

- A USDA-issued metal ear tag with a US shield **US**; or
- An ISO-compliant 15-digit ear tag starting with “840” (including RFID); or
- A plastic stamped ear tag (market hogs only).

Department 6: Goats

Requirements:

1. A certificate of Veterinary Inspection (CVI) valid for 30 days after date of issue. Must be valid for entire fair week.
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). Animals appearing unhealthy upon arrival may not enter the exhibition grounds.
3. Individual official animal identification is required for all goats. Official ID includes:
 - A USDA ear tag with a US shield **US**; or
 - A legible tattoo with herd and individual identification recognized in an approved USDA Scrapie database; or
 - Goats 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.

Department 9: Rabbits

Requirements:

1. Permanent Ear Tattoo
2. All animals must be free of infectious and contagious diseases. Animals appearing unhealthy upon arrival may not enter the exhibition grounds.
3. An Animal Owner or Caretaker’s Verification of Veterinary Consultation Relationship statement for the animals being exhibited must be included on the fair registration form.

