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Inspection Report

JUNGLE ADVENTURES INC

Customer ID: 3094

Certificate: 58-C-1048

Site: 001

JUNGLE ADVENTURES INC

26205 E COLONIAL DR

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: Jan-09-2013

CHRISTMAS, FL 32709

2.40 (b) DIRECT NCI

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

Each exhibitor shall establish and maintain programs of adequate veterinary care that include the use of appropriate methods to prevent, control, treat diseases and the availability of appropriate equipment comply with the provisions of this subchapter.

One of the wolf hybrids ("Moon"-ID # 3) has long, dangling, matted fur. This fur also also becomes wet and dirty after exiting the pond due to the length of the mats. Long, matted, wet fur can contribute to skin conditions which can cause pain or distress to an animal.

The licensee indicated that they do not have the proper clippers to quickly groom this wolf hybrid's fur without causing stress to the animal.

This animal shall be groomed with sufficient frequency to remove the matted fur and control the length of the fur without causing undue stress. The procurement of better clippers might facilitate this procedure.

All of the felids (with the exception of Kumar) have not received their yearly distemper vaccinations. The fox have also not received their yearly rabies vaccination. The Program of Veterinary Care indicates that these vaccinations would be given yearly.

All vaccinations as listed on your Program of Veterinary Care shall be given as indicated to prevent diseases.

A Fallow deer "Rufus" was euthanized on November 25, 2012. The necropsy indicated that this animal had ingested plastic bags, & foreign material among other items. Liver flukes were also observed. The deer pen is always very mucky & wet towards the rear of the exhibit and contains many snails.

The facility does not have a comprehensive plan to treat the remaining 4 deer. A plan shall be developed in consultation with your attending veterinarian to test &/or treat the remaining deer, kill and control the snail population, and dry the pens to reduce the risk of liver fluke parasite infection.



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The facility has instituted a new employee training program which addresses the need for frequent cleaning of the enclosures of any materials that can be hazardous to the animals if ingested. All of the employees have been retrained. The management shall frequently observe the enclosures & grounds to ensure that no trash, plastic bags, or other foreign materials remain inside any of the enclosures. The facility uses plastic bags to put the alligator food in, and sells various plastic bags of snacks/chips to the public. The public can purchase these bags and then walk through the park with them. These types of bags pose a risk to the animals if they are ingested. You may want to consider changing the types of bags to ones that are more easily digestible (paper or plant based bags or containers) if they should be accidentally ingested by the animals.

Correct by January 16, 2013 (Matted hair on the wolf hybrid)
Correct by January 31, 2013 (All required vaccinations)
Correct by February 10, 2013 (Liver fluke treatment & control program)

3.125 (a)

FACILITIES, GENERAL.

The outdoor housing facilities shall be structurally sound and shall be maintained in good repair to protect the animals from injury.

The dirt at the front right corner of the fox enclosure has been dug out by the foxes exposing the underlying wire mesh which has created holes underneath this mesh. The size of the exposed mesh and holes underneath can allow the feet of the fox to go through. This condition can potentially cause injury to their feet. The same condition (to a lesser extent) exists at the right rear of this enclosure also.

These areas shall be filled in and maintain so that it does not potentially cause injury to these animals

Correct by January 21, 2013

The exit interview was conducted with the Animal Care Supervisor.

Inspection performed January 9 & 10, 2013.

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