Summary of Import Requirements

Animals under quarantine for disease concerns are not permitted to move into Nebraska.

**Beef:**

Breeding –
- CVI (Health Certificate)
- Official Individual Identification
- Trichomoniasis Testing or Statements for Males
- Trichomoniasis Statements for Females

Feeding to Slaughter –
- CVI (Health Certificate)
- Sexually intact over 18 months of age require Official Individual Identification

Calves under 2 months –
- CVI (Health Certificate)
- Official Individual Identification
- Pre-Entry Import Permit Number
- Must remain at destination for 60 days

Exotic Bovids –
- CVI (Health Certificate)
- Official Individual Identification
- Pre-Entry Import Permit Number
- Negative Tuberculosis and Brucellosis test within 60 days prior to entry
- Animals over 2 months of age require a negative Tuberculosis and Brucellosis test within 60 days prior to entry. If under 2 months, animals must be quarantined to initial destination until they reach appropriate age for testing.

**Beef Dairy Cross for Feeding to Slaughter:**

Intact Heifers and Bulls –
- CVI
- Official Individual ID listed on CVI
- Permit
  - Will be quarantined to destination until slaughter (close out sheet needs to be sent to NDA for quarantine release)
- Statement “Heifers quarantined until slaughter”
- Not to be housed next to breeding animals

Steers –
- CVI
- Official Individual ID but does not need to be listed on CVI
Calves – under 2 months of age –
- CVI
- Official Individual ID listed on CVI
- Permit
  - Quarantine will follow intact calves until slaughter (close out sheet needs to be sent to NDA for quarantine release)

Rodeo:
- CVI (Health Certificate)
- Official Individual Identification
- Pre-Entry Import Permit Number
- Negative Tuberculosis test within 6 months prior to entry
- Rodeo cattle coming for breeding must meet Trich requirements

Dairy:
Breeding –
- CVI (Health Certificate)
- Official Individual Identification
- Trichomoniasis Testing or Statements for Males
- Trichomoniasis Statements for Females
- Pre-Entry Import Permit Number
- Negative Tuberculosis test within 60 days prior to entry or TB accredited

Feeding to Slaughter –
- CVI (Health Certificate)
- Sexually intact:
  - Official Individual Identification listed on CVI (Health Certificate)
  - Pre-Entry Import Permit Number
  - Negative Tuberculosis test within 60 days prior to entry
- Neutered:
  - No permit required
  - Official Individual Identification but not required to be listed on CVI (Health Certificate)
- Calves
  - Official Individual Identification
  - Pre-Entry Import Permit Number
  - If under 2 months of age, quarantined to destination until a TB test is completed after reaching 2 months of age
  - Or neutered within 60 days after reaching 2 months of age

Horses:
- CVI (Health Certificate)
- Negative Coggins test within 1 year of entry

Sheep/Goats:
- Our import requirements have recently changed. Permits are no longer needed for sheep/goats coming into Nebraska.
- CVI (Health Certificate)
- Scrapie Identification or other Official Individual Identification
Swine:
- CVI (Health Certificate)
- Official Individual Identification or other Identification

Poultry (Jeanne):
- Poultry NPIP
  - VS Form 9-3
  - Pre-assigned out of state poultry permit
  - Originate from NPIP flock or hatchery
- Poultry Non NPIP
  - CVI (Health Certificate)
  - Pre-Entry Import Permit Number
  - Negative pullorum and typhoid test for each bird within 90 days prior to entry

Cervidae:
- CVI (Health Certificate)
- Official Individual Identification and Visible identification
- Pre-Entry Import Permit Number
- Meet USDA Chronic Wasting Disease (CWD) Requirements
- Over 6 months of age and not from a TB-Accredited herd, two negative Tuberculosis tests are required 90 days apart prior to entry
- USDA APHIS | Cervids: CWD Voluntary Herd Certification Program
**Exotics: Not Bovid or Cervidae:**
- CVI (Health Certificate)
- Pre-Entry Import Permit Number
- Camelids (including llamas and alpacas) require a Brucellosis and Tuberculosis test within 60 days prior to entry
- Camelids (including llamas and alpacas) over 2 months of age require a Brucellosis and Tuberculosis test within 60 days prior to entry. If under 2 months, animals must be quarantined to initial destination until they reach appropriate age for testing.

**Cats/Dogs:**
- CVI (Health Certificate)
- Current Rabies Vaccine

**Sale Barn:**
- Sexually intact need Trich test or statement (an affidavit for female is ok)
- For feeding only: nothing

**Direct to slaughter (within three days):**
- We don’t require anything for animals going direct to slaughter. However, you should suggest the vet call the slaughter facility to see what its requirements are.

**Canadian:**
- Cattle must meet the requirements above and need a permit.
- Swine must meet the requirements above but do not need a permit.

**DSA Area (ID, MT, WY):**
- If coming from within the DSA area, the CVI (Health Certificate) needs a statement. Sexually intact animals need Official Individual Identification as well.
- If coming from one of these states but not from within the DSA, they need a statement on the CVI (Health Certificate).

**Mexican:**
- Negative Tuberculosis test within 60 days prior to entry
- Quarantined to destination until slaughter or negative Tuberculosis test at least 60 days but no more than 120 days after arrival.
Commonly Used Statements on CVIs

See complete importation regulations webpage at https://nda.nebraska.gov/animal/imports/.

Vesicular Stomatitis
- Animals represented on the CVI have not been on a premises where VS has been diagnosed in the last 30 days and show no signs of VS.

Trichomoniasis – Males
- Males listed are not from a Trich positive herd and tested negative within the last 60 days and no exposure to breeding females.
- Virgin males less than 18 months of age.
- Nebraska origin breeding males exported for seasonal grazing and have not commingled with any other herd.

Trichomoniasis – Female
- The females listed on this CVI are known virgins.
- Females listed on this CVI are at least 120 days pregnant.
- No exposure to Trich positive or unknown status males since parturition.

Dairy Steers and Dairy Spayed Heifers
- Dairy steers and/or Dairy spayed heifers on this CVI are officially identified.

Designated Surveillance Area
- These cattle and bison originated from within one of the DSAs and have permanent, individual identification.
- These cattle and bison do not originate from within the DSA.