

Inspection Report

Knipling-Bushland U S Livestock Insects Res Lab	Customer ID:	334158
P.O. Box 290941	Certificate:	74-G-0002
Kerrville, TX 78028	Site:	001
	Knipling	-Bushland
	Type: Date:	ROUTINE INSPECTION 17-MAY-2017

2.33(b)(2)

ATTENDING VETERINARIAN AND ADEQUATE VETERINARY CARE.

Several of the animals in the holding pen had multiple various sized areas of circular hair loss lesions on their face, neck and/or body regions. There was no indication or documentation that these areas of hair loss had been identified, or that the veterinarian had been notified. The facility must use appropriate method to prevent, control, diagnosis, and treat diseases on all animals at the facility. The facility called the veterinarian during the inspection.

2.33(b)(3)

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The daily observation forms at the facility are incomplete and there is no indication the SOPs are being followed. The standard operating procedures state animals will be brushed and receive hydrotherapy. There was no indication or documentation that these activities were conducted. There is minimal to no documentation of treatments or records that the veterinarian was notified when issues such as coughing, diarrhea, hair loss, eye issues or decreased appetite were noted during daily observations. Following SOPs and providing frequent and direct communication with the veterinarian is important for the health and well-being of the animals. The facility must document treatments and have a mechanism of direct and frequent communication with their veterinarian to ensure timely and accurate treatments of animals.

Correct by 6-1-2017.

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with facility representative.

Additional Inspectors

Pannill Elizabeth, Veterinary Medical Officer

