



MFHA Guide to KENNEL Standards of Care Checklist



Kennel Inspection Details

Date: _____
Location of Kennels: _____
Person(s) conducting inspection: _____

MFHA Kennel Checklist * Also check state law as each state is slightly different

Hound List location: _____
Emergency/Important Points of Contact posted with telephone/email
a. Kennel backup contact: _____
b. Veterinarian Name: _____
c. Fire Department: _____
d. Police/Sheriff Department: _____
e. Game Warden: _____
f. Animal Control Officer: _____
g. Dog Food Supplier: _____
h. Waste Disposal: _____

List of Dates:
a. Bitches in Season: _____
b. Brucelosis testing of bitches to be bred: _____
c. Leishmaniasis testing of bitches to be bred: _____

Is there a Cleaning program: Yes No
Is there a Feeding program: Yes No
Is there a Exercise program: Yes No
Is there a Waste disposal program: Yes No
Is there a Insect control program: Yes No
Is there a Worming and Inoculation program: Yes No
Are Breeding records maintained: Yes No
Are Health records maintained: Yes No
Are No Trespassing signs posted: Yes No
Is the kennel clean and organized: Yes No
Proof of Rabies Inoculation: Yes No
Is County License posted (if required): Yes No
Is there a Sufficient space, shelter; properly cleaned and protection from severe heat, cold, rain and wind: Yes No
Are hounds receiving adequate Space in primary enclosure: Yes No
Adequate Exercise: Yes No
Is there access to Vet care when needed: Yes No
What kind of transportation is available for hounds? _____

Basic MFHA Essentials

- ▲ Outside runs should provide sufficient room for hounds and escape avenues under benches or in barrels
- ▲ At least 2 separate lodging rooms each with connecting outside runs
- ▲ Separate lodging and connecting outside runs for the whelping and raising of puppies, care of sick hounds and the isolation of bitches in season
- ▲ Suitable raised sleeping benches
- ▲ Adequate light and drainage with an efficient waste disposal system
- ▲ Fencing and yards that will contain hounds and keep them separated
- ▲ Clean sanitary kennels and a clean feed storage facility protected from rodents and flies
- ▲ A watering system that assures hounds have clean water always available