

**MINIMUM STANDARDS FOR VETERINARY FACILITIES IN ONTARIO**  
**TITLE 9. – EQUINE CLINIC**  
**(SAMPLE INSPECTION FORM)**

**1.0 GENERAL**

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| 1.1 | The facility is,   |  |   |   |
|     | 1. self-contained,   |  | Y | N |
|     | 2. has a separate and distinct entrance directly from the street or, if the facility is in a building containing more than one facility, directly from a common lobby, hallway or mall.            |  | Y | N |
| 1.2 | The facility has, and appears to have, the practice of veterinary medicine as its primary purpose.   |  | Y | N |
| 1.3 | The facility is not, and does not appear to be, associated with or operated in connection with another enterprise.   |  | Y | N |
|     | <b>1.3.N Standards 1.2 and 1.3 do not prohibit the providing of ancillary services in the facility which are incidental and subordinate to the professional services provided in the facility.</b> |  |   |   |
| 1.4 | The facility is not located in, and has no direct public access to, a commercial establishment,  |  |   |   |
|     | 1. where animals are bought or sold,   |  | Y | N |
|     | 2. providing animal food or other goods or services used principally by, with or for animals.  |  | Y | N |

**1.5 RECORDS**

**Note:** Refer to O.REG 1093, 22.-(2), (5) and (6) Regulation1093 Revised Regulations of Ontario as amended under the Veterinarians Act.

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|             | 22.-(2). Do the records for each horse contain,  |  |   |   |
| 1.5.22.2.1  | (1) Individual or herd identification including breed and sex.   |  | Y | N |
| 1.5.22.2.2  | (2) If individual advice or care is given, <u>at least one of</u> :  |  |   |   |
|             | (a) the animal's name; or  |  | Y | N |
|             | (b) the animal's tattoo or ear-tag number; or  |  | Y | N |
|             | (c) the animal's colour, markings or other distinguishing physical features.   |  | Y | N |
| 1.5.22.2.3  | (3) The client's name, address and telephone numbers.  |  | Y | N |
| 1.5.22.2.4  | (4) The name and telephone number of a person to be contacted in the absence of the client.  |  | Y | N |
| 1.5.22.2.5  | (5) Date of each service.  |  | Y | N |
| 1.5.22.2.6  | (6) A history of the presenting complaint.   |  | Y | N |
| 1.5.22.2.7  | (7) If there is a presenting complaint, particulars of each assessment, including any laboratory investigations performed or ordered by the member and the results of each assessment. |  | Y | N |
| 1.5.22.2.8  | (8) A note of any professional advice given regarding the individual or herd and an indication of to whom the advice was given if other than the client.                               |  | Y | N |
| 1.5.22.2.9  | (9) A complete record of all written prescriptions and drugs that the member has prescribed or dispensed.  |  | Y | N |
| 1.5.22.2.10 | (10) A copy of any report prepared by the member in respect of the individual or herd.   |  | Y | N |

**1.5 RECORDS (continued)**

1.5.22.2.11	(11)	The fees and charges, showing separately those for drugs and those for advice or other services.	Y	N
	(5)	Are the records:		
1.5.22.5.1	(a)	legibly written or typewritten;	Y	N
1.5.22.5.2	(b)	kept in a systematic manner;	Y	N
1.5.22.5.3	(b1)	in practices of more than one practitioner or practices that employ locums, identified after each entry with the initials or code of the veterinarian responsible for the procedure; and	Y	N
1.5.22.5.4	(c)	retained for a period of at least five years. <b>(Not applicable if new facility)</b>	N/A	Y N
1.5.22.6.0	22.-(2)(6).	Are the records retained in an electronic medium? <b>(EITHER YES OR NO)</b>	Y	N
		<b>IF YES:</b>		
1.5.22.6.1	(1)	Is the recorded information capable of being printed promptly?	Y	N
1.5.22.6.2	(2)	Are any changes in the recorded information clearly indicated as changes?	Y	N

How many records were examined? \_\_\_\_\_

**2.0 LIBRARY**

2.1	The facility contains,			
1.	1 or more veterinary reference textbooks published within the prior three years on basic topics in equine medicine (such as diagnosis, therapy or surgery).		Y	N
2.	2 or more current subscriptions to journals that are generally accepted as authoritative in recent developments in equine medicine or surgery, <b>OR</b> alternatively, a subscription to a computerized veterinary information network.		Y	N
3.	(a) a copy of the Veterinarians Act (Bill 39), (b) and the regulations (O.Reg.1093), (c) minimum standards, (d) and by-laws under the Act,		Y	N
4.	a copy of the <u>Health of Animals Act</u> (Canada),		Y	N
5.	a copy of the current regulations made under the <u>Drug and Pharmacies Regulation Act</u> (O.REG.551)		Y	N
6.	a copy of the <u>Compendium of Pharmaceuticals and Specialties</u> published within the last three years.		Y	N
7.	a copy of the <u>Compendium of Veterinary Products</u> or <u>CDMV Compendium</u> published within the last three years.		Y	N

**2.1.N. The above library requirements may be met by having access to an electronic equivalent.**

**3.0 CLIENT AMENITIES**

3.1	The facility contains a reception area.	Y	N
	<b>3.1.N. The reception area can not be within the examination room.</b>		

**3.0 CLIENT AMENITIES (continued)**

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| 3.2 | The reception area,   |   |   |
|     | 1. is free from physical impediments or obstructions,                         | Y | N |
|     | 2. contains sufficient seating for the reasonably expected number of clients. | Y | N |
| 3.3 | The furniture in the reception area is clean and in good repair.              | Y | N |
| 3.4 | The facility contains a washroom that can be used by clients.                 | Y | N |

**4.0 EXAMINATION AREA**

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| 4.1 | The facility contains an area for the physical examination of animals. | Y | N |
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**4.1.N The examination area may also be used as a treatment area or a confinement area or both.**

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| 4.2 | The examination area is,  |   |   |
|     | 1. large enough for a veterinarian to examine an animal conveniently with a client present in the area, together with the required equipment, | Y | N |
|     | 2. constructed of readily sanitized material,   | Y | N |
|     | 3. well lit.  | Y | N |
| 4.3 | The examination area contains a waste receptacle.   | Y | N |
| 4.4 | The following equipment is readily available for each examination area in the facility,   |   |   |
|     | 1. appropriate restraint devices (e.g. rope),   | Y | N |
|     | 2. stethoscope,   | Y | N |
|     | 3. alcohol or other disinfectant,   | Y | N |
|     | 4. thermometer,   | Y | N |
|     | 5. examination gloves,  | Y | N |
|     | 6. lubricant,   | Y | N |
|     | 7. examination light,   | Y | N |
|     | 8. an ophthalmoscope or a focal light source, and a magnification source.   | Y | N |

**5.0 PHARMACY**

## 5.1 Pharmacy

**Note:** Refer to O.REG 1093, 25.-(1) to 29.-(3) Regulation 1093 Revised

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| 5.1.25.1.   | 25.-(1).Is there a system for filing the records of purchasing drugs.   | Y | N |
|             | (2) Do these records contain the following information:   |   |   |
| 5.1.25.2.1  | (a) the date of the purchase;   | Y | N |
| 5.1.25.2.2. | (b) the name, strength and quantity of the drug;  | Y | N |
| 5.1.25.2.3  | (c) the name and address of the person from whom the drug was purchased or received;                          | Y | N |
| 5.1.25.2.4  | (d) the purchase price; and   | Y | N |
| 5.1.25.2.5  | (e) evidence of the signature of the member who purchased controlled substances, ketamine and targeted drugs. | Y | N |

**5.0 PHARMACY (continued)**

5.1.27.1.1	27.-(1)	A member who dispenses a drug shall make a written record showing:		
	(a)	the name and address of the owner of the animal or group of animals for which the drug is prescribed;	Y	N
5.1.27.1.2	(b)	the name, strength and quantity of the prescribed drug;	Y	N
5.1.27.1.3	(c)	the directions for use if they are different than the directions for use on the manufacturer's label or if the manufacturer's label does not specify the directions for use;	Y	N
5.1.27.1.4	(d)	the date on which the drug is dispensed.	Y	N
5.1.27.2	27.-(2)	Are the written records retained for at least five years. <b>(Not applicable if new facility)</b>	N/A	Y N
		Are drugs dispensed from the clinic? <b>(EITHER YES OR NO)</b>	Y	N
	<b>IF YES:</b>			
	27.-(3)	Are the containers in which the drugs are dispensed marked with,		
5.1.27.3.1	(a)	the name, strength and quantity of the drug;	Y	N
5.1.27.3.2	(b)	the date the drug is dispensed;	Y	N
5.1.27.3.3	(c)	the name and address of the member;	Y	N
5.1.27.3.4	(d)	the identify of the animal or group of animals for which it is dispensed;	Y	N
5.1.27.3.5	(e)	the name of the owner of the animal or animals; and	Y	N
5.1.27.3.6	(f)	prescribed directions for use.	Y	N
	28.-(1)	Does the member dispense controlled substances? <b>(EITHER YES OR NO)</b>	Y	N
	<b>IF YES:</b>			
5.1.28.1.		Is there a <b>"Controlled Substances Register"</b> ? Does the controlled substances register contain the following information:	Y	N
5.1.28.1.1	(a)	the date of the dispensing;	Y	N
5.1.28.1.2	(b)	the name and address of the owner of the animal or animals for which the drug was dispensed;	Y	N
5.1.28.1.3.	(c)	the name, strength and quantity of the drug dispensed; and	Y	N
5.1.28.1.4	(d)	the quantity of drugs remaining after dispensing.	Y	N
5.1.28.		Are <b>ALL</b> controlled substances recorded in the log?	Y	N
5.1.28.4	28.-(4)	Are <b>ALL</b> controlled substances, ketamine and targeted drugs kept in a locked cabinet designed and constructed to ensure the reasonable security of the drugs?	Y	N
5.2		Secondary containers for the storage of drugs have labels containing the name, strength and lot number where applicable and expiry date of the drug.	Y	N
5.3		Expired drugs are kept separate from unexpired drugs and are discarded or returned to the manufacturer promptly after expiry.	Y	N

**5.0 PHARMACY (continued)**

5.4	Biologics and other drugs requiring refrigeration are kept in a refrigerator.		Y	N
5.5	The facility contains at least one of each of the following,			
	1. adrenergic/sympathomimetic,		Y	N
	2. analgesic,		Y	N
	3. sedative/tranquillizer,		Y	N
	4. anesthetic: local/regional,		Y	N
	5. anti-inflammatory,		Y	N
	6. anti-microbial for intramuscular, and intravenous administration,		Y	N
	7. diuretic,		Y	N
	8. replacement fluids, including those for intravenous administration,		Y	N
	9. anti-convulsant,		Y	N
	10. parasiticide.		Y	N
5.6	The facility contains biologics for common infectious diseases.		Y	N
5.7	Does the member dispense Ketamine?	<b>(EITHER YES OR NO)</b>	Y	N
	<b>IF YES:</b>			
	Is there a “Ketamine Register” where all dispensed Ketamine is recorded?		N/A	Y N
	Does the <b>Ketamine Register</b> contain the following information:			
	5.7.1. the date of dispensing,		N/A	Y N
	5.7.2. the name and address of the owner of the animal or animals for which the drug was dispensed,		N/A	Y N
	5.7.3. the name, strength and quantity of the drug dispensed, and		N/A	Y N
	5.7.4. the quantity of the drug remaining after dispensing.		N/A	Y N
5.8	Does the member dispense targeted drugs?	<b>(EITHER YES OR NO)</b>	Y	N
	<b>IF YES:</b>			
	Is there a “Targeted Drug Register” where all targeted drugs are recorded?		N/A	Y N
	Does the <b>Targeted Drug Register</b> contain the following information:			
	5.8.1. the date of dispensing,		N/A	Y N
	5.8.2. the name and address of the owner of the animal or animals for which the drug was dispensed,		N/A	Y N
	5.8.3. the name, strength and quantity of the drug dispensed, and		N/A	Y N
	5.8.4. the quantity of the drug remaining after dispensing.		N/A	Y N

**6.0 LABORATORY**

6.1	The facility contains,			
	1. microscope, microscope slides and cover slips,		Y	N
	2. centrifuge and centrifuge tubes,		Y	N
	3. microhematocrit centrifuge, microhematocrit capillary tubes and tube sealant,		Y	N
	4. refractometer,		Y	N

**6.0 LABORATORY (continued)**

5.	staining solutions and chemicals for blood, urine and cytology examinations,	Y	N
6.	forms for recording laboratory test results,	Y	N
7.	equipment suitable for the collection of the specimens needed for the procedures in clause 6.2.	Y	N
6.2	The following investigation procedures can be performed within the facility or there is evidence of an arrangement that such procedures are performed by a diagnostic laboratory or there is a suitable combination for the performance of such procedures,		
1.	hematology,	Y	N
2.	biochemistry.	Y	N
3.	immunology,	Y	N
4.	cytology,	Y	N
5.	microbiology,	Y	N
6.	histopathology,	Y	N
7.	parasitology.	Y	N

**7.0 RADIOLOGY**

7.1	The facility contains a diagnostic x-ray machine with a collimator or cone.	Y	N
7.2	The facility contains,		
1.	two protective aprons each of at least 0.5 lead equivalent that are long enough to cover an operator from the neck to below the knees,	Y	N
2.	at least one pair of gloves of at least 0.5 lead equivalent with cuffs at least 37.5 cm. long,	Y	N
3.	individual monitoring badges obtained from Health and Welfare Canada, that are worn by all people regularly involved in radiology procedures,	Y	N
4.	equipment to identify radiographs all of which are permanently identified with,		
1.	the name of the veterinarian or the designation of the facility or both,	Y	N
2.	identification of the animal and the client,	Y	N
3.	the date of the radiograph,	Y	N
4.	an indication of the area of the body including the left or right side of the animal.	Y	N
5.	a radiographic log in which is entered,		
1.	the date each radiograph is taken,	Y	N
2.	identification of the animal and of the client,	Y	N
3.	MAS and kV, if it varies from the technique chart,	Y	N
4.	the area of the body exposed to the radiograph,	Y	N
5.	the number of radiographs taken of each animal on a particular visit,	Y	N
6.	at least two film cassettes (holders),	Y	N
7.	fresh, unexposed x-ray film that is properly stored,	Y	N
8.	a machine that automatically develops radiographs,		
	<b>(EITHER N/A or YES)</b>	N/A	Y N
	<b>OR alternatively, a dark room which contains, (EITHER N/A or YES)</b>	N/A	Y N
	<b>IF YES:</b>		
1.	a tank or tray containing fresh chemicals for developing and fixing exposed film,	Y	N
2.	a tank or tray containing water for washing film,	Y	N
3.	a tank thermometer,	Y	N
4.	a safety light,	Y	N
5.	film hangers,	Y	N

**7.0 RADIOLOGY (continued)**

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| 7.2. | 9.  | a radiographic viewer,   | Y | N |
|      | 10.   | technique charts, one calibrated for each diagnostic x-ray machine, that indicate the MAS and kV and focal distance for specific body area and thickness', | Y | N |
|      | 11.   | protective equipment which includes, at least two thyroid protectors.  | Y | N |
| 7.3  | For each x-ray source in the facility, an application in accordance with Section 6 or 7 of Ontario Regulation 861/90, made under the Occupational Health and Safety Act, has been reviewed and accepted by an inspector under that Act and a registration number has been issued. |  | Y | N |

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| 7.4 | Radiographs not stored with the clinical record for the animal are stored collectively and maintained in a systematic manner and, in either case, are retained for a period of at least 5 years. |  | Y | N |
| 7.5 | The radiographs are of diagnostic quality.   |  | Y | N |

**8.0 TREATMENT AREA**

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|-----|---|--|---|---|
| 8.1 | The facility contains one or more treatment areas which can be used for performing minor (non-sterile) surgery. |  | Y | N |
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**8.1.N The treatment area is separate from the operating area, and the reception area but may be part of the examination area.**

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| 8.2 | Each such area is large enough to accommodate readily a veterinarian, an animal, any necessary assistants and the required equipment. |   | Y | N |
| 8.3 | The treatment area contains or has readily available,   |   |   |   |
|     | 1.  | electric hair clippers and a fine surgical blade or razor for hair removal,   | Y | N |
|     | 2.  | preparations for cleansing skin and other tissue prior to surgery, including a skin cleaning solvent and an antiseptic skin preparation solution, | Y | N |
|     | 3.  | a tray or container of fresh cold-sterilization solution and concentrate OR sterilized packs with appropriate instrumentation                     | Y | N |
|     | 4.  | absorbable and non-absorbable sterile suture material,  | Y | N |
|     | 5.  | a drained sink with hot and cold running water,   | Y | N |
|     | 6.  | sterile intravenous catheters and administration sets,  | Y | N |
|     | 7.  | intravenous stand or equivalent,  | Y | N |
|     | 8.  | drainage tubes, irrigation solutions and irrigation application supplies,   | Y | N |
|     | 9.  | sterile needles and syringes,   | Y | N |
|     | 10.   | cotton, sterile gauze, bandages and appropriate splinting devices,  | Y | N |
|     | 11.   | sterile urinary catheters,  | Y | N |
|     | 12.   | stomach tubes appropriate to the oesophagus sizes of reasonably expected animals.   | Y | N |

**9.0 ANESTHESIA**

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|-----|--|--|---|---|
| 9.1 | The facility contains an area for the administration of general anesthesia (can be the same area as the treatment area). |  | Y | N |
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**9.0 ANESTHESIA (continued)**

- 9.2 The anesthesia area contains or has readily available,
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| 1.  | pre-anesthetic agents,  | Y | N |
| 2.  | induction anesthetic agents for intravenous administration,   | Y | N |
| 3.  | an antiseptic agent for venipuncture preparation,   | Y | N |
| 4.  | sterilized needles and syringes,  | Y | N |
| 5.  | cuffed endotracheal tubes and tube adaptors appropriate to the tracheal sizes of reasonably expected animals,                                 | Y | N |
| 6.  | a machine for the administration of gaseous anesthesia that includes a canister containing a fresh agent to absorb carbon dioxide,            | Y | N |
| 7.  | gaseous agent for the induction and maintenance of general anesthesia,  | Y | N |
| 8.  | a cylinder of compressed medical oxygen, a means of holding it securely for purposes of safety and a device for administration of the oxygen, | Y | N |
| 9.  | a gas scavenging system that complies with the requirements of the <u>Occupational Health and Safety Act</u> ,                                | Y | N |
| 10. | a bag device for monitoring respiration or an electronic respiratory monitor,   | Y | N |
| 11. | a cover for the prevention of heat loss.  | Y | N |
- 9.3 The facility contains an anesthetic log, either alone or in combination with the surgical log, in which is entered in respect of each induction of general anesthesia,
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| 1. | the date of each procedure,  | Y | N |
| 2. | the identification of the client,  | Y | N |
| 3. | the breed, age, sex, estimated weight and identity of the anesthetized animal, | Y | N |
| 4. | the name, dose and route of administration of all anesthetic agents,           | Y | N |
| 5. | the nature of each procedure,  | Y | N |
| 6. | the animal's pre-anesthetic condition,   | Y | N |
| 7. | the animal's post-anesthetic condition.  | Y | N |

**10.0 OPERATING AREA**

- 10.1 The facility contains an area for the performance of major surgical procedures. Y N
- 10.2 The facility contains,
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| 1. | a steam sterilizer of sufficient size to sterilize the quantity of surgical packs necessary for the reasonably expected case load (a gas sterilizer may be present but it is not a substitute for the steam sterilizer). | Y | N |
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- 10.3 The operating area,
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|----|--|---|---|
| 1. | is large enough to accommodate readily a veterinarian, an animal, any necessary assistants and the required equipment, | Y | N |
| 2. | has a drained floor constructed of solid, fluid impervious material that can be readily sanitized,                     | Y | N |
| 3. | contains an operating table or an adequately padded area for the surgical procedures performed.                        | Y | N |
- 10.4 The operating area contains, or has readily available,
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|----|--|---|---|
| 1. | absorbable and non-absorbable sterile suture material,   | Y | N |
| 2. | instruments, towels, drapes, gloves, gowns, gauze sponges, needles and scalpel blades, which are sterilized, | Y | N |
| 3. | an instrument table or tray with readily sanitized surface,  | Y | N |
| 4. | a garbage disposal container,  | Y | N |
| 5. | a drained sink with hot and cold running water,  | Y | N |

**10.0 OPERATING AREA (continued)**

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| 6.   | all items sterilized in the facility display the date of sterilization and the name or initials of the person who carried out the sterilization.   | Y | N |
| 7.   | sufficient sterile instruments including at least,   |   |   |
| 1.   | 1 scalpel handle (not required if disposable scalpels are used),   | Y | N |
| 2.   | scissors,  | Y | N |
| 3.   | suture needles,  | Y | N |
| 4.   | 1 needle driver,   | Y | N |
| 5.   | 2 thumb forceps,   | Y | N |
| 6.   | 4 hemostatic forceps,  | Y | N |
| 8.   | an internal sterility monitor.   | Y | N |
| 10.5 | The facility contains a surgical log, either alone or in conjunction with the anesthetic log, in which is entered in respect of each major surgical procedure performed in the facility, |   |   |
| 1.   | the date of each procedure,  | Y | N |
| 2.   | the identification of the client,  | Y | N |
| 3.   | the breed, age, sex, estimated weight and identity of the animal upon which the procedure is performed,  | Y | N |
| 4.   | the name of the surgeon,   | Y | N |
| 5.   | the nature of each procedure,  | Y | N |
| 6.   | the animal's pre-operative condition,  | Y | N |
| 7.   | the animal's post-operative condition,   | Y | N |
| 8.   | the length of time taken to perform the procedure.   | Y | N |

**11.0 CONFINEMENT**

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| 11.1 | There are one or more areas for the confinement of animals in stalls.   | Y | N |
| 11.2 | The confinement area,   |   |   |
| 1.   | contains enough stalls to accommodate the reasonably expected number of confined animals,                               | Y | N |
| 2.   | is well lit,  | Y | N |
| 3.   | has adequate air circulation in it.   | Y | N |
| 11.3 | Each stall,   |   |   |
| 1.   | is large enough to accommodate the animal comfortably,  | Y | N |
| 2.   | allows adequate amounts of air to circulate within it,  | Y | N |
| 3.   | is secure and solidly constructed,  | Y | N |
| 4.   | permits easy observation of the animal,   | Y | N |
| 5.   | has a door effective to prevent the contained animal from escape.   | Y | N |
| 11.4 | The facility contains,  |   |   |
| 1.   | equipment and materials for applying disinfectants to stalls,   | Y | N |
| 2.   | material for clean, dry bedding,  | Y | N |
| 3.   | equipment and materials for identifying animals and their stalls.   | Y | N |
| 11.5 | There is evidence of good husbandry in the confinement area.  | Y | N |
| 11.6 | For the purposes of feeding confined animals, the facility contains,  |   |   |
| 1.   | a dry area for the storage of food,   | Y | N |
| 2.   | containers and utensils for feeding and watering animals that are made of readily sanitized material or are disposable, | Y | N |
| 3.   | a fresh water supply.   | Y | N |

**11.0 CONFINEMENT (continued)**

- 11.7 The food storage area contains sufficient quantity and variety of food to feed nutritiously the reasonably expected number of confined animals. Y N

**12.0 NECROPSY**

- 12.1 The facility contains an area that can be used for the performance of necropsy unless the necropsy is performed elsewhere. Y N
- 12.2 If necropsies are done in the facility: (EITHER) Y N/A
- IF YES:**  
The following is readily available,
1. sufficient equipment to perform a necropsy, Y N
  2. containers of formalin. Y N

**13.0 HOUSEKEEPING**

- 13.1 The facility contains a puncture-proof container into which needles, scalpel blades and other things capable of penetrating skin are discarded. Y N
- 13.2 The entire facility is clean, uncluttered, in good repair and free of offensive odours. Hallways, the reception area and the area around the building are free of impediments and obstructions. Y N
- 13.3 The floors and walls throughout the entire facility are readily sanitized. Y N
- 13.4 The facility contains an adequate supply of clean towels and coveralls or lab coats or smocks. Y N

**14.0 SAFETY**

- 14.1 Clear written instructions for the evacuation of animals and staff from the facility in case of fire or other emergency are posted prominently. Y N
- 14.2 There is a source of emergency lighting in the facility, e.g. large flashlight. Y N
- 14.3 Doors and windows are self-closing or otherwise secured to prevent the escape of animals and the theft of drugs. Y N
- 14.4 There is adequate exterior illumination of entrances, walkways and parking areas. Y N
- 14.5 The facility contains at least one readily accessible all-purpose fire extinguisher. Y N

**14.N. The facility is expected to comply with the current local municipal fire code.**

**15.0 REGULATION 1093**

15. "Every member practising in or from a facility .... shall ensure that the Certificate of Accreditation is displayed conspicuously in the facility so that clients can read it easily (O.REG. 1093s. 13) Y N