

Animal Health Requirements for Exhibition

(as simplified from TITLE 2 - Department of Agriculture - Division 30-Animal Health)

At the time of printing the following is the current set of guidelines for
The Missouri Animal Health Requirements for Exhibition.

As all animals showing in the Linn County Fair are to be in the member's possession and care by designated dates, health regulations across state lines do not apply.

Designated dates:

Beef Cattle:	Market	March 1	Breeding	June 1
Sheep:	Market	June 1	Breeding	June 1
Swine:	Market	May 1	Breeding Gilt	90 days
			Breeding Boars	Since farrowing
Dairy Cattle		June 1		
Dairy Goats		June 1	Market Goat	June 1
Dogs		April 1		
Horse		May 1		
Bucket Calf:		Born March 1 to May 15 of current year		
		In possession 2 weeks after birth		
Rabbit/Guinea Pigs	June 1	Meat Pen		5-10 weeks prior to show
Poultry	June 1	Meat Pen		8-10 weeks prior to show

HEALTH CERTIFICATES

- A. The term Health Certificate means a legible record made on an official form of the state which shows that the animal(s) listed meet the testing, vaccination, treatment and health requirements of the state. A health certificate must accompany all animals to be exhibited as stated below.
- B. Animals with active lesion of "ringworm" with resulting loss of hair or "warts" easily visible without close examination will not be permitted to exhibit.
- C. Animals with clinical signs of an infectious or contagious disease will not be permitted to exhibit.

CATTLE

1. A health certificate is **not** required.
2. Brucellosis: No test or vaccination is required.
3. Tuberculosis: No test is required

SWINE

1. No certificate of veterinary inspection is required
2. BRUCELLOSIS: No test or vaccination is required
3. PSEUDORABIES: No test is required.

HORSE

1. All equine to be exhibited must be free of clinical sign of an infectious or contagious disease.
2. All equine require proof of a negative Equine Infectious Anemia (EIA) test by means of the “Coggins” test within twelve (12) months prior to exhibition.

DOG

1. All dogs must have their vaccination records up to date.

POULTRY

1. All poultry animals must be test pullorum-typhoid tested negative just prior to exhibition.

SHEEP

1. Sheep must be free of clinical signs of an infectious or contagious disease
2. All sheep, including wethers, must be accompanied by a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection or a paper copy of an electronic Certificate of Veterinary Inspection showing official identification (ear tag electronic implant or registration tattoo) as defined in Part 79 of the Code of Federal Regulations. If electronic implants are used for identification, owner/manager must provide electronic implant reader.

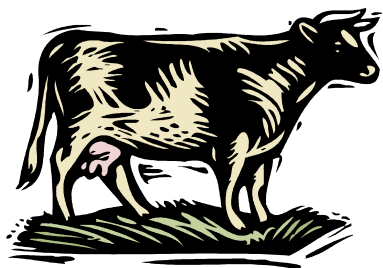
GOAT

1. Goats must be free of clinical signs of an infectious or contagious disease.
2. All goats, including wethers, must be accompanied by a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection or a paper copy of an electronic Certificate of Veterinary Inspection showing official identification (ear tag, electronic implant or registration tattoo) as defined in Part 79 of the Code of Federal regulations. If electronic implants are used for identification, owner/manager must provide electronic implant reader.

RABBIT/GUINEA PIGS

1. Rabbits/Guinea Pigs must be free of clinical signs of an infectious or contagious disease.

Any animal showing clinical signs of an infectious or contagious disease will be required to leave the fairgrounds by the request of the show chairman or the Fair Board.



DAIRY SHOW

Health requirements are the same as beef.

Breeds to choose from: Holstein, Jersey, Guensey, Ayrshire, Other (breeds not previously listed)

- 351 Junior Heifer Calf - born after Feb 28 current year
- 352 Intermediate Heifer Calf - born after Dec 1 past year & before Feb 28 current year
- 353 Senior Heifer Calf - born after Sept 1 past year & before Nov 30 past year
- 354 Summer Heifer Calf - born after June 1 past year & before Aug 31 past year
- 355 Junior Yearling Heifer - (Not in Milk)-born after Mar 1 past year & before May 31 past year
- 356 Senior Yearling Heifer - (Not in Milk)-born after Sept 1 two years ago & before Feb 28 past year
- 357 Two Year Old Cow - born after Aug 1 three years ago & before Aug 1 two years ago
- 358 Three Year Old Cow - born after Aug 1 four years ago & before Aug 1 three years ago
- 359 Four Year Old Cow - born after Aug 1 five years ago & before Aug 1 four years ago
- 360 Aged Cow - Five Year Old and Over. Born before Aug 1 five years ago
- 361 Dam & Daughter Pair - 2 of any age
- 362 Showmanship

Registration papers must show that member owned the animal on or before June 1. See General Rules and Regulations for additional information.

Showmanship will include all member ages (8-18) in the same class. One must not compete for two years after winning Dairy Showmanship before competing again.

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