



Montana Department of Livestock Import Regulations

Dairy Breed Goats



Health Certificate - issued within 30 days of entry

Official identification, testing and statements listed on health certificate



Import Permit Numbers are Required for Hand-Written Paper Health Certificates ONLY

Import Permit - To obtain a permit number:

Permit Line: 406-444-2976

(24/7 via phone)

Email: livpermits@mt.gov

(Monday-Friday 8am-4:30pm via email)



Official Identification

Official USDA ear tag, tattoo, breed registration tattoo, scrapie premises ID tag, premises tattoo, or microchip

All sexually intact goats of any age require official identification

All goats over 18 months of age require official identification



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Import Requirements

Brucellosis

Sexually intact animals 6 months of age and over:

- One negative brucellosis card test within 30 days prior to entry

Tuberculosis (TB)

Sexually intact animals over the age of 2 months:

- One negative TB test within 60 days prior to importation

Scrapie

Required statement: *“The animals in this shipment were not exhibiting clinical signs associated with scrapie at the time of the examination.”*