Statement of Deficiencies	(X1) Provider/Supplier/CLIA Identification Number 34D0689244	(X3) Date Survey Completed 03/23/2021
Name of Provider or Supplier Wnc Dermatological Associates, Pa	**Street Address, City, State** 281 Mcdowell Street, Asheville, NC	
For information on the provider's plan to correct this deficiency, please contact the provider or the state survey agency.		

(X4) ID Prefix Tag	Summary Statement of Deficiencies
D5417	TEST SYSTEMS, EQUIPMENT, INSTRUMENTS, REAGENT CFR(s): 493.1252(d) Reagents, solutions, culture media, control materials, calibration materials, and other supplies must not be used when they have exceeded their expiration date, have deteriorated, or are of substandard quality. This STANDARD is not met as evidenced by: Based on observation, review of laboratory's procedures, and interview with the laboratory director 3/23/21, the laboratory failed to discard KOH(potassium hydroxide) and Chlorazol Black fungal stain reagents that had exceeded their expiration dates. Findings: During tour of the laboratory at approximately 1:05pm 3/23 /21, the surveyor observed two bottles of KOH (lot # K15C13, expiration date: 12/31 /18) and one bottle of Chlorazol Black(lot # K19C91, expiration date: 12/31/20) located by the microscope, that were available for use. The laboratory's procedure, Quality Assurance Program under Quality control states, "All test materials(KOH, saline, etc) are stored as directed by the manufacturer. All outdated materials are discarded." At approximately 1:15pm, the laboratory director confirmed the KOH and Chlorazol Black reagents were expired. He stated the laboratory does not perform the testing very often and they had not realized the reagents were expired.