



### Inspection Report

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OKLAHOMA STATE UNIVERSITY  
101 McElroy Hall Annex  
Stillwater, OK 74078

Customer ID: **502460**  
Certificate: **73-R-0121**  
Site: 001  
OKLAHOMA STATE UNIVERSITY

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION  
Date: 15-FEB-2023

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**2.33(b)(3) Critical**

**Attending veterinarian and adequate veterinary care.**

In May 2022 three male voles were left without water for a period of 1-3 days, leading to their deaths. On 13 May two of the voles were found dead, and the third was humanely euthanized due to severe clinical signs. At the time of discovery, the voles did not have a water bottle and no other source of water was available. The cage had been changed on 10 May but the water bottle was not replaced. The lack of a water bottle was not noticed until the voles were found on 13 May. Daily observations of all animals is essential to help ensure timely intervention of any health or husbandry problems. Failure to provide oversight can result in severe impacts on animal health and welfare, including death. The facility must ensure that all animals are adequately observed on at least a daily basis. Correct from this time forward

**3.131(a)**

**Sanitation.**

Stallion #3 had an excessive accumulation of waste and feces throughout his pen. This is a source of potential contamination to the enclosed animal, and is also an attractant to pests and insects. The enclosure must be cleaned as often as necessary to prevent contamination and protect the health of the animal.

Corrected at the time of inspection

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with facility representative.

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### Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
502460	73-R-0121	001	OKLAHOMA STATE UNIVERSITY	15-FEB-2023

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000007	<i>Felis silvestris catus</i>	CAT ADULT
000007	<i>Canis lupus familiaris</i>	DOG ADULT
000016	<i>Oryctolagus cuniculus</i>	DOMESTIC RABBIT / EUROPEAN RABBIT
000069	<i>Microtus ochrogaster</i>	PRAIRIE VOLE
000003	<i>Ovis aries aries</i>	SHEEP INCLUDING ALL DOMESTIC BREEDS
000057	<i>Bos taurus</i>	CATTLE / COW / OX / WATUSI
000001	<i>Capra hircus</i>	DOMESTIC GOAT
000035	<i>Equus caballus</i>	DOMESTIC HORSE
000195	<b>Total</b>	