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Health Requirements Governing the Admission of Animals

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Exhibition and Event Cattle – rodeo, roping, timed event, and show

Michigan (Alcona, Alpena, Montmorency, and Oscoda)

Rodeo Bull:

Permit required + CVI Individual ID by official USDA eartag + Negative TB test within 60 days + VS 6-22 to accompany bull **AND**
Bulls 12 – 17 months of age need Virgin Bull affidavit or Negative Trichomoniasis test within 60 days and no exposure to female cattle after test
Bulls 18 months of age/older need Negative Trichomoniasis test within 60 days and no exposure to female cattle after test
(Rodeo Bull exempt from Trichomoniasis testing if traveling directly to an event and return to state of origin with no change in ownership)

Roping/Timed Event Cattle (Mexican origin and US origin, bulls, steers, and heifers used for roping, tie-down calves, bucking stock breeding cows):

Permit required + CVI + Individual ID by official USDA eartag + Negative TB test within 60 days

Show Cattle:

Permit required + CVI + Individual ID by official USDA eartag + Negative TB test within 60 days

All other States – except Michigan

(TB Free)

Rodeo Bull:

Permit required + CVI + Individual ID by official USDA eartag + Negative TB test w/i 365 days prior to entry + VS 6-22 to accompany bull **AND**
Bulls 12 – 17 months of age need Virgin Bull affidavit or Trichomoniasis test within 60 days and no exposure to female cattle after test
Bulls 18 months and older need Trichomoniasis test within 60 days and no exposure to female cattle after test
(Rodeo Bull exempt from Trichomoniasis testing if traveling directly to an event and return to state of origin with no change in ownership)

Roping/Timed Event Cattle (Mexican origin and US origin, bulls, steers, and heifers used for roping, tie-down calves, bucking stock breeding cows):

Permit required + CVI + Individual ID by official USDA eartag + Negative TB test within 365 days prior to entry
(tie-down calves exempt from permit and TB testing but must have Individual ID by official USDA eartag)

Show Cattle: CVI + Individual ID by official USDA eartag (TB test not required for Dairy breeds traveling to event, if no change of ownership)

* OYE tag is considered Individual ID by official eartag in wethers (terminal show)

Beef Cattle and Bison Import Regulations

Michigan (Alcona, Alpena, Montmorency, and Oscoda)

Cattle to RESTRICTED Feedlot (all ages includes steers/spayed heifers/sexually intact):

Permit required + CVI + Original CVI accompanies animals at all times + Removed from this location directly to Slaughter
(Restricted Feedlots = Cimarron/Texhoma, CRI/Guymon, All Hitch, Pride/Hooker, Wheeler Brothers/Watonga)

Steers/Spayed heifers to Grazing:

Permit required + CVI + Individual ID by official USDA eartag + Original CVI accompanies animals at all times +
Placed at a single location for grazing + Removed from this location directly to an Approved Feedlot or directly to Slaughter

Cattle any purpose (all ages includes steers/spayed heifers/sexually intact):

Permit required + CVI + Individual ID by official USDA eartag + Negative TB test within 60 days prior to entry **AND**
Bulls 12 – 17 months of age need Virgin Bull affidavit or Negative Trichomoniasis test within 60 days and no exposure to female cattle after test
Bulls 18 months of age/older need Negative Trichomoniasis test within 60 days prior and no exposure to female cattle after test

All other States – except Michigan

(TB Free)

Steers/spayed heifers:

CVI + No test requirements + Individual ID not required + Statement “These are Not Mexican Origin Cattle”

Less than 18 months of age/sexually intact:

CVI + Individual ID not required **AND**
Bulls 12 – 17 months need Virgin Bull affidavit or Trichomoniasis test within 60 days and no exposure to female cattle after test

18 months and older/sexually intact:

CVI + Individual ID by official USDA eartag **AND**
Bulls 18 months and older need Trichomoniasis test within 60 days and no exposure to female cattle after test

- * CVI = There shall be only one state of destination on a CVI. There may be more than one destination city within the same state on a CVI.
- * Individual ID by official eartag = USDA tag, RFID tag, microchip, breed registration tattoo (copy of registration papers accompany animal)
- * Originate from TB Free Herd (Herd Accreditation Number and Date of last Herd Test on CVI) replaces Negative TB test within 60 days
- * Virgin Bull Affidavit – statement on CVI signed by owner or manager certifying bull had no exposure to female cattle
- * Trichomoniasis exception – transient rodeo or exhibition bulls with no sexual contact with females and held in secure facility to prevent contact while in Oklahoma (does not include pasture), Buffalo are exempt
- * Trichomoniasis test must include Individual ID by official USDA eartag
- * Texas Longhorn breed, Zebu, Water Buffalo, Watusi, and Yak are considered beef cattle
- * Cattle that are pregnant or calf by their side (“pairs”) require Individual ID by official USDA eartag even if they are less than 18 months of age

Dairy Cattle Import Regulations

Michigan (Alcona, Alpena, Montmorency, and Oscoda)

Cattle to a RESTRICTED Feedlot (sexually intact):

Permit required + CVI + Individual ID by official USDA eartag + Original CVI accompanies animals at all times +
Removed from this location directly to Slaughter + No test requirements
(Restricted Feedlots = Cimarron/Texhoma, CRI/Guymon, All Hitch, Pride/Hooker, Wheeler Brothers/Watonga)

Cattle to a RESTRICTED Feedlot (steers/spayed heifers):

Permit required + CVI + Individual ID by official USDA eartag + Individual ID not required to be written on CVI +
Statement on CVI “all dairy steers/spayed heifers on this CVI have Individual ID by official USDA eartag +
Original CVI accompanies animals at all times + Removed from this location directly to Slaughter + No test requirements
(Restricted Feedlots = Cimarron/Texhoma, CRI/Guymon, All Hitch, Pride/Hooker, Wheeler Brothers/Watonga)

Steers/Spayed heifers to Grazing:

Permit required + CVI + Individual ID by official USDA eartag + Original CVI accompanies animals at all times +
Placed at a single location for grazing + Removed from this location directly to a Restricted Feedlot or directly to Slaughter

Cattle any purpose (all ages includes steers/spayed heifers/sexually intact):

Permit required + CVI + Individual ID by official USDA eartag + Negative TB test within 60 days prior to entry **AND**
Bulls 12 – 17 months of age need Virgin Bull affidavit or Negative Trichomoniasis test within 60 days and no exposure to female cattle after test
Bulls 18 months of age/older need Negative Trichomoniasis test within 60 days and no exposure to female cattle after test

All other States – except Michigan

(TB Free)

Steers/spayed heifers:

CVI + Individual ID by official USDA eartag + Individual ID not required to be written on CVI +
Statement on CVI “all dairy steers/spayed heifers on this CVI have Individual ID by official USDA eartag + No test requirements

Less than 5 months of age/sexually intact:

CVI + Individual ID by official USDA eartag + No test requirements

6 months and older/sexually intact:

CVI + Individual ID by official USDA eartag + Negative TB test within 60 days prior to entry **AND**
Bulls 12 – 17 months of age need Virgin Bull affidavit or Trichomoniasis test within 60 days and no exposure to female cattle after test
Bulls 18 months and older need Trichomoniasis test within 60 days and no exposure to female cattle after test

Canadian - Origin Cattle

Rodeo Bull:

Permit required + CVI + Individual ID by official USDA eartag + Canadian origin Brand or tattoo +
Negative TB test w/i 365 days prior to entry + VS 6-22 to accompany bull **AND**
Bulls 12 – 17 months of age need Virgin Bull affidavit or Trichomoniasis test within 60 days and no exposure to female cattle after test
Bulls 18 months and older need Trichomoniasis test within 60 days and no exposure to female cattle after test
(Rodeo Bull exempt from Trichomoniasis testing if traveling directly to an event and return to state of origin with no change in ownership)

Roping/Timed Event Cattle (Mexican origin and US origin, bulls, steers, and heifers used for roping, tie-down calves, bucking stock breeding cows):

Permit required + CVI + Individual ID by official USDA eartag + Canadian origin Brand or tattoo + Negative TB test within 365 days prior to entry
(tie-down calves exempt from permit and TB testing but must have Individual ID by official USDA eartag)

Show Cattle: CVI + Individual ID by official USDA eartag + Canadian origin Brand or tattoo

Beef Cattle:

Less than 18 months of age/sexually intact:

CVI + Individual ID not required + Canadian origin Brand or tattoo **AND**
Bulls 12 – 17 months of age need Trichomoniasis test within 60 days and no exposure to female cattle after test or Virgin Bull affidavit

18 months and older/sexually intact:

CVI + Individual ID by official USDA eartag + Canadian origin Brand or tattoo **AND**
Bulls 18 months and older need Trichomoniasis test within 60 days and no exposure to female cattle after test

Dairy Cattle:

Less than 5 months of age/sexually intact:

CVI + Individual ID by official USDA eartag + Canadian origin Brand or tattoo

6 months and older/sexually intact:

CVI + Individual ID by official USDA eartag + Canadian origin Brand or tattoo + Negative TB test within 60 days **AND**
Bulls 12 – 17 months of age need Virgin Bull affidavit or Trichomoniasis test within 60 days and no exposure to female cattle after test
Bulls 18 months and older need Trichomoniasis test within 60 days and no exposure to female cattle after test

Mexican - Origin Cattle

Grazing/Feeding only – Imported recently from Mexico, VS 17-30 TB test only

Permit required + CVI + VS Form 17-30 faxed to ODAFF (tags must not be removed from cattle) + TB testing information on CVI
Statement on CVI “Mexican Origin Cattle, Shall Not Be Diverted from Grazing/Feeding/Slaughter” + Premise of destination may be Quarantined

Used for Roping/Rodeo/Events – Imported recently from Mexico, VS 17-30 TB test only

Permit required + CVI + VS Form 17-30 faxed to ODAFF (tags must not be removed from cattle) + TB testing information on CVI
Individual Identification listed on CVI (all tags must be listed) + Statement on CVI “Mexican Origin Cattle”
Premise of destination shall be Quarantined until negative TB test 60-120 days after VS 17-30 test date + TB test required every 12 months

Swine Import Regulations

Sale/Show/Pet Swine: (considered Sale/Show/Pet Swine unless proof of commercial shipment) (includes miniature and pot-belly pigs)

All ages/All states:

*Must have Federal Premise ID Number to attend swine event in Oklahoma

Permit required + CVI issued w/i 30 days of entry + Individual ID by official USDA eartag + Negative Brucellosis and Pseudorabies test 30 days prior to entry **OR** Originate from a Validated/Qualified Herd (VQ Herd Number and last quarterly test date on CVI)

Commercial Production Swine:

Commercial Production Companies: Cargill, Hanor, Circle 4, Heritage, Hitch, Maschoff, Murphy, PM Farms, Seaboard, Thunderbird, Tyson, The Pork Group, Almosta Ranch, Ron Baker, James Brandt, Elk Creek, Randy Naylor, Randy Renbarger, Top Farm, Top Hog or listed on CAFO list

Permit required + CVI w/i 30 days of entry + Individual ID not required + No test requirements

If company has Oklahoma Commuter Herd Agreement: No permit + No CVI + No testing requirements (movement summary sent monthly)

Exotic and Feral Swine: prohibited, refer to staff veterinarian

Frequently Asked Questions

- * CVI = There shall be only one state of destination on a CVI.
There may be more than one destination city within the same state on a CVI.
- * Individual ID by official eartag = USDA tag, registered tattoo or registered brand (copy of registration papers accompany animal), microchip
Silver Brite Tag = Right Ear Brucellosis Vaccination Tag = Right Ear 840 Tag = Left Ear
- * Originate from TB Free Herd (Herd Accreditation Number and Date of last Herd Test on CVI) replaces Negative TB test within 60 days
- * Virgin Bull Affidavit – statement on CVI signed by owner or manager certifying bull had no potential breeding contact with females
- * Cattle with a previous positive Trichomoniasis test or originate from a positive herd – refer to staff veterinarian
- * Trichomoniasis exception – transient rodeo or exhibition bulls with no sexual contact with females and held in secure facility to prevent contact while in Oklahoma (does not include pasture), buffalo are also exempt
- * As of 7/10/09 all states are Cattle Brucellosis Free, Oklahoma Cattle Brucellosis Free in 2001
- * Texas Longhorn breed, Zebu, Water Buffalo, Watusi, and Yak are considered beef cattle

SLAUGHTER: CVI (w/i 30 days of entry) **OR** Bill of Lading/Way Bill (date, number/type of animals, owner, hauler, origin and destination)
Cattle or Swine or Poultry must be from farm of origin direct to slaughter with no diversion enroute

MARKET: CVI (w/i 30 days of entry) **OR** Bill of Lading/Way Bill (date, number/type of animals, owner, hauler, origin and destination)
Cattle or Swine must be from farm of origin direct to market with no diversion enroute

SEMEN (all species): No test requirements + No Permit requirements

Equine: (horses, donkeys, mules, zebras)

CVI w/i 30 days of entry + Negative Coggins test within 12 months (test results/ test date/ lab/ accession number on CVI)
(Original copy or photocopy of coggins test to accompany horse)
(Foals less than 6 months of age accompanied by their negative tested dam are exempt from test requirements)

OR

Approved current equine passport serves as CVI

Dogs, Cats and Ferrets: CVI w/i 30 days of entry + Rabies vaccination (vaccine used/ vaccination date on CVI)

Dogs, Cats, and Ferrets – 3 months and older must have Rabies vaccination w/i 12 months prior to entry,
3-year vaccines will be recognized if primary vaccination and subsequent boosters are documented on CVI

Sheep and Goats: CVI w/i 30 days of entry + Individual ID compliant with USDA Scrapie program.

* Individual ID by official eartag = USDA tag, RFID tag, microchip, breed registration tattoo (copy of registration papers accompany animal)

Chickens, Game Birds, Waterfowl and Turkeys:

Currently participate in NPIP (National Poultry Improvement Plan):
CVI or NPIP form 9-3

OR

Not currently participate in NPIP:

4 Months and older: CVI w/i 30 days of entry + Individual ID by leg/wing band + Negative Pullorum/Typhoid test within 30 days prior to entry
Less than 4 months age: too young for Pullorum/Typhoid test, shall originate from a current NPIP flock

OR

To SLAUGHTER: CVI (w/i 30 days of entry) **OR** Bill of Lading/Way Bill (date, number/type of animals, owner, hauler, origin and destination)
Poultry must be from farm of origin direct to slaughter with no diversion enroute

All Animals not listed, including Exotic Animals: refer to staff veterinarian