

<p>INDIRECT & DIRECT NONCOMPLIANT ITEMS</p>	<p>A noncompliant item documented on the inspection report must be determined by the inspector to be either “Indirect” or “Direct”.</p>
<p>Indirect Noncompliance</p>	<p>An “Indirect” noncompliant item does NOT have a high potential to adversely affect the health and well-being of the animal. This NCI should be followed up as part of the next routine complete inspection.</p> <p>No special designation for an indirect NCI is required on the inspection report.</p> <p>Examples of “Indirect” NCIs include, but are not limited to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • surfaces not impervious to moisture • inadequate records • holding period violation
<p>Direct Noncompliance</p>	<p>A “Direct” noncompliant item has a high potential to adversely affect the health and well-being of the animal. A complete or partial reinspection of a facility with a “Direct” NCI must be completed no more than 45 days after the correction date.</p> <p>A “Direct” NCI should be identified with a “D” in the left hand margin of the inspection report for all Categories of noncompliances.</p> <p>Examples of “Direct” NCIs include, but are not limited to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • animals in need of urgent veterinary care, e.g. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ excessive (frequent and voluminous) diarrhea and/or vomiting ▶ bloody (red, dark, and/or tarry) diarrhea and/or vomiting ▶ infestation with large numbers of ticks, fleas or other parasites ▶ excessively thin ▶ severe injuries or wounds

- ▶ moribund - recumbent, labored breathing, little response to stimuli, etc.
- inadequate feed and water
- excessive accumulations of fecal or other waste material to the point where odors, disease hazards, or pest control problems exist
- animals that are heavily soiled from a buildup of fecal material
- heavy vermin infestation in storage or feeding areas
- contaminated feed
- primary enclosures and/or housing facility in severe structural disrepair
- inadequate ventilation that threatens the animal's health and well-being
- incompatible animals
- grossly inadequate space
- inappropriate handling
- lack of adequate shelter for weather or temperature extremes