

HEALTH and SANITARY REGULATIONS



IMPORTANT INFORMATION: Requirements regarding vesicular stomatitis (VSV)

Any livestock (equine, bovine, porcine, caprine, ovine, or cervidae) entering Oklahoma from a county where vesicular stomatitis has been diagnosed within the last thirty (30) days or a county that contains a premises quarantined for vesicular stomatitis shall be accompanied by a certificate of veterinary inspection dated within five (5) days of entry containing the following statement: "All animals identified on this certificate of veterinary inspection have been examined and found to be free from signs of vesicular stomatitis and have not originated from a premise which is under quarantine for vesicular stomatitis."

OVERVIEW

1. The State Board of Agriculture provided the following rules and regulations to the Fair. These rules will govern admission of livestock at the OSF.
2. An official of the Animal Industry Division, Oklahoma Department of Agriculture, Food and Forestry, will be present during livestock entry times and will check all Certificates of Veterinary Inspection required under the following regulations.
3. The Animal Industry Division, Oklahoma Department of Agriculture, Food and Forestry, must validate all Certificates of Veterinary Inspection before animals are given stall or pen space in the barns.
4. An official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection must accompany all show animals. The official CVI must be issued within 30 days of arrival and shall be available at all times to the representatives of the Animal Industry Division. All out-of-state livestock, including domesticated poultry, birds and rabbits must meet Oklahoma's import requirements. Import requirements may be obtained by going to Animal Industry State Veterinarian – ODAFF (ag.ok.gov) and scrolling down to the link to the Animal Movement and Important section.
5. All animals must be free of infectious, communicable, or contagious disease and if such disease is found, it will be cause for removal of the animal(s) from exhibition.

CATTLE

1. Cattle must be accompanied by an official CVI, issued within 30 days of arrival that shows complete description of livestock as to age, sex, breed, and individual identification, such as tattoo or ear tag. It also must show the animals are free of external parasites, ringworm, warts and any infectious, contagious, or communicable disease. Cattle from out-of-state are required to have an official USDA identification tag as required by the Federal Animal Disease Traceability rule.
2. No tuberculosis (TB) test is required for beef or dairy cattle from Oklahoma.
 - **Out-of-state beef breeds:** 18 months of age and older must originate from a TB free state, a TB Accredited Free Herd or must be TB test negative within 60 days of arrival at the show.
 - Areas not Tuberculosis Free as of June 1, 2022 are the Michigan counties of Montmorency, Alpena, Oscoda, and Alcona.
 - **Out-of-state dairy breeds:** 18 months of age and older must originate from a TB free state, a TB Accredited Free Herd or must be TB test negative within 60 days of arrival at the show.
 - Areas not Tuberculosis Free as of June 1, 2022 are the Michigan counties of Montmorency, Alpena, Oscoda, and Alcona.
 - Any sexually intact dairy animal 6 months of age or older changing ownership within the state of Oklahoma is required to have a negative TB test within 60 days before change of ownership. If you have any questions or concerns you may call the Oklahoma Department of Agriculture, Food, and Forestry Animal Industry Services at 405-522-6141 for definite regulations.

SHEEP and GOATS

1. Must be accompanied by an official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection. The CVI must show the animal to be free of any infectious, contagious, or communicable disease, and include a statement indicating the animal to have been inspected and found free of scabies and other external parasites. All sheep and goats must be individually identified with one of the following:
 - Official USDA ear tag
 - Official breed registry tattoo or microchip, (only if animal is accompanied by a registration certificate).

ILLEGIBLE TATTOOS WILL BE CONSIDERED AS NO IDENTIFICATION.



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SWINE

1. Must be accompanied by an official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection, (CVI), processed and issued within 30 days of the date of arrival at OKCF, that shows official individual identification by an 840 electronic tag, complete description of livestock as to age, sex, breed, and also that they are free of external parasites, ringworms, or warts, or any infectious, contagious, or communicable disease. **All swine must have a premises ID listed on the CVI.**
2. **In-state swine** must have a negative test for Brucellosis and Pseudorabies after June 1, 2022 or be from a Validated Brucellosis/Qualified Pseudorabies Free Herd and be exhibited by the owners and/or immediate family members. The last quarterly test date (July test) must be listed on the CVI.
 - **Breeding gilts** should be quarantined and retested 30 days after the show before being commingled with other breeding swine.
 - **Out-of-state swine** must have a CVI, an entry permit, proof of negative test for Brucellosis and Pseudorabies within 30 days of entry to the fair or be from a Validated/Qualified Herd with verification of the last quarterly test within 3 months and be identified with an official individual USDA Ear Tag.

DOGS

1. Must be accompanied by an official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection.
2. All dogs over 3 months of age must have been officially vaccinated against rabies within 12 months of arrival. All dogs must have been vaccinated against distemper, hepatitis, leptospirosis, and parvovirus within the previous 12 months.

LLAMAS and ALPACAS

1. Each animal must be accompanied by an individual Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (CVI), stating that the animal is free of infections and contagious disease within 30 days before arrival at the show.

EQUINE

All horses and other equine must be accompanied by a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection or valid Extended Equine Certificate of Veterinary inspection showing age, breed, sex, and markings to positively identify the animals, including all vaccinations, date and result of required tests, and issued within 30 days of arrival and an official document verifying a negative test for Equine Infectious Anemia showing a test date within 12 months prior to exhibition. Nursing foals less than 6 months of age, accompanied by their negative tested and documented dams, are exempt from test requirements. The laboratory conducting the test must be approved by APHIS, USDA. Both aforementioned documents must clearly identify the animal(s) listed and be presented upon arrival before the animals can be admitted to the grounds or unloaded from the transport vehicles. Any horse/pony/equine arriving without the above-defined documentation will not be allowed entrance onto the grounds or into the barns.

For the most current information, call 405-522-6141 or access the Animal Industry State Veterinarian – ODAFF (ok.gov) and scroll down to the section for Animal Movement and Importation.

EQUINE INFECTIOUS ANEMIA (COGGINS) TEST



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An equine infectious anemia test is also known as a Coggins test. Equine infectious anemia is a bloodborne viral disease that can affect all equids. There is currently no treatment or vaccine for the disease. Many equine with EIA will be asymptomatic carriers and a source of infection, increasing the importance of testing. To conduct an EIA test, an accredited veterinarian must draw blood from the equine and send it to an approved lab for analysis. Test results are valid for twelve months from the date of the blood draw.

As regulated by Oklahoma Administrative Code, a negative EIA test is required in the following instances:

Change of Ownership

All test eligible Equidae sold, bartered, traded, or offered for sale within Oklahoma shall be accompanied by a record of a negative official test for EIA. The seller shall be solely responsible for meeting the EIA testing requirements prior to the sale.

Mingling of Equine

All Equidae mingling in common spaces, such as boarding or training facilities, shall be accompanied by a record of a negative official test for EIA.

Equine Exhibitions

All Equidae moving within the state to equine exhibitions, including but not limited to, fairs, livestock shows, breed association shows, rodeos, racetracks, or other equine gatherings shall be accompanied by a record of a negative official test for EIA.