

# WYOMING STATE FAIR and RODEO 2020 ANIMAL HEALTH REQUIREMENTS

Current Certificates of Veterinary Inspections are to be made available to office personnel for the youth or open show department superintendents for review as needed. This requirement includes all pets brought to the State Fair by exhibitors and/or guests. Certificates for pets accompanying guests may be reviewed by security and further examined by State Animal Health Officials.

No animal will be allowed to exhibit or compete at the Wyoming State Fair and Rodeo without a current Certificate of Veterinary Inspection, or meeting species requirements as outlined.

The Wyoming State Veterinarian or his designee may implement any special inspection or quarantine procedures that are believed necessary to prevent the spread of contagious and infectious disease to humans or to other animals. An animal showing symptoms of a contagious or infectious disease shall be placed under quarantine or not allowed on grounds or removed from State Fair Park at the discretion of the State Veterinarian. **The professional judgment of the State Veterinarian or a Deputy State Veterinarian will be the final deciding factor on all animals.**

Any exhibitor/animal not meeting these requirements of the Wyoming Livestock Board rules are subject to civil and/or criminal penalties.

The Wyoming State Fair Management Team reserves the right to develop, employ and enforce individual animal health inspections at any time. The Management Team, or Fair Advisors, will make this decision if they feel it is necessary for the health and/or well being of animals, public health, or other specific health concerns.

## **Out-of-State Origin Animal Import Requirements**

Import requirement information for out-of-state origin animals and entry permits may be obtained by calling the Wyoming Livestock Board at (307) 777-7515; <http://wlsb.state.wy.us>. Entry permits are required on bison, cattle, goats, sheep and swine.

## **ANIMAL HEALTH REQUIREMENTS**

### **Horses; Mules; Donkeys (Equine)**

**Wyoming Origin:** Certificate of Veterinary Inspection.

**Out-of-State Origin:** Certificate of veterinary health inspection issued within thirty (30) days prior to arrival and a negative Equine Infectious Anemia (EIA) (Coggins) test result, within the last twelve (12) months.

**NOTE:** The Wyoming State Veterinarian recommends that owners consider vaccinating all horses against Equine Herpes Virus ("Equine Rhinopneumonitis") if they will be used in exhibition events such as the Wyoming State Fair. Please consult with your local veterinarian regarding vaccination and other disease prevention techniques.

### **Cattle-Beef and Dairy (Bovine)**

**Wyoming Origin:** Certificate of Veterinary Inspection.

**Out-of-State Origin:** Certificate of veterinary health inspection issued within thirty (30) days prior to arrival, entry permit number and other vaccination and testing requirements as required by the Wyoming Livestock Board Chapter 8 Rules.

**All Rodeo Cattle are required to be tuberculosis (TB) tested negative within twelve (12) months prior to import.**

**All Dairy Cattle are required to be tuberculosis (TB) tested negative within sixty (60) days prior to import.**

### **Sheep (Ovine)**

**Wyoming Origin:** Certificate of Veterinary Inspection.

**All exhibition sheep must be identified with Approved USDA/APHIS Scrapie identification prior to arrival.**

**All market lambs to be slick shorn prior to arrival. Lambs must be uncovered (not blanketed) at the inspection.**

**Lambs/sheep with active ringworm lesions and/or with active lesions of trichophyton (club lamb fungus) will not be allowed on grounds or will be removed from the grounds, if discovered during the State Fair.**

**Out-of-State Origin:** Certificate of veterinary health inspection issued within thirty (30) days of arrival, entry permit number and a statement written on the certificate of veterinary health inspection stating "the animal(s) have been examined and are free of Foot Rot, Ring Worm and Scrapie is not known to exist in the flock of origin within the past five (5) years".

**All exhibition sheep must be identified with Approved USDA/APHIS Scrapie identification to arrival.**

Rams over six (6) months of age need a negative Brucella Ovis test within the prior thirty (30) days. Owners of rams originating from B. Ovis Free flock(s) call Wyoming State Veterinarian for requirements.

2020 Tail Docking Policy refer to Page 20, #34 of the 2020 WSF Premium Book.

**Rabbits:** All rabbits must be free of disease. All rabbits will be inspected upon arrival. Any rabbit showing signs of sickness or disease will not be allowed to enter the grounds. Each exhibitor is responsible for the health of their rabbits.

**Poultry/Fowl:** Certificate of Veterinary Inspection. Due to national disease concerns the youth poultry show will be under strict surveillance for 2020. Disease surveillance testing will be conducted by the WLSB and APHIS on poultry fowl being exhibited at the State Fair.

**Parrots (Psittacine):** Contact the Wyoming Game and Fish Department at (307) 777-4600

### **Goats (Caprine)**

**Wyoming Origin:** Certificate of Veterinary Inspection. **All exhibition market goats must be identified with USDA/APHIS Scrapie identification tags.** All exhibition breeding goats must be identified with a proper tattoo or eartag from a recognized association registry and have registration papers, in hand, if using a tattoo.

**Out-of-State Origin:** Certificate of veterinary health inspection issued within thirty (30) days of arrival.

**All exhibition market goats must be identified with USDA/APHIS Scrapie identification tags.** All exhibition breeding goats must be identified with a proper tattoo or eartag from a recognized association registry and have registration papers, in hand, if using a proper tattoo.

### **Swine (Porcine)**

**Wyoming Origin:** Certificate of Veterinary Inspection. If purchased from a Wyoming source, a bill of sale or similar statement from the seller must be presented in hand with the current Certificate of Veterinary Inspection issued for entry to the Wyoming State Fair prior to unloading and penning.

### **Swine (Porcine)**

**Out-of-State Origin:** All swine brought into Wyoming must have: (1) A prior import permit issued by the Wyoming Livestock Board and (2) Interstate certificate of veterinary health inspection with import permit issued at the point of origin (purchase point) prior to entry into Wyoming.

The certificate of veterinary health inspection must show:

(A) All swine must be individually identified (ear tags; proper ear notches; tattoos).

(B) Negative swine Brucellosis test within thirty (30) days of entry into Wyoming; exemption for swine from a Validated Free State and/or Brucellosis-Negative herd with Qualified herd number recorded on the certificate of veterinary health inspection.

(C) Negative Pseudorabies test, within thirty (30) days of entry; ex-

emption for swine from Pseudorabies Free (Stage V) State and/or Pseudorabies-Negative herd with qualified herd number recorded on the certificate of veterinary health inspection. Swine originating from lower than a Stage IV state, must be held in quarantine and retested within thirty (30) to sixty (60) days. Documentation showing a release of quarantine will be required. All out of state origin swine must meet the above requirements to exhibit at a county fair. Once the requirements have been met to exhibit at a county fair, the swine then become intrastate origin for the Wyoming State Fair.

**Alpacas/Llamas: Please refer to Chapter 8**

**Wyoming Origin:** Certificate of Veterinary Inspection.

**Out-of-State Origin:** Certificate of veterinary health inspection issued within thirty (30) days. Negative Brucellosis test within one hundred (100) days of entry from any state with less than Class Free Brucellosis Status. Negative Tuberculosis test required from any state with less than Tuberculosis Free Status within thirty (30) days prior to entry.

**Dogs and Cats:** All dogs and cats must be accompanied by a current Rabies vaccination certificate, stating that the animal has been vaccinated by a veterinarian in accordance with current recommendations of the Compendium of Animal Rabies Control as prepared by the National Association of State Public Health Veterinarians (NASPHV).

**Circus/Zoo Animals; Petting Zoo Animals:**

A certificate of veterinary health inspection issued within thirty (30) days on circus, exhibition and petting zoo animals entering Wyoming for limited periods of exhibition. Circus and exhibition animals must have a USDA/APHIS license number listed on the certificate of veterinary health inspection.

Bovine, Ovine and Porcine species need import permit. Camels fall under Llama/Alpaca requirements.

All sheep and goats in a petting zoo are subject to APHIS scrapie rules and must have proper scrapie identification.

**REMINDER:** These regulations, as written, are a condensed version of the Wyoming Livestock Board Regulations. Specific Wyoming Livestock Board Regulations will supercede the condensed Wyoming State Fair and Rodeo version if there is a dispute between the two. For further clarification and information, contact the **Wyoming Livestock Board** by calling (307) 777-7515; facsimile (307) 777-6561 or writing to Wyoming Livestock Board, 1934 Wyott Drive, Cheyenne, WY 82002-0051.

**Brand Inspection Requirements:**

A Brand Inspection is required on any Cattle, Horses and Sheep moving intrastate across a county line prior to entry. A Brand Inspection is also required on any Cattle, Horse and Sheep leaving the Wyoming State Fair and Rodeo moving intrastate across a county line or interstate leaving the State of Wyoming. Documents need to be presented for inspection at time of animal health check-in.

**A SPECIAL THANK YOU!**

To the dedicated individuals of the  
Wyoming Livestock Board,  
and State Veterinarian's Office  
who inspect thousands  
of animals during the  
2020 Wyoming State Fair  
to help keep Wyoming's Animal  
Agriculture healthy and safe.

## OPEN LIVESTOCK

Each interested open class livestock exhibitor is required to familiarize themselves regarding the General Policies and Procedures and abide by all Animal Health Requirements as outlined in this premium book prior to making application for entry.

By making application for entry, the individual(s) agree to abide by all departmental policies and procedures of the Wyoming State Fair.

### BEEF CATTLE DEPARTMENT 6

1. **Exhibitors are to read all General Policies & Procedures and Animal Health Requirements, as well as all special policies of this Department before making application for entry.**

2. **Each livestock exhibitor, handler or owner must purchase daily grounds admittance tickets or purchase an exhibitor season pass.**

Livestock Exhibitor's Season Pass for the Open Show is good for all five days of the State Fair.

Each exhibitor may purchase a maximum of four (4) season passes at \$10.00 each. Exhibitor's pass **is not** good for parking.

3. **PARKING: A Livestock Vehicle Parking Permit must be purchased for any vehicle to be parked on the Fairgrounds.** Livestock exhibitor parking permits, for on grounds parking, are to be purchased and ordered on the official entry form. Enter only at Pepsi Lot/Campground Gate. A livestock exhibitor parking permit will allow access on and off the Fairgrounds during the show. If you plan to park your tow vehicle in the free parking lot, a delivery/feed permit may be obtained at the accounting office or ordered on the official entry form, which will allow entry onto the grounds for unloading of livestock, tack and for daily feeding. However, note the delivery/feed permit is not a parking permit of any type.

**Livestock exhibitor parking permits are to be used in designated areas only. Parking in unauthorized areas will result in the vehicle being booted at the owner's expense and/or forfeiting of all premiums.**

**Livestock trailers will not be allowed to park on the grounds.** Trailers will be parked in the complimentary trailer parking area of Pepsi Public Parking Lot, directly south of Cowboy Gate, west of Brownfield Road. Exit the Fairgrounds at the North Gate. **No vehicles are to be parked along roadways or barn areas without the proper paid parking permit.**

4. No fees are charged for fitting chutes, but this privilege will be available only under supervision of Beef Show Management.

5. Cattle are required to be stalled in the Ford Pavilion from 9 A.M. until 7 P.M. each day unless released. **All cattle tied out must be in the barn by 9 a.m. This will be strictly enforced.**

**WELCOME  
BEEF CATTLE  
EXHIBITORS**