Deputy State Veterinarian Seminar

Montana Department of Livestock

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Montana Department of Livestock

Governed by a Governor appointed Board defined in statute and comprised of 7 members: 1 each of dairy, sheep, swine and 4 beef producers.

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MDOL Divisions

- Diagnostic Laboratory in Bozeman
  - AAVLD Certified
  - NAHLN member
- Brands Enforcement Division
  - Brand inspection required on cattle, horses, & sheep to cross county lines
  - 3 Animal health/Brand investigators-Law enforcement
  - 18 district investigators-Law enforcement
  - 13 Markets +/- Law enforcement
- Meat, Milk and Egg Bureau
  - Licenses producers of milk and eggs
  - Meat inspection of State licensed plants

Animal Health Division

- Import regulations
- Disease reporting
- Disease control programs
- Alternative Livestock Program
- Foreign Animal Disease Emergency Preparedness
- Special Permitting and Programs:
  - Trichomoniasis certified feedlots
  - Border grazing
  - B. ovis certified flocks
  - 6 month equine passport
  - Annual horse permit
  - Biologics

32.3.138 DEPUTY STATE VETERINARIAN

- DEFINITIONS
  2) "Deputy State Veterinarian" means a veterinarian licensed in the state of Montana and deputized to perform state functions pursuant to ARM 32.3.139 of this subchapter who does not receive a salary or compensation from the department or USDA.

32.3.139 APPOINTMENT

- The department is authorized to deputize a veterinarian when it determines that such veterinarian:
  - Is licensed to practice veterinary medicine in Montana without restriction;
  - Has made formal application for deputization upon forms provided by the department;
  - Has been recommended by the state veterinarian and has attended the department deputy state veterinarian training; and
  - Has been accredited by USDA pursuant to 9 CFR, Chapter 1, Part 161; and
  - Follows the current Montana Deputy State Veterinarian Policy and Procedures Handbook.

32.3.140 DUTIES

- Quarantine in writing all animals exposed to a quarantinable disease upon suspicion of diagnosis in the absence of, or on the order of the state veterinarian. Immediate notification of quarantine must be made to the Montana State Veterinarian's office by phone, fax, or mail;
- Report immediately all cases of quarantinable diseases (ARM 32.3.104 and 32.3.105) to the state veterinarian in Helena, by telephone or fax;
- Release quarantine upon the direction of the state veterinarian and ARM 32.3.106 through 32.3.108;

32.3.140 DUTIES (cont.)

d) Be responsible for proper use of all official certificates, forms, records, reports, tags, or other official identification used in the work as a deputy state veterinarian and take proper precautions to prevent misuse thereof;

e) Immediately report the loss, theft, deliberate or accidental misuse of any official document or materials as listed above in (1)(d), and must keep these materials in only his/her custody prior to official use;

f) File a monthly form regarding other reportable diseases;

g) Mail weekly, all required inspection forms, test charts, certificates of veterinary inspection, and vaccination certificates made during the week.

Duties of a Deputy State Veterinarian

- Mail weekly all interstate certificates of veterinary inspection (ICVI)'s, test charts, inspection forms and vaccination certificates.
  - CFR 86.5 (b)(1) … the accredited veterinarian issuing an ICVI must forward a copy of the ICVI or other documentation to the state animal health official of the state of origin within 7 calendar days of the date of issuance.
  - CFR 86.5 (b)(2) … must keep a copy of the ICVI or alternate documentation…
    - For poultry and swine, for at least 2 years
    - For cattle and bison, sheep and goats, cervids, and equines; for at least 5 years.

Deputy State Veterinarian

- First line of defense against emerging & foreign animal diseases (FAD)
  - This includes both federal and state disease programs.
- Primary role in keeping US animals healthy and maximizing production, while insuring quality animal care.
  - Biosecurity
- One Health - health official for zoonotic diseases
- Public Education

A Right or a Privilege?

- Not all licensed veterinarians are deputized.
- Non deputized veterinarians cannot
  - Issue interstate certificates of veterinary inspection or use other MDOL official forms.
  - Perform official trichomoniasis testing.
  - Quarantine animals within the state of Montana.
- Deputization can be revoked.

32.3.141 REVOCATION OR SUSPENSION

- A deputy state veterinarian may have his/her appointment revoked by any of the following:
  a) Voluntarily surrendered; or
  b) Becoming ineligible because of revocation or suspension of Montana veterinary license or USDA accreditation; or
  c) Revoked or suspended by the department for cause, by violating ARM or established policy and/or procedures.

- Re-appointment is NOT obligatory

Disease Reporting

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81-2-107 Duty to Report

- A person, including the owner or custodian, who has reason to suspect the existence of a dangerous, infectious, contagious, or communicable disease in livestock or the presence of animals exposed to the disease in this state shall immediately give notice to the department.

Diseases requiring IMMEDIATE reporting!

May be reported to either the state or federal office.

A verbal quarantine should be placed on premises.

Montana Reportable Animal Diseases

MCA 81-2-107 Duty to Report Contagious Disease "A person, including the owner or custodian, who has reason to suspect the existence of a dangerous, infections, contagious, or communicable disease in livestock or the presence of animals exposed to the disease in this state shall immediately give notice to the department."

IMMEDIATELY NOTIFY STATE AND FEDERAL OFFICIALS and QUARANTINE:

ARM 32.3.104 Diseases or conditions requiring reporting and quarantine.

- Acute swine erysipelas
- African horse sickness
- African swine fever
- Avian influenza (**High pathogenic***, or Low pathogenic)
- Bovine babesiosis
- **Bovine spongiform encephalopathy***
- **Brucellosis*** (*Brucella abortus, B. melitenses, B. suis, B. canis*)
- Cattle fever tick (*Boophilus annulatus, B. microplus*)
- Chronic wasting disease
- Classical swine fever (Hog cholera)
- Contagious bovine pleuropneumonia (*Mycoplasma mycoides mycoides*)
- Contagious equine metritis
- Dourine (*Trypanosoma equiperdum*)
- **Equine encephalomyelitis* (EEE, WEE, VEE)**
- Equine infectious anemia
- Equine piroplasmosis
- **Exotic Newcastle disease***
- Foot and mouth disease
- Fowl typhoid (*Salmonella gallinarum*)
- **Glanders** (*Burkholderia mallei*)*
- Heartwater (*Cowdria ruminantium*)
- **Japanese encephalitis***
- Lumpy skin disease
- Malignant catarrhal fever
- Mange** (*Psoroptes ovis*, *Sarcoptes scabiei** or *Chorioptes sp.*)
- Nairobi sheep disease
- New and Old World Screwworm
- **Nipah virus encephalitis***
- Peste des petits ruminants
- Pseudorabies (Aujeszky's disease)
- Rabbit hemorrhagic disease
- **Rift Valley fever***
- Rinderpest
- Scrapie
- Sheep pox and goat pox
- Surra (*Trypanosoma evansi*)
- Swine influenza (H1N1)
- Swine vesicular disease
- Trypanosomosis (Tse-tse borne)
- **Tuberculosis*** (*Mycobacterium bovis*)
- Vesicular exanthema
- Vesicular stomatitis
- Viral hemorrhagic septicemia

***Zoonotic disease**

****Only Psoroptes mange is quarantinable**

IMMEDIATELY NOTIFY STATE OFFICIALS and QUARANTINE:

(These diseases are not Federally reportable)

ARM 32.3.104 Diseases or conditions requiring reporting and quarantine.

- **Anthrax***
- Bluetongue
- Contagious agalactia (*Mycoplasma spp*)
- Contagious caprine pleuropneumonia
- Contagious foot rot
- Crimean Congo hemorrhagic fever
- Equine viral arteritis
- Equine rhinopneumonitis, neurologic form (EHV-1)
- Ovine pediculosis
- **Plague*** (*Yersinia pestis*)
- Pullorum disease (*S. pullorum*)
- **Q-Fever*** (*Coxiella burnettii*)
- **Rabies***
- Theileriosis
- Trichomonosis
- **Tularemia***
- **West Nile virus***

***Zoonotic disease**

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Phone: 406-449-2220
FAX: 406-449-5439

Dr. Thomas F.T. Linfield, AVIC

(revised 1/24/2011)

Quarantine

As a DSV you have quarantine authority in MT.

Quarantine can be either verbal or written.

Quarantine information must be relayed to MDOL.

Pending the result of diagnostic testing, MDOL may issue a formal quarantine from our office.

STATE OF MONTANA
DEPARTMENT OF LIVESTOCK
Animal Health Division
PO Box 202001
Helena, MT 59620-2001
Ph (406) 444-2043 FAX (406) 444-1929

ORIGINAL – To Owner
XXXXXXX

ORDER of QUARANTINE

Please print or type legibly

NAME: _____ PHONE: _____
ADDRESS: _____ CELL PHONE: _____
_____ FAX NUMBER: _____
CITY, STATE, ZIP: _____ COUNTY: _____
PHYSICAL LOCATION: _____ PREMISE ID NUMBER: _____

You are hereby notified that _____ in your possession (are / may be) affected with or exposed to _____. By authority vested in me by Title 81, Chapters 2 and 20, Montana Codes Annotated, I hereby quarantine all of said animals which are more particularly described as follows:

No.	Specie	Sex	Age	Color	Breed	Additional Identification

I hereby quarantine the following described premise(s):
GPS COORDINATES: _____

Until further notice, these animals should not be removed from the quarantined premises until this order is modified or vacated or until removal has been authorized by a representative of the Department of Livestock, Animal Health Division. Issued in accordance with the Administrative Rules of Montana 32.3.__ at _____ _____, Montana, this _____ day of _____, 20____.

_____
Authorized Quarantine Agent Signature

(06/2010) FORM SV-8

Diseases requiring MONTHLY reporting

Please report to state office by phone, fax, or email.

Montana Reportable Animal Diseases

Report to STATE Officials within 30 days:

MULTIPLE SPECIES:
- **Campylobacteriosis***
- **Cryptosporidiosis***
- **Echinococcosis/hydatidosis***
- Heartworm
- **Leishmaniasis***
- **Leptospirosis***
- **Listeriosis**
- Paratuberculosis (Johne's Disease)
- **Salmonellosis***
- **Trichinellosis***

CATTLE/BISON:
- Bovine anaplasmosis
- **Bovine cysticercosis***
- Bovine genital campylobacteriosis
- Bovine viral diarrhea
- Dermatophilosis (*Dermatophilus congolensis*)
- Enzootic bovine leukosis
- Hemorrhagic septicemia (*Pasteurella multocida*)
- Infectious bovine rhinotracheitis/ infectious pustular vulvovaginitis

EQUINE:
- Epizootic lymphangitis
- Equine rhinopneumonitis
- Equine influenza
- Horse mange
- Horse pox
- Potomac Horse Fever

SHEEP/GOATS:
- Caprine arthritis/encephalitis
- Enzootic abortion of ewes (Ovine chlamydiosis)
- Ovine epididymitis (*Brucella ovis*)
- Ovine progressive pneumonia/Maedi-Visna
- Ovine pulmonary adenomatosis
- Salmonellosis (*S. abortosovis*)

SWINE:
- Atrophic rhinitis of swine
- **Porcine cysticercosis* (*Cysticercus cellulosae*)**
- Porcine reproductive and respiratory syndrome
- Transmissible gastroenteritis

AVIAN/POULTRY:
- **Avian chlamydiosis* (Psittacosis)**
- Avian infectious bronchitis
- Avian infectious laryngotracheitis
- Avian mycoplasmosis (*M. gallisepticum, M. synoviae*)
- Duck virus enteritis
- Duck virus hepatitis
- Fowl cholera
- Infectious bursal disease (Gumboro disease)
- Marek's disease
- Turkey rhinotracheitis (Avian pneumovirus)

LAGOMORPHS:
- Myxomatosis

AQUACULTURE:
- Epizootic hematopoietic necrosis
- Epizootic ulcerative syndrome
- Gyrocactylosis
- Infectious hematopoietic necrosis
- Infectious salmon anemia
- Koi herpesvirus disease
- Oncorhynchus masou virus disease
- Red Sea bream iridoviral disease
- Spring viremia of carp

***Zoonotic disease**

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In the Past 12 months…

- Brucellosis
- Johne's
- Trichomoniasis
- Q-Fever
- West Nile Virus
- Rabies
- Equine Herpes Virus – 1
- OPP
- Infectious Laryngotracheitis
- Equine Influenza Virus

Rabies

Montana law references the Compendium of Animal Rabies Prevention and Control (2011).

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Vaccination

- No state law requiring rabies vaccination
- Vaccination requirements are set by city and county ordinances.
- Vaccination certificates should be consistent with the vaccine label

RABIES VACCINATION CERTIFICATE
NASPHV FORM 51 (revised 2007)

RABIES TAG #
MICROCHIP #

Owner's Name & Address Print Clearly

LAST FIRST M.I. TELEPHONE #

NO. STREET CITY STATE ZIP

SPECIES
Dog ☐
Cat ☐
Ferret ☐
Other: ☐ _____ (specify)

AGE
_____ Months ☐
_____ Years ☐

SEX ☐ Male ☐ Female ☐ Neutered

SIZE
Under 20 lbs. ☐
20 - 50 lbs. ☐
Over 50 lbs. ☐

PREDOMINENT BREED

PREDOMINANT COLORS/MARKINGS

ANIMAL NAME

Animal Control License ☐ 1 Yr ☐ 3 Yr ☐ Other _____

DATE VACCINATED
_____
Month / Day / Year

Product Name:

Manufacturer: (First 3 letters) ☐☐☐

☐ 1 Yr USDA Licensed Vaccine
☐ 3 Yr USDA Licensed Vaccine
☐ 4 Yr USDA Licensed Vaccine

NEXT VACCINATION DUE BY:
_____
Month / Day / Year

☐ Initial dose ☐ Booster dose

_____
Vaccine Serial (lot) Number

Veterinarian's Name:

License Number:

Veterinarian's Signature

Address:

Human Exposure

- MDOL and DPHHS will work with the individual, the local veterinarian, animal control and local public health officials to determine case management.
- Human bitten by animal:
  - Contact animal control and public health
  - 10 day quarantine at veterinary clinic or animal shelter regardless of vaccination status
  - Do not euthanize animal without permission & without testing!

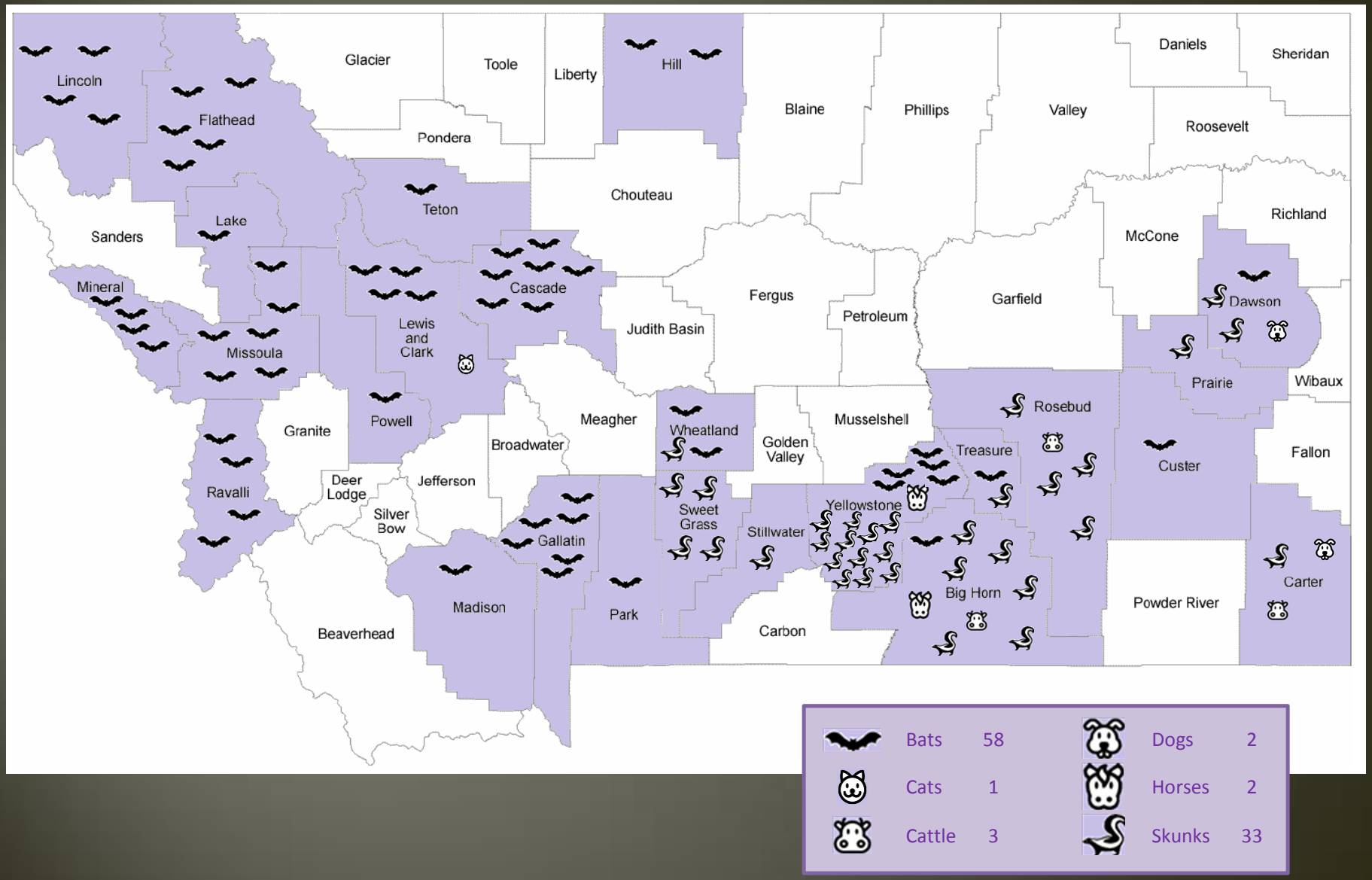
Animal Exposure

Exposure	Pet Vaccination Status	Quarantine or Observation	Length
Positive	Non-vaccinate or past due	Quarantine – or EUTHANASIA	180 day
Positive	Vaccinate	Observation	45 day
Unsuitable	Non-vaccinate or past due	Quarantine	180 day
Unsuitable	Vaccinate	Observation	45 day
Unknown - Wild	Non-vaccinate or past due	Quarantine	180 day
Unknown - Wild	Vaccinate	Observation	45 day
Unknown - Domestic	Non-vaccinate or past due	Case-by-case basis	
Unknown - Domestic	Vaccinate	Case-by-case basis	
If the POSITIVE TESTED animal is terrestrial, a 60 day county quarantine must be issued.			

Positive Cases

- 2013 – 9 positive cases in 5 counties
  - Custer, Rosebud, Carter (Powder River), Mineral, Fallon
  - 8 skunks, 1 bat
- 2012 – 25 positive cases in 14 counties
  - Big Horn, Carter, Cascade, Custer, Dawson, Flathead, Gallatin, Lake, Lincoln, Mineral, Missoula, Rosebud, Wheatland, and Yellowstone
  - 15 bats, 7 skunks, 1 canine, 1 equine, 1 bovine
- 2011 – 17 positive cases in 9 counties
  - Big Horn, Custer, Flathead, Gallatin, Lincoln, Ravalli, Rosebud, Treasure, and Yellowstone
  - 9 skunks, 6 bats, 2 bovine
- 2010 – 17 positive cases in 9 counties
  - Big Horn, Cascade, Gallatin, Lewis & Clark, Missoula, Rosebud, Teton, Treasure, and Yellowstone
  - 3 skunks, 13 bats, 1 equine

2008 – 2012 MT Rabies Distribution by Species



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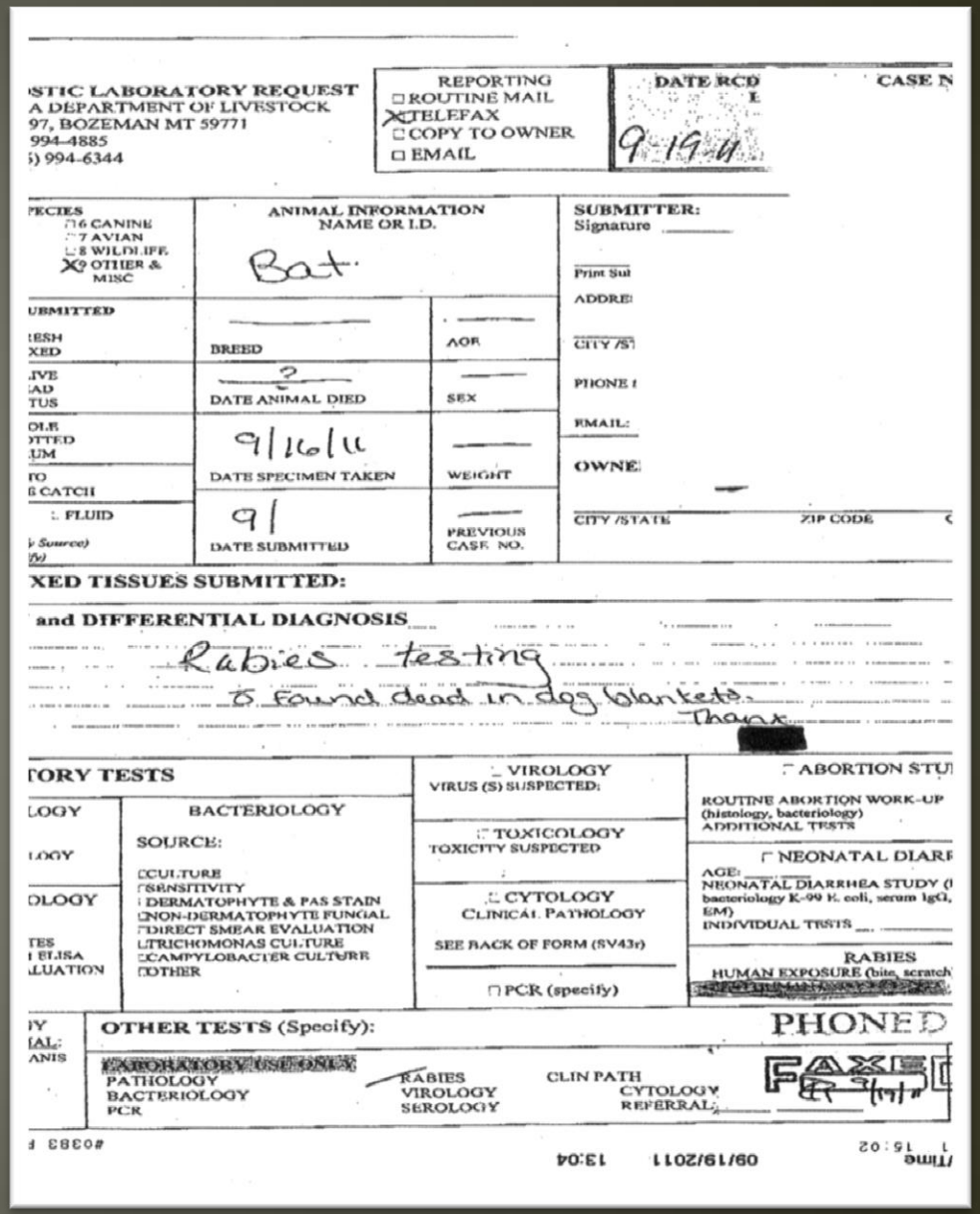

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A DEPARTMENT OF LIVESTOCK
97, BOZEMAN MT 59771
994-4885
) 994-6344

REPORTING
☐ ROUTINE MAIL
☒ TELEFAX
☐ COPY TO OWNER
☐ EMAIL

DATE RCD 9-19-11

CASE N

PECIES
☐ 6 CANINE
☐ 7 AVIAN
☐ 8 WILDLIFE
☒ 9 OTHER & MISC

ANIMAL INFORMATION
NAME OR I.D.
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☐ DIRECT SMEAR EVALUATION
☐ TRICHOMONAS CULTURE
☐ CAMPYLOBACTER CULTURE
☐ OTHER

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VIRUS (S) SUSPECTED:
☐ TOXICOLOGY
TOXICITY SUSPECTED
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CLINICAL PATHOLOGY
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☐ PCR (specify)

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ROUTINE ABORTION WORK-UP (histology, bacteriology)
ADDITIONAL TESTS
☐ NEONATAL DIARR
AGE:
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bacteriology K-99 E. coli, serum IgG,
EM)
INDIVIDUAL TESTS
RABIES
HUMAN EXPOSURE (bite, scratch
[redacted]

OTHER TESTS (Specify):
PHONED
LABORATORY USE ONLY
PATHOLOGY
BACTERIOLOGY
PCR
RABIES
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REFERRAL
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Rabies Cumulative Data (1998 – 2012)

Cummulative Montana Rabies Testing Data																		
				CATS	CATS		DOGS	DOGS		POSITIVE LIVESTOCK:			BATS	BATS		SKUNKS	SKUNKS	
YEAR	POSITIVE	TESTS	% Pos	POS	TESTED	% Pos	POS	TESTED	% Pos	CATTLE	HORSES	OTHER	POS	TESTED	% Pos	POS	TESTED	% Pos
1998	66	1057	6.2%	1	247	0.4%	2	333	0.6%	1	2	1 PIG	21	272	7.7%	38	104	36.5%
1999	64	977	6.6%	1	274	0.4%	3	226	1.3%	0	0	2 PIGS	14	204	6.9%	44	94	46.8%
2000	65	971	6.7%	2	250	0.8%	1	204	0.5%	1	0	0	23	255	9.0%	38	90	42.2%
2001	36	775	4.6%	0	231	0.0%	1	199	0.5%	3	1	0	14	147	9.5%	17	56	30.4%
2002	22	642	3.4%	2	188	1.1%	0	158	0.0%	1	0	0	10	133	7.5%	9	39	23.1%
2003	22	572	3.8%	0	177	0.0%	0	165	0.0%	0	0	0	11	94	11.7%	11	34	32.4%
2004	26	585	4.4%	1	158	0.6%	0	167	0.0%	0	2	0	15	144	10.4%	8	25	32.0%
2005	15	520	2.9%	0	120	0.0%	0	119	0.0%	0	0	0	13	109	11.9%	2	15	13.3%
2006	16	480	3.3%	0	147	0.0%	0	126	0.0%	0	1	0	10	115	8.7%	5	22	22.7%
2007	22	553	4.0%	0	166	0.0%	2	159	1.3%	0	0	1-LAMB	13	146	8.9%	6	23	26.1%
2008	14	451	3.1%	0	123	0.0%	1	136	0.7%	0	0	0	11	88	12.5%	2	18	11.1%
2009	26	463	5.6%	1	149	0.7%	0	106	0.0%	0	0	0	10	136	7.4%	15	26	57.7%
2010	17	486	3.5%	0	123	0.0%	0	151	0.0%	0	1	0	13	141	9.2%	3	20	15.0%
2011	17	420	4.0%	0	115	0.0%	0	123	0.0%	2	0	0	9	89	10.1%	6	18	33.3%
2012	25	447	5.6%	0	93	0.0%	1	100	1.0%	1	1	0	15	134	11.2%	7	29	24.1%

Positive Cases

- Counties are quarantined for 60 days following diagnosis of terrestrial rabies.
  - All dogs, cats and ferrets must be current vaccinates to leave county.
  - Animals who have received their first rabies vaccination must wait 14 days before traveling.

County	Positive Species	Effective Date	Release Date*
Rosebud	Skunk	Apr 25, 2013	Jun 24, 2013
Fallon	Skunk	Jun 7, 2013	Aug 6, 2013

Anthrax

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Anthrax in MT

- 2008 and 2010:
  - Gallatin County
- 2007 :
  - Sheridan County
- 1985, 1999, 2005:
  - Roosevelt County
- Vaccination of animals in high risk areas is recommended.
  - Requires prior approval from MDOL.

West Nile Virus

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2012

MT CASE #	DATE	COUNTY	AGE	SEX	BREED	OUTCOME	VACCINATION STATUS
1	8/17	Carbon	UNK	UNK	UNK	Euthanized	N/V
2	8/21	Powder River	2Y	M/C	QH	Euthanized	N/V
3	8/29	Yellowstone	3Y	F	QH	Alive	N/V
4	8/21	Yellowstone	20Y	M/C	QH	Euthanized	N/V
5	9/07	Richland	3Y	M	QH	Euthanized	N/V
6	9/07	Cascade	5Y	M/C	QH	DIED	N/V
7	9/14	Powder River	3Y	F	Grade	Alive	2009

Brucellosis

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32.3.433 DESIGNATED SURVEILLANCE AREA

- (1) The designated surveillance area (DSA) of Montana is described as:

  (a) Park County– south of Interstate 90;

  (b) Gallatin County – south of Interstate 90 from Park-Gallatin County line to Bozeman, then south of Highway 84 from Bozeman to Gallatin-Madison County line;

  (c) Madison County – south of Highway 84 from Gallatin-Madison County line to Norris, then east of U.S. Highway 287 from Norris to Ennis, then south of State Highway 287 from Ennis to Alder, then east of State Rd. 357 (Upper Ruby Road) to Sweetwater Road, then south of Sweetwater Road to the Madison-Beaverhead County line; and

  (d) Beaverhead County – from Madison-Beaverhead County line, south of Sweetwater Road to East Bench Road near Dillon, then south of East Canal Bench Road to White Lane, then South of White lane to_Blacktail Road, then South of Blacktail Road to Highway 91, then West of Highway 91 to Interstate 15 business loop, then South of Interstate 15 business loop to Interstate 15, then East of Interstate 15_to the Montana/Idaho border.

2012 Brucellosis Designated Surveillance Area (DSA)

Map created by Montana Fish, Wildlife & Parks

DSA digitized from description provided by the Montana Department of Livestock:
http://liv.mt.gov/brucellosis/default.mcpx

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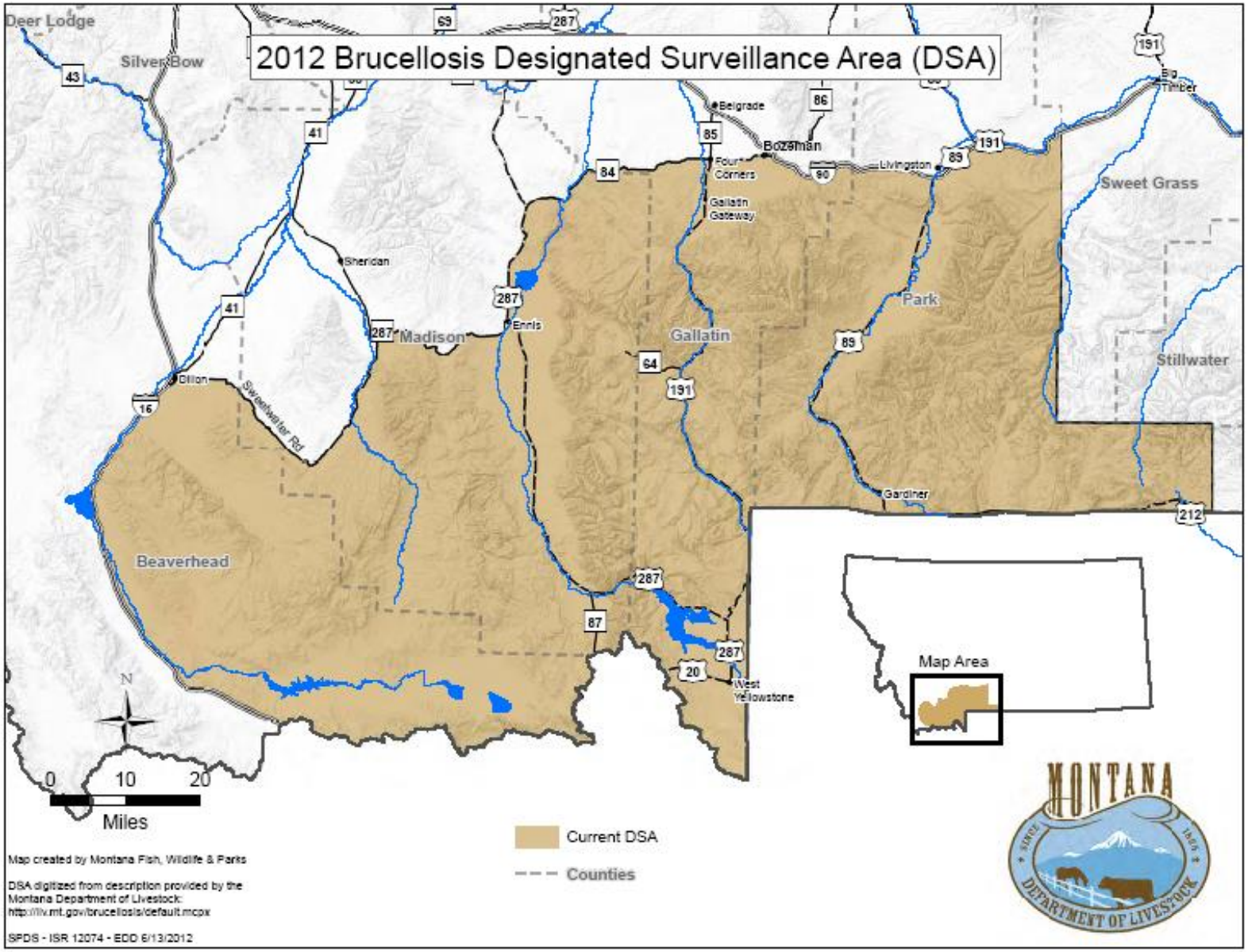
2012 Brucellosis Designated Surveillance Area (DSA)
Deer Lodge
Silver Bow
Madison
Gallatin
Park
Sweet Grass
Stillwater
Beaverhead
Belgrade
Bozeman
Four Corners
Gallatin Gateway
Livingston
Big Timber
Sheridan
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32.3.435 TESTING WITHIN THE DSA

1. ALL test eligible animals that are or have been within the DSA:
   a) A test within 30 days prior to movement out of the DSA or change of ownership, unless going to an approved Montana livestock market or directly to a slaughter.
2. A test July 16 or after is acceptable for movement out of the DSA or change of ownership through February 15 of the following year.

32.3.436 VACCINATION WITHIN THE COUNTIES IN WHICH THE DSA IS LOCATED

- Within the entirety of counties in which the DSA is located all sexually intact female cattle and domestic bison that are four months of age or older as of January 1 of any year must be Official Calfhood Vaccinates (OCV).

Tattoo plier options: Double hinge and Single hinge

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Tattoo

- Calfhood Vaccination
  - R
  - Veterinary shield
  - Last digit of year of vaccination
- Adult Vaccination
  - R
  - AV
  - Last digit of year of vaccination

Tattoo Ink

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Prep ear by wiping away the ear wax.

Apply a pad of ink.

Stamp through the pad of ink.

Brush the ink into the holes.

Apply bangs tag with ¼ in. growing room.

RFID tag application must allow for growth in thickness of ear.

32.3.434 ANIMAL IDENTIFICATION WITHIN THE DSA

- All sexually intact cattle and domestic bison leaving the DSA must be identified with official individual identification.
- Additionally, three states, Nebraska, Colorado and South Dakota, have adopted identification requirements. Each state requires that all sexually intact cattle and bison that have been within the DSA at any time, regardless of age are officially individually identified.

Trichomoniasis

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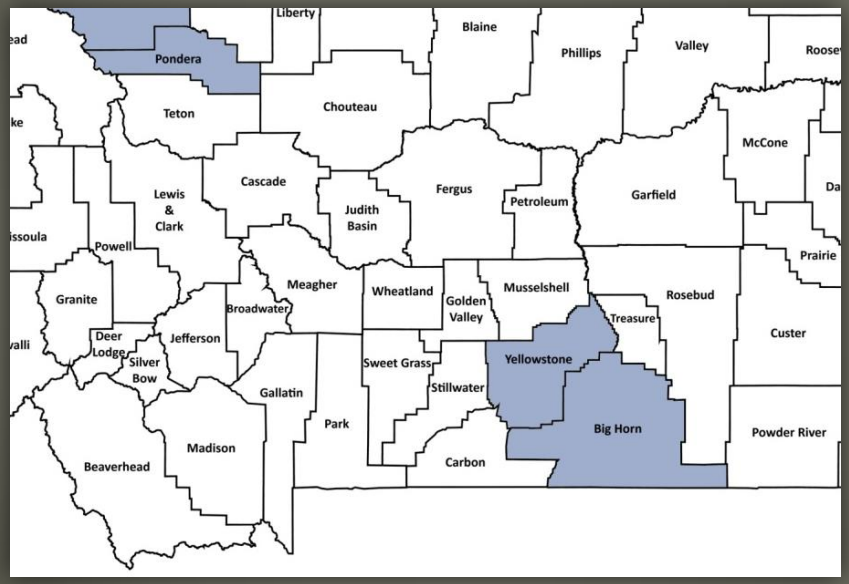
Trichomoniasis in MT:

- Significant economic losses
- In response to industry request, MDOL and the Board of Livestock developed a program in 2007
- Reportable and Quarantinable
- Program outlines:
  - Testing requirements
  - Management of positive animals and herds
  - Import requirements
  - Penalties
- Program revisions in 2009, 2010, 2011, 2013 (in progress)

Trichomoniasis Epizootic Area (EA)



- The Trich EA is comprised of the entirety of Glacier, Pondera, Yellowstone, and Big Horn Counties.
- Test requirements for animals within the EA include:
- All non-virgin bulls sold, loaned, or leased within or from the EA will require a negative official trich test.
- All non-virgin bulls inspected out of the EA, including animals for change of pasture.

Statewide Test Requirements:

- Non-virgin bulls from multiple sources going to a common pasture for breeding
  - Exception: Herds with an approved herd health plan on file with MDOL. Herd health plan must include best management practices, a base line negative test of all non virgin bulls grazing in common, and a negative test of all newly acquired non-virgin bulls.
- Non-virgin bulls imported into Montana.
  - Exceptions: Sporting bovine, CAN origin exhibition, animals imported into CSS certified Bull Semen Collection facilities.

Virgin Bull:

- <12 months of age
- 12-24 months of age with an owner signed affidavit of virginity

- If you are testing bulls for out of state movement, please check state of destination requirements!

Official Testing:

- Testing performed on preputial scraping
- 3 negative weekly cultures
  - 95% sensitivity
  - NOT Specific for T. foetus
  - Industry standard for years
- PCR (DNA test)
  - Specific for T. foetus
  - 97% sensitive and specific if sample is properly collected on positive samples.
  - Pooling of samples is now acceptable except for:
    - Known positive herds
    - Epidemiological investigation testing
    - Some interstate movements

Official Testing:

- Veterinary Testing Protocol
  - http://www.vet.k-state.edu/depts/dmp/service/news.htm

Official Testing:

- Trichomoniasis certified veterinarian ONLY
- Minimum 2 weeks sexual rest prior to test.
- Minimum 1 week interval between multiple tests.
- Test good for 60 days or immediately upon commingling with female cattle
- Must be performed at an AAVLD accredited laboratory.
- Preferred labs for PCR testing include:
  - MDOL Veterinary Diagnostic Lab
  - CSU Veterinary Diagnostic Lab
  - Wyoming State Veterinary Lab

Trich Positive Bulls:

- Culture positive animals must be confirmed by PCR
- Positive test results must be reported to MDOL within 24 hours.
- A verbal quarantine should be immediately placed on the positive herd.
- MDOL will initiate an epidemiological investigation.
  - This will include mandatory neighbor notification
- Positive bulls restricted to slaughter only
  - Direct to slaughter
  - Trich approved feedlot
    - Positive bulls branded with a "V" on right tail head

Trich Positive Herds:

- Movements allowed while under quarantine:
  - Animals direct to licensed market, slaughter, or trich approved feedlot
  - Virgin bulls
  - Virgin heifers
  - Non-virgin females
    - Exposed only to known negative T. foetus bulls.
    - Greater than 120d pregnant.
    - Held separate from all bulls for >120d with owner affadavit.*

* Current proposed changes to Montana trich ARM will affect this quarantine exemption.

Trich Positive Herds:

- Remainder of bull herd requires 3 negative weekly PCRs.
- Cows <120 days bred or <120 days away from bull are restricted to slaughter channels only.
- Following the next breeding season, all non-virgin bulls require a single negative PCR.
- Mandatory neighbor notification
  - Exposed herds may be subject to a hold order and official trich testing and certification requirements
  - The identity of the positive herd will be kept confidential by MDOL per MCA 81-2-115 except when " the administrator determines that disclosure is necessary to prevent the spread of an animal disease."

Identification Requirements:

- At the time of a bull's first trich test, a MT trich tag or other approved official individual id tag must be applied.

Testing Data

mt.gov
Montana's Official State Website

Department of Livestock

Animal Health | Brands Enforcement | Centralized Services | Diagnostic Lab | Meat & Milk Inspection | Attached Agency Boards

Home » Animal Health » Diseases » Trichomoniasis » 2012 Trichomoniasis Testing Data

2012 Trichomoniasis Testing Data

This page contains information on Trichomoniasis testing for the year 2012. To view other years, select a year below:

- 2007 Testing Data
- 2008 Testing Data
- 2009 Testing Data
- 2010 Testing Data
- 2011 Testing Data
- 2012 Testing Data

Data by County

(click on a column header to sort)

County	Total Official Tests	Negative Tests	Positive Tests	% Positive	Total Cattle (1000s)	% Tested	Bull Stud Tests	Unofficial Tests
BEAVERHEAD	195	195	0	0.00%	110	0.18%	0	78
BIG HORN	38	38	0	0.00%	87	0.04%	0	45
BLAINE	2	2	0	0.00%	83	0.00%	0	0
BROADWATER	20	20	0	0.00%	21	0.10%	0	0
CARBON	68	68	0	0.00%	60	0.11%	194	19
CARTER	10	10	0	0.00%	72	0.01%	0	0
CASCADE	26	26	0	0.00%	75	0.03%	0	0
CHOUTEAU	0	0	0	0.00%	46	0.00%	0	0
CUSTER	12	12	0	0.00%	75	0.02%	0	0
DANIELS	0	0	0	0.00%	19	0.00%	0	0
DAWSON	0	0	0	0.00%	49	0.00%	0	0
DEER LODGE	0	0	0	0.00%	6.5	0.00%	0	0
FALLON	9	9	0	0.00%	52	0.02%	0	0
FERGUS	258	254	4	1.60%	105	0.25%	0	0
FLATHEAD	2	2	0	0.00%	13.2	0.02%	0	0
GALLATIN	102	102	0	0.00%	51	0.20%	0	0
GARFIELD	1	1	0	0.00%	72	0.00%	0	0
GLACIER	286	285	1	0.30%	47.5	0.60%	0	10

Trich Test Data available on department website at http://www.liv.mt.gov/ah/diseases/trichomoniasis/trichdata_2012.mcpx

Traceability

June 2013

Traceability Framework

- Two primary components to the federal rule:
  - Official identification
  - Certificate of veterinary inspection (health certificate)

Official Identification

- Cattle and/or bison moving interstate are required to be officially identified prior to interstate movement if they are:
  - Sexually intact animals 18 months of age and over
  - Used for rodeo or recreational events (any age)
  - Used for shows or exhibitions (any age)
  - Female dairy cattle of any age
  - Dairy males born after March 11, 2013
- Please note, cattle and domestic bison originating from Montana's DSA have additional identification requirements.

Official Identification

- EXEMPTIONS TO OFFICIAL IDENTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS INCLUDE ANIMALS MOVED:
  - As a commuter herd with a copy of the commuter herd agreement between shipping and receiving states.
  - Directly from a location in one State through another State to a second location in the original State.
  - Directly to an approved tagging site and are officially identified before commingling with cattle and bison from other premises.
  - Between shipping and receiving States or Tribes with another form of identification, as agreed upon by animal health officials in the shipping and receiving states.
  - Directly to a recognized slaughtering establishment or directly to no more than one approved livestock facility and then directly to a recognized slaughtering establishment, where they are harvested within 3 days of arrival AND they are moved with a USDA approved backtag.

Official Identification

- ACCEPTABLE FORMS OF OFFICIAL IDENTIFICATION:
  - An official eartag (840 RFID tag, metal bangs tag, silver metal USDA tag)
  - Brands registered with a recognized brand inspection authority when approved by both the shipping and receiving states. Animals must be accompanied by an official brand inspection certificate.
  - Registered breed tattoos when approved by both the shipping and receiving states. Animals must be accompanied by a breed registration certificate.

Certificate of Veterinary Inspection

- Cattle and bison moved interstate must be accompanied by an interstate certificate of veterinary inspection (ICVI) unless they are moved:
  - Directly to a recognized slaughtering establishment, or to an approved livestock facility and then directly to a recognized slaughtering establishment, and they are accompanied by an owner-shipper statement.
  - Directly to an approved livestock facility with an owner-shipper statement and do not move interstate from the facility unless accompanied by an ICVI.
  - From farm of origin for veterinary medical examination or treatment and returned to farm of origin without change of ownership.
  - Directly from state through another state and back to the original state.
  - As a commuter herd with a copy of the commuter herd agreement as agreed by both the shipping and receiving states.
  - Between shipping and receiving states with documentation other than an ICVI, e.g., a brand inspection certificate, only when agreed upon by animal health officials in both states.

FEDERAL TRACEABILITY REQUIREMENTS BY TYPE OF MOVEMENT

Class of Cattle	Origin of Interstate Movement	Out of State Destination	Official Identification Required?	ICVI	Owner Shipper Statement
Sexually intact beef cattle 18 months of age and over **Sexually intact dairy cattle** **Castrated dairy cattle born after March 11, 2013** **Exhibition animals**	Ranch Collection Point Veterinary Clinic Other	MARKET TAGGING SITE			✓
		MARKET NON TAGGING SITE	✓*		✓
		TAGGING SITE		✓	
		NON TAGGING SITE (RANCH)	✓	✓	
		SLAUGHTER			✓
	Market	MARKET TAGGING SITE			✓
		MARKET NON TAGGING SITE	✓		✓
		TAGGING SITE		✓	
		NON TAGGING SITE	✓	✓	
		SLAUGHTER	Backtag		✓
Sexually intact beef cattle <18 months of age **Castrated beef cattle of any age**	Ranch Collection Point Veterinary Clinic Other	MARKET TAGGING SITE		✓**	
		MARKET NON TAGGING SITE		✓**	
		TAGGING SITE		✓	
		NON TAGGING SITE		✓	
		SLAUGHTER			✓
	Market	MARKET TAGGING SITE			✓
		MARKET NON TAGGING SITE			✓
		TAGGING SITE		✓	
		NON TAGGING SITE (RANCH)		✓	
		SLAUGHTER			✓

Market = Federally approved livestock facility **Slaughter** = Federally approved slaughter plant **Tagging Site** = State approved tagging facility

Official Identification = RFID tag, metal bangs tag, or silver metal USDA tag **ICVI** = Interstate Certificate of Veterinary Inspection, AKA Health Certificate

- Montana's specific import requirements are outlined in the Traceability Requirements for Cattle Imported into Montana dated June 1, 2013.
- For cattle leaving Montana, always check with the state of destination. States may have additional requirements OR may accept an alternate approved form of official ID (e.g., brand inspection or breed tattoo) or ICVI (e.g., brand inspection).
- Brand inspections are required for all interstate movements of cattle out of Montana.

*Federally approved markets may accept animals without official identification if animals are restricted to slaughter ONLY.
**Animals moving from farm of origin to market do not require a CVI per CFR Part 78.9(a)(3)(i).

Interstate Certificates of Veterinary Inspection (ICVI)

AKA Health Certificate

June 2013

Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (CVI)

- Valid for 30 days from the date of inspection.
- Examination/inspection of animals MUST be performed within 10 days prior to date of issuance unless monthly visits conducted
- Required for out of state travel and some in-state exhibitions/shows.
- Must meet state of destinations import requirements.
- Animals returning to MT must meet our import requirements.
  - Female cattle are required to be official vaccinates
- Montana requires a re-entry permit, valid for 10 days, be listed on CVI.
- http://liv.mt.gov/liv/ah/import/import_intro.asp

Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (CVI)

- Fill out CVI completely and **legibly**, this is a legal document.
- Document all exemptions or special instructions including the name of person giving information.
- Accurately describe the age, gender, species, color and official ID of all animals on shipment.
- Verify test results.
- Do NOT re-tag animals with existing official ID (Bangs tags, silver USDA tags, Scrapie or RFID tags).
- Obtain all required permits:
  - State of destination import permit?
  - Montana re-entry permit if applicable.
- Sign and date the form.

Interstate Movement Prohibited

- Equine/ bovine piroplasmosis
- Anthrax
- Cattle scabies
- Pseudorabies
- Acute swine erysipelas
- TB
- Johne's Disease
- Brucellosis
- Scrapie
- Bluetongue
- Chlamydiosis
- Salmonella enteritidis serotype enteritidis
- Newcastle Disease

See 9CFR 71.3

Montana Department of Livestock, State Veterinarian
PO Box 202001, Helena MT 59620-2001
406-444-2043

MONTANA
CERTIFICATE OF VETERINARY INSPECTION

81- 714201

TO ACCOMPANY SHIPMENT

Contact State of Destination for Movement Requirements and Certificate Validity Duration

FOR FOREIGN SHIPMENTS (Outside United States of Leaving United States) USE FEDERAL FORM

BRAND INSPECTION
FORM # ISSUE DATE

INSPECTION DATE: | ISSUE DATE: | ENTRY PERMIT:

NAME CONSIGNOR	NAME CONSIGNEE	NAME CARRIER
PHYSICAL ADDRESS	PHYSICAL ADDRESS	PHYSICAL ADDRESS
CITY, STATE, ZIP, COUNTY PHONE	CITY, STATE, ZIP, COUNTY PHONE	CITY, STATE, ZIP PHONE
ORIGIN OF ANIMALS ☐ same as above PREMISES ID#	DESTINATION OF ANIMALS ☐ same as above PREMISES ID#	TEST RECORDS - Are legible copies of official charts (with individual animals identified and animals that are not shipped lined out) attached to all copies? ☐ Yes ☐ No Record #:

Species/Number in Shipment
☐ Beef Cattle #_____ ☐ Dairy Cattle #_____
☐ Horses #_____ ☐ Sheep #_____
☐ Goats #_____ ☐ Swine #_____
☐ Poultry #_____ ☐ Other(specify): #_____

Purpose(s) of Movement (check all that apply)
☐ Interstate ☐ Intrastate
☐ Show ☐ Race ☐ Rodeo ☐ Sale ☐ Pet ☐ Breeding
☐ Feeding ☐ Grazing ☐ Training ☐ Slaughter
☐ Medical Treatment ☐ Other (specify): _____

CARRIER
☐ Air ☐ Boat ☐ Car ☐ Mail
☐ Rail ☐ Trail ☐ Truck
☐ Other (specify) _____

Flock/Herd Free For:
☐ TB ☐ Bruc. ☐ PRV ☐ Johne's
☐ Scrapie ☐ NPIP
☐ Other (specify):
Herd/Flock #

State/Area Status
Tuberculosis: ☐ Free ☐ MAA ☐ MA
Brucellosis: ☐ Free ☐ Class A
☐ PRV Free
☐ Other (specify):

VETERINARY CERTIFICATION STATEMENTS

LINE #	OFFICIAL/FEDERAL EAR TAG # REGISTRATION TATTOO OR OTHER PERMANENT IDENTIFICATION	AGE	BREED	SEX	Bruc. Vacc. Status/Tattoo	IMPORT REQUIRED TESTS AND RESULTS Contact State of Destination for Required					TEMPERATURE (if required) VACCINATION AND/OR TREATMENT Please list Date, Product, and Reason for Vaccination/Treatment
						Date	Test	Accession #	Results +/-	Lab	
1											
2											
3											
4											
5											
6											
7											
8											
9											
10											

OWNER/AGENT STATEMENT
"The animals in this shipment are those certified to and listed on this certificate."

SIGNATURE _____

DATE _____

OFFICIAL USE ONLY
The Veterinarian issuing this certificate is accredited and has been authorized to inspect animals and issue certificates.

VETERINARY CERTIFICATION - I certify, as an accredited veterinarian that the above described animals have been inspected by me and that they are not showing signs of infectious contagious and/or communicable disease (except where noted). The vaccinations and results of tests are indicated on the certificate. To the best of my knowledge, the animals listed on this certificate meet the state of destination and federal interstate requirements. No further warranty is made or implied.

SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

PRINT NAME_____ PHONE: _____ E-MAIL:_____

ADDRESS_____

USDA ACCREDITATION #_____ STATE OF LICENSE _____ LICENSE: #_____

OFFICIAL OFFICE USE ONLY

Form SV-7 (Rev.7/2012) DISTRIBUTION: WHITE: State Veterinarian - Origin CANARY: State Veterinarian - Destination PINK: Accompany Shipment GOLDENROD: Issuing Veterinarian

SAMPLE

Certificate of Veterinary Inspection

- ICVIS MUST INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:
  - Species covered
  - Number of animals in shipment
  - Purpose for movement
  - Physical address from which animals originated
  - Physical address that animal are destined to
  - Name and address of consignor and consignee (if different)
  - Official identification must be recorded for animals required to be officially identified

According to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, an agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number. The valid OMB control numbers for this information collection are 0579-0036 and 0579-0333. The time required to complete this information collection is estimated to average .25 hours per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information.

No dog, cat, nonhuman primate, or additional kinds or classes of animals designated by USDA regulation shall be delivered to any intermediate handler or carrier for transportation in commerce, unless accompanied by a health certificate executed and issued by a licensed veterinarian (7 U.S.C. 21.43.9; CFR, Subchapter A, Part 2).

OMB APPROVED
0579-0036
0579-0333

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
ANIMAL AND PLANT HEALTH INSPECTION SERVICE

UNITED STATES INTERSTATE AND INTERNATIONAL CERTIFICATE OF HEALTH EXAMINATION FOR SMALL ANIMALS

WARNING: Anyone who makes a false, fictitious, or fraudulent statement on this document, or uses such document knowing it to be false, fictitious, or fraudulent may be subject to a fine of not more than $10,000 or imprisonment of not more than 5 years or both (18 U.S.C. 1001).

1. TYPE OF ANIMAL SHIPPED (select one only)

☐ Dog ☐ Cat ☐ Other_____

☐ Nonhuman Primate ☐ Ferret ☐ Rodent

2. CERTIFICATE NUMBER - OFFICIAL USE ONLY

3. TOTAL NUMBER OF ANIMALS

4. PAGE

5. NAME, ADDRESS, AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF OWNER (*CONSIGNOR*)

6. NAME, ADDRESS, AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF RECIPIENT AT DESTINATION (*CONSIGNEE*)

USDA License/or Registration Number (*if applicable*)

7. ANIMAL IDENTIFICATION

NAME, AND/OR TATTOO NUMBER OR OTHER IDENTIFICATION	BREED – COMMON OR SCIENTIFIC NAME	AGE	SEX	COLOR OR DISTINCTIVE MARKS OR MICROCHIP
(1)				
(2)				
(3)				
(4)				
(5)				
(6)				

8. PERTINENT VACCINATION, TREATMENT, AND TESTING HISTORY

RABIES VACCINATION ☐ 1 YEAR ☐ 2 YEARS ☐ 3 YEARS

Vaccination Date	Product	Date	Product Type and/or Results

OTHER VACCINATIONS, TREATMENT, AND/OR TESTS AND RESULTS

9. REMARKS OR ADDITIONAL CERTIFICATION STATEMENTS (*WHEN REQUIRED*)

VETERINARY CERTIFICATION: I certify that the animals described in box 7 have been examined by me this date, that the information provided in box 8 is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge, and that the following findings have been made ("**X**" applicable statements).

☐ I have verified the presence of the microchip, if a microchip is listed in box 7.

☐ I certify that the animal(s) described above and on continuation sheet(s), if applicable, have been inspected by me on this date and appear to be free of any infectious or contagious diseases and to the best of my knowledge, exposure thereto, which would endanger the animal or other animals or would endanger public health.

☐ To my knowledge, the animal(s) described above and on continuation sheet(s) if applicable, originated from an area not quarantined for rabies and has/have not been exposed to rabies.

ENDORSEMENT FOR INTERNATIONAL EXPORT (*IF NEEDED*)

PRINTED NAME OF USDA VETERINARIAN

NAME, ADDRESS, AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF ISSUING VETERINARIAN

LICENSE NUMBER AND STATE

Accredited ☐ **Yes** ☐ **No**
If yes, please complete below

NATIONAL ACCREDITATION NUMBER

NOTE: International shipments may require certification by an accredited veterinarian.

SIGNATURE OF USDA VETERINARIAN ***Apply USDA Seal or Stamp here*** **DATE**

SIGNATURE OF ISSUING VETERINARIAN **DATE**

APHIS Form 7001
(NOV 2010)

This certificate is valid for 30 days after issuance

Montana Department of Livestock
Animal Health Division
PO Box 202001 Helena, MT 59620-2001
406-444-2043 ph. / 406-444-1929 fax

MONTANA CERTIFICATE OF VETERINARY INSPECTION

Contact State of Destination for Movement Requirements and Certificate Validity
FOR FOREIGN SHIPMENTS (Outside United States or Leaving United States) USE FEDERAL FORM
OFFICIAL USE ONLY: The Veterinarian issuing this certificate is accredited and has been authorized to inspect animals and issue certificates.

Certificate Number
81-null-null

ENTRY PERMIT #:

INSPECTION DATE: | SHIPMENT DATE: | Large Animal | Small Animal

CONSIGNOR - Contact Person at Origin	CONSIGNEE - Contact Person at Destination	CARRIER (Transporter)
First Name / Last Name / AND/OR	First Name / Last Name / AND/OR	Business Name
Business Name	Business Name	Physical Address
Physical Address of Animals	Physical Address of Animals	City / State / Zip Code / Phone Number
City / State MT / Zip Code / County	City / State / Zip Code / County	Transport Method / Purpose of Movement
Phone Number / Location ID#	Phone Number / Location ID#	Interstate / Intrastate
Consignor's Address (if different)	Consignee's Address (if different) / Print Reconsigned	

OWNER/AGENT STATEMENT
"The animals in this shipment are those certified to and listed on this certificate."

DATE

SIGNATURE

VETERINARY CERTIFICATION - I certify, as an accredited veterinarian, that the above described animals have been inspected by me and that they are not showing signs of infectious, contagious and/or communicable disease (except where noted). The vaccinations and results of tests are indicated on the certificate. To the best of my knowledge, the animals listed on this certificate meet the state of destination and federal interstate requirements. No further warranty is made or implied.

Date | Printed Name | Phone | Email
Address | City | State | Zip
USDA Accreditation # | State of License MT | License #

Signature

NOT OFFICIAL

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MT DEPT OF LIVESTOCK - ANIMAL HEALTH DIVISION

IMPORT PERMIT SERVICE

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WELCOME TO THE IMPORT PERMIT SERVICE

All equines must obtain an import permit to legally enter the state of Montana. This service allows veterinarians to obtain permits in an easy-to-use online format.

Please visit our website for the latest equine import requirements:
http://www.liv.mt.gov/ah/Import/horse.mcpx

Questions? Check out the 'Instructions' and 'How do I' links in the upper right.

If you have an mt.gov Registered User account you can log into this service using your ePass Montana account. Why become a Registered User?

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Annual Horse Permit

- Frequent out-of-state exhibitors
- Replaces the regular 10 day import permit
- Renewed once a year
- Expires December 31
- Must accompany the horse at all times
- Does not replace the requirement for a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection
- Lifetime Brand Inspection Required
- http://liv.mt.gov/ah/forms/equine_import_permit.pdf

6 month Equine Passport

- Valid Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (SV-7) good for 6 months from date of Coggins blood draw.
- Not to be used for movement of mares and stallions for breeding purposes.
- Limited number of states participate.

6 month Equine Passport

- Prior to approving the 6moHP, our office must receive the intended itinerary, including dates and physical address of the destinations during the six month period.
- Montana will require a lifetime brand inspection on the horse prior to approving a 6moHP.
- A completed (corrected) itinerary must be submitted to the state veterinarian's office at the end of the season, but no later than the end of calendar year.
- Issued to horse owners by the animal health office of their state of residence.
- In the case of a contagious disease event, these passports may be canceled by any of the receiving states.

SV-7HP (12/2008) Montana Department of Livestock
PO Box 202001 Helena MT 59620-2001

MONTANA HORSE PASSPORT

Certificate # 81-HP 013726

CERTIFICATE OF VETERINARY INSPECTION AND INTERSTATE MOVEMENT PERMIT

VALID FOR MULTIPLE PASSAGES OF INDIVIDUAL HORSE IDENTIFIED BELOW BETWEEN PARTICIPATING STATES WHEN VALID PERMIT NUMBERS ARE RECORDED BELOW.

These permits are valid for a period of six(6) months from date the blood was drawn for the EIA test as recorded below.

Owner is responsible for providing completed itinerary to participating states visited.

State Import Permit #

CA NA	ID _____	MT _____	NV ___ N/A ___	OR ___	WA _____
CA NA	ID 208-332-8540	MT 406-444-2976	NV N/A	OR 503-986-4679	WA 360 902-1878

NOTE - THIS DOCUMENT IS NOT A BRAND INSPECTION OR OWNERSHIP CERTIFICATE

HORSE IDENTIFICATION					
NAME ID, TATTOO, BRAND ETC.	AGE	BREED	SEX	COLOR	LIFETIME BRAND INSPECTION CERTIFICATE NO
					Date Issued _____

EIA TEST INFORMATION.

Date drawn _____ _____ Name of test _____ _____

Date mailed at lab _____ Antigen used _____ _____

Date mailed _____ _____ Accession # _____ _____

Lab Name _____ _____ Lab location _____ _____

Test result _____ By _____ _____

I hereby certify that this is a correct record of blood sample taken by me or

The above information is provided from a copy of the test chart signed by the veterinarian whose name is printed below.

_____ _____ _____ _____

Accredited Veterinarian signature (or print name of testing Veterinarian)

OWNER INFORMATION *(Please type or print)*

Name _____ _____ _____ _____

Mailing Address _____ _____ _____

City, State, ZIP _____ _____ _____

Phone _____ _____ _____ _____

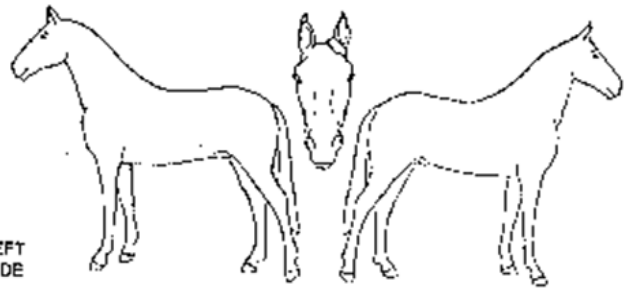
Horse stabled at _____ _____ _____

_____ _____ _____ _____

_____ _____ _____ _____

_____ _____ _____ _____

DRAW IN ALL MARKINGS AND BRANDS.



LEFT SIDE

RIGHT SIDE

CERTIFICATE OF VETERINARY INSPECTION *(Please type or print)*

Examining veterinarian _____ _____ _____ _____

Clinic name _____ _____ _____ _____ _____

Clinic address _____ _____ _____ _____ _____

Clinic phone _____ _____ _____ _____ _____

Date examined _____ _____ _____ _____ _____

The horse identified above has been examined by me and found to be free from evidence of infectious or communicable disease.

_____ _____ _____ _____ _____

Signature of Accredited Veterinarian

Distribution: White - State Office Yellow - State(s) of Destination Gold Veterinarian

Green - Owner Itinerary of Back. Mail copy of both sides to state(s) of destination within 10 days after permit expires.

June 2013

Illegal Imports

- Notify MDOL
- Quarantine animals until requirements have been met or until animals removed from state.
- Complete:
  - Required testing/vaccination
  - Post-import CVI

STATE OF MONTANA
STEVE BULLOCK, GOVERNOR

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Brands Enforcement Division (406) 444-2045
Centralized Services Division (406) 444-4994
Executive Office/Board Of Livestock (406) 444-7323
Meat & Poultry Inspection Division (406) 444-5202
Milk & Egg Bureau (406) 444-9761

MEMORANDUM

From: Dr. Marty Zaluski, Administrator & State Veterinarian

Subject: Traceability Requirements for Cattle Imported into Montana

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1. **Identification Requirements:**
   a. Official individual identification (ID) is required for all cattle except animals moving directly to a Montana approved tagging site. Additional exemptions (not applicable to exhibition animals or those with test or quarantine requirements) are:
      i. Calves less than six months with dams
      ii. Beef steers and spayed heifers
      iii. Sexually intact beef cattle up to 18 months of age that are branded and have an official brand inspection certificate
   b. Canadian cattle must have a CAN hot iron brand that is 2-3 inches tall and applied high on the right hip

2. **Approved forms of official individual ID:**
   a. USDA silver ID tags
   b. USDA orange brucellosis vaccination tags
   c. Other USDA approved tags such as RFID tags

3. **Documentation Requirements:**
   a. A certificate of veterinary inspection (CVI) must accompany all cattle entering Montana except:
      i. Cattle moving direct from farm of origin to a federally approved livestock market
      ii. Cattle moving direct to a federally approved slaughter facility if moving with an owner shipper statement (OSS)
   b. If required, official individual ID must be listed on the CVI unless:
      i. Animals are branded, AND
      ii. Animals are individually identified, AND
      iii. Animals have no test or quarantine requirements and are not for exhibition, AND
      iv. Brand inspection certificate is attached to and cited on the CVI, AND
      v. The following statement is included on the CVI:
      "The animals in this shipment are identified with official individual identification."

Any Questions???

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