



Inspection Report

UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY
OFFICE OF THE ATTENDING VETERINARIAN
445 BOWMAN HALL, 151 WASHINGTON AVE
LEXINGTON, KY 40506

Customer ID: **898**
Certificate: **61-R-0002**
Site: 001
UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY

Type: FOCUSED INSPECTION
Date: 26-JUN-2023

3.125(a) Critical

Facilities, general.

On May 15, 2023, an adult male alpaca (Bunny, #24) was found dead outside the primary enclosure (pasture). The carcass had been almost entirely consumed by predators, likely coyotes. Records indicate there were no obvious signs of illness or disease noted at the health check from the previous evening. There were also two (2) other adult alpacas housed in the pasture who were not injured.

The pasture is enclosed on three (3) complete sides with livestock metal fencing. The fourth side consists of livestock metal fencing and board rail fencing. The board rail fencing is approximately 25% of this side. This type of fencing has gaps between the boards and between the boards and the ground that are large enough to allow for predators to easily enter the pasture.

Corrective actions taken were to house the remaining two (2) alpacas indoors at night for the remainder of the study period and to employ predator removal.

Correct by constructing and maintaining animal enclosures in good repair to protect the animals from injury. Correct before animals are brought back to the enclosure.

This inspection was conducted with DLAR Senior Veterinarian, Animal Care Supervisor II, USDA and Spindletop Supervisor, Director of DLAR, and Research Facility Manager.

This exit interview was conducted with Attending Veterinarian, Associate Director of OAV, Director of DLAR, Facilities Operations Manager, Veterinary Technician Supervisor, IACUC Administration Professionals and other facility representatives.

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Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
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Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000012	<i>Canis familiaris</i>	DOG ADULT
000000	<i>Lama pacos</i>	ALPACA
000012	Total	