

# Health Requirements for Sections 1-12

## SECTION 1 - DAIRY

- **Certificate of Veterinary Inspection:** Issued on or after May 1<sup>st</sup>. Must include USDA Approved Official Identification & ALL forms of identification MUST be recorded on CVI. See USDA Approved Official Identification section below. The certificate has to be issued by an accredited veterinarian.
- **Rabies Vaccine:** Current Rabies vaccine is required for all cattle 4 mos. of age or older on date of admission to the fair. Animals born before March 28<sup>th</sup>/29<sup>th</sup>. MUST be vaccinated for rabies. Vaccine must have been administered within the past 12 mos. A booster vaccine can be given any time prior to the fair.
- **Bovine Viral Diarrhea:** All cattle must be negative to an approved test appropriate to detect Bovine Viral Diarrhea persistent infection (BVD-PI). The date and results of testing must be noted on certificate of veterinary inspection.
- **Bovine Respiratory Disease Complex (Shipping Fever)** All cattle must be currently vaccinated against bovine respiratory disease complex, including bovine respiratory syncytial virus, bovine viral diarrhea, infectious bovine rhinotracheitis, and parainfluenza, with a product administered in a manner and time frame adequate to confer protective immunity for these diseases for the duration of the fair.
- **USDA Approved Official Identification:** Cattle must be identified by an official USDA approved eartag. Radio frequency identification (RFID) eartags, commonly referred to as “840 RFID tags,” are strongly recommended.

## SECTION 2 - SHEEP

- **Certificate of Veterinary Inspection:** Must include USDA Approved Official Identification & ALL forms of identification MUST be recorded on CVI. See USDA Approved Official Identification section below. Also must contain written statement from the issuing accredited veterinarian that the flock of origin was inspected after May 1 of the current year and that no evidence of contagious disease was found. If evidence of soremouth (Contagious Ecthyma) is found on any sheep, the entire exhibit, including the affected animals, shall be immediately removed from the fair premises.
- **Rabies Vaccine:** Current Rabies vaccine is required for all sheep 4 mos. of age or older on date of admission to the fair. Animals born before March 28<sup>th</sup>/29<sup>th</sup> MUST be vaccinated for rabies. Vaccine must have been administered within past 12 mos. A booster vaccine can be given any time prior to fair. The exception is Imrab LA vaccine used in sheep which protects for 3 years after the second annual vaccination (consult your veterinarian). If an animal is going through the livestock auction, there is a 28 day withholding period. Therefore, the vaccination MUST be given by June 25<sup>th</sup>.
- **USDA Approved Official Identification:** All sheep must be individually identified with USDA approved individual scrapie program identification. Identification must be one of the following: 1.) USDA approved tags, or 2.) legible USDA approved flock tattoo and individual animal ID number, or 3.) electronic ID if the sheep is enrolled in the Scrapie Flock Certification Program (owner must supply a working electronic meter).
- **Sheep Certification:** Section completed by issuing veterinarian.

## SECTION 3 - GOAT

- **Certificate of Veterinary Inspection:** Must include USDA Approved Official Identification & ALL forms of identification MUST be recorded on CVI. See USDA Approved Official Identification section below. Also must contain a written statement from the issuing accredited veterinarian that the herd of origin was inspected after May 1 of the current year and that no evidence of contagious disease was found. If evidence of soremouth (Contagious Ecthyma) is found on any goat, the entire exhibit, including the affected animals, shall be immediately removed from the fair premises.
- **Rabies Vaccine:** Current Rabies vaccine is required for all goats 4 mos. of age or older on date of admission to the fair. Animals born before March 28<sup>th</sup>/29<sup>th</sup> MUST be vaccinated for rabies. Vaccine must have been administered within past 12 mos. A booster vaccine can be given any time prior to fair.
- **USDA Approved Official Identification:** All goats must be individually identified with USDA approved individual scrapie program identification. Identification must be one of the following: 1.) USDA approved tags, or 2.) legible USDA registration tattoo, or 3.) legible USDA approved herd tattoo and individual animal ID number, or 4.) electronic ID if goat is enrolled in Scrapie Flock Certification Program (owner must supply a working electronic meter).
- **Goat Certification:** Section completed by issuing veterinarian.

## SECTION 4 - SWINE

- **Certificate of Veterinary Inspection:** Issued on or after May 1<sup>st</sup>. Must include USDA Approved Official Identification & ALL forms of identification MUST be recorded on CVI. See USDA Approved Official Identification section below. The certificate has to be issued by an accredited veterinarian.

- **Rabies Vaccine:** Current Rabies vaccine is required for all swine 4 mos. of age or older on date of admission to the fair. Animals born before March 28<sup>th</sup>/29<sup>th</sup> MUST be vaccinated for rabies. Vaccine must have been administered within past 12 mos. A booster vaccine can be given any time prior to fair. If an animal is going through the livestock auction, there is a 28 day withholding period. Therefore, the vaccination MUST be given by June 25<sup>th</sup>.
- **USDA Approved Official Identification:** Swine must be identified by an official USDA approved eartag. Radio frequency identification (RFID) eartags, commonly referred to as “840 RFID tags,” are strongly recommended.
- **Swine Certification:** Section completed by issuing veterinarian.

## SECTION 5 - BEEF

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- **Rabies Vaccine:** Current Rabies vaccine is required for all beef cattle 4 mos. of age or older on date of admission to the fair. Animals born before March 28<sup>th</sup>/29<sup>th</sup> MUST be vaccinated for rabies. Vaccine must have been administered within past 12 mos. A booster vaccine can be given any time prior to fair. If an animal is going through the livestock auction, there is a 28 day withholding period. Therefore, the vaccination MUST be given by June 25<sup>th</sup>.
- **Bovine Viral Diarrhea:** All cattle must be negative to an approved test appropriate to detect Bovine Viral Diarrhea persistent infection (BVD-PI). The date and results of testing must be noted on certificate of veterinary inspection.
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## SECTION 6 & 7 - POULTRY

- All poultry will be health checked. No poultry will be permitted in the cages until they are health checked.
- Poultry (except doves, pigeons, and waterfowl) must have 1.) negative pullorum-typhoid test conducted within 90 days prior to date of admission to the fair, or 2.) proof the birds originated from a US pullorum-typhoid clean flock or equivalent flock (good for 12 months). Birds purchased through the 4-H Market Poultry Program will already have proof on file and need not be tested.
- Pullorum test negative poultry must be identified by official leg band.
- Proof of NPIP (Pullorum Test) status must be in the form of a copy of the NPIP certificate or purchase receipt containing NPIP certification information AND submitted to the CCE Office by June 27<sup>th</sup>.

## SECTIONS 8 & 9 - RABBIT & CAVY

- All rabbits and cavies will be health checked. No rabbits or cavies will be permitted in cages until health checked.

## SECTION 10 - DOG - CANCELLED FOR 2022

## SECTION 11 - HORSE

- **Negative EIA (Coggins) Test:** Negative Equine Infectious Anemia (EIA) test is required for all horses 6 mos. of age or older. The horse must have a valid negative EIA test record. The test must have been conducted during the current or previous calendar years for NYS origin horses. For imported horses, the test must be conducted within 12 mos. of entry. The EIA test certificate must include a complete description of the horse. A copy of the EIA test record must be submitted to the CCE Office at a date to be determined.
- **Rabies Vaccine:** Rabies vaccine is required for all horses 4 mos. of age and older. A copy of the rabies test record must be submitted to the CCE Office at a date to be determined. Horse Certificates are due to the CCE Office by June 1<sup>st</sup>.
- A valid GoPass equine transport can be used as an entry document.

**Make sure you double check your paperwork against your ID before your vet leaves. The most common problem with vet checks is putting down incorrect identification of the animal. Bring your rabies certification with you to the fair.**

**LIVESTOCK ANIMALS MAY NOT BE UNLOADED  
UNTIL CHECKED BY STATE VET!**

(Certificates of Veterinary Inspection are required at this time!)