

General Livestock Health and Sanitary Regulation

The following regulations of the Board of Agriculture will govern admission of livestock. An official of the Animal Industry Services Division, Oklahoma Department of Agriculture will be present throughout the event and will check all health certificates. Verification of a Federal Premise Identification Number or Oklahoma State Premise Identification Number will be required for swine exhibitors. **An official health certificate dated within 30 days of entry to the fairgrounds must accompany all animals.** All health certificates must be validated by the Animal Industry Services representative, Oklahoma Department of Agriculture, before animals are given stall or pen space in the barns. The official health certificate shall be available at all times to the representatives of the Animal Industry Services Division. All out-of-state livestock must meet Oklahoma's import requirements.

SWINE:

All swine must be accompanied by an official health certificate that shows individual identification such as tattoo, ear notch, or ear tag, complete description of livestock as to age, sex, breed and a statement that they are free of external parasites, ringworm or warts, or any infectious, contagious, or communicable disease. **All swine health certificates must indicate a negative test for Pseudorabies and Brucellosis after December 1, 2011 for in-state swine, or originate from a Brucellosis Validated / Pseudorabies Qualified Negative Herd and be exhibited by the owner or immediate family member.**

All SWINE:

Effective June 24, 2009, The Oklahoma Department of Agriculture has mandated and requires that all swine show exhibitors in the state of Oklahoma have on record with the Animal Industry Services Division of Oklahoma Department of Agriculture a valid Federal Premise ID or Oklahoma State Premise Identification Number to compete at the Oklahoma Youth Expo. Official's of the Animal Industry Services Division of the Oklahoma Department of Agriculture will be present throughout the event and will check these documents. If you have questions or need to register for a Federal Premise Identification Number or an Oklahoma State Premise Identification Number you may contact the Oklahoma Department of Agriculture at (405) 522-6124.

SHEEP:

All sheep must be accompanied by an official health certificate issued within 30 days of arrival. The certificate must show the animal to be free of any infectious, contagious, or communicable disease and a statement indicating the animal to have been inspected and found free of scabies and other external parasites. **All** sheep must be individually identified with one of the following:

1. USDA tag
2. For animals not suitable for ear tagging, legible flank or tail-web tattoo is acceptable (tattoo must contain premise ID and individual animal number).
3. Scrapie Flock Certification Program tags.

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CATTLE:

All cattle must be accompanied by an official health certificate, 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, also must show the animals are free of external parasites, ringworms or warts, and any infectious, contagious or communicable disease.

GOAT:

All goats must be accompanied by an official health certificate issued within 30 days of arrival, and be free from communicable disease, external parasites, ringworm and warts. **All** goats must be identified with one of the following:

1. USDA tag
2. Official dairy goat registry tattoo (acceptable only if the animal is accompanied by a registration certificate)
3. For animals not suitable for ear tagging, legible flank or tail-web tattoo is acceptable (tattoo must contain premise ID and individual animal number).
4. Scrapie Flock Certification Program tags.

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