

All birds not meeting these age restrictions at the time of sampling must come from a flock in which all of the eligible birds in the flock (up to 300) have been test negative within the 30 days prior to the opening date of the exhibition.

Section 14: Pennsylvania Rabbits:

Requirements:

1. All animals must be free of infectious and contagious diseases.
2. **The following Animal Owner or Caretaker's Verification of Veterinary-Consultation Relationship (VCPR) statement for the animals being exhibited must be included with a signature line for the owner or caretaker on the fair registration form. "I attest and affirm that a veterinarian consultation relationship — as that phrase is defined in the Animal Exhibition Sanitation Law found at 3 PACSA 2501 et seq. and any amendments thereto— exists with regard to any animals I will be exhibiting. The name and phone number of the consulting veterinarian must be included on the entry form.**

Section 15: Out of State Rabbits:

Requirements:

1. A Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (CVI) issued within the 60 days prior to the date of importation is required.
2. All animals must be free of infectious and contagious diseases and a statement of this is required on the CVI (the statement is pre-printed on the CVI).

Section 16: Pennsylvania Sheep:

Requirements:

Individual official USDA scrapie animal identification is required. Official scrapie ID includes:

An official USDA scrapie eartag.

A USDA ear tag with a US Shield or

A legible tattoo with herd and individual identification recognized in an approved USDA Scrapie database

or

Sheep having a breed registration tattoo and accompanied by a registration certificate are exempt from the scrapie ID requirement if the tattoo is legible and a registration certificate (copy acceptable) or a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection which lists the tattoo and registry accompanies the animal at all times during transport from the premises of origin.

A Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (CVI) issued after May 1, 2017 required. (Tioga County Fair)

All animals must be free of infectious and contagious diseases and a statement of this is required on the CVI (the statement is pre-printed on the CVI).

A current rabies vaccination administered by a licensed veterinarian is required for animals 3 months of age and older (market sheep are exempt from this vaccination requirement). **(Rabies vaccination must be administered prior to July 24, 2017)**

Section 17: Out of State Sheep Requirements:

Requirements:

1. A Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (CVI) issued within the 30 days prior to entry into PA is required.
2. Vesicular Stomatitis (VS): (applies to states that experienced a Vesicular Stomatitis outbreak in the last 12 months). An accredited veterinarian shall determine whether the animals are free from VS, and animals shall be accompanied by a CVI with the following statement and signed by the accredited veterinarian: (All animals identified on this certificate of veterinary inspection have been examined and found to be free from VS. During the past 90 days, these animals were not located within 10 miles of a site where VS has been diagnosed.
3. All animals must be free of infectious and contagious diseases and a statement of this is required on the CVI (the statement is pre-printed on the CVI).
4. Individual official USDA scrapie animal identification is required. Official scrapie ID includes:
 - An official USDA scrapie eartag.
 - A USDA ear tag with a US Shield or
 - A legible tattoo with herd and individual identification recognized in an approved USDA Scrapie databaseor
 - Sheep having a breed registration tattoo and accompanied by a registration certificate are exempt from the scrapie ID requirement if the tattoo is legible and a registration certificate (copy acceptable) or a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection which lists the tattoo and registry accompanies the animal at all times during transport from the premises of birth.
4. A current rabies vaccination administered by a licensed veterinarian is required for animals 3 months of age and older (market sheep are exempt from this vaccination requirement). **(Rabies vaccination must be administered prior to July 24, 2017).**