled with current drugs in three different storage areas during this inspection: Rabies vaccines expired 12 Mar 2015; Lactated Ringer's solution expired Oct 14, Sterile Lubricant expired 03/15, Artificial Tears expired 01/15, and injectable Buprenorphine expired 01 May 15.

The use of expired medications is not considered to be safe or appropriate methods to prevent, control, diagnose, and treat diseases and injuries since the expected results cannot be guaranteed and the animals may experience pain and distress due to mistreatment, unrelieved symptoms, or due to unexpected side effects.

The program for providing adequate veterinary care shall include the use of appropriate methods to prevent, control, diagnose, and treat diseases and injuries.

Expired drugs were labeled and removed from active supplies during this inspection.

A system to identify and remove expired medical supplies shall be developed and implemented by 5/21/2015.

Inspection and exit interview conducted with facility representatives and AC VMO, Tracy Thompson, DVM.

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