

**Maine/Chi Junior National Health Requirements 2020
Health Requirements**

General Health Rules:

1. **IMPORTANT RULE:** Ohio has mandatory **Trichomoniasis** rules for all bulls entering Ohio from any other state. Regarding bulls originating in Ohio, Trichomoniasis testing is not mandatory but is strongly recommended. See below under Health Requirements for Sale Cattle for information on Trich testing requirements.
2. A CVI is required for exhibition cattle that originate from outside Ohio. A CVI is not required for exhibition / display cattle that originate from within Ohio and are not to be sold. A Certificate of Veterinary Inspection is a form from the state of origin that has been completed and issued by a licensed and accredited veterinarian attesting to the health status of the animal listed thereon. All animals for which a CVI is required are required to have official individual identification.
3. CVIs are required to be issued within 30 days prior to the date of the show (on or after June 28, 2020).
4. It is not required but is **STRONGLY RECOMMENDED** that all cattle receive at least one dose of modified live (2 to 4 weeks prior to the event) or two doses of killed (2 to 4 weeks apart with the second dose 2 to 4 weeks prior to the event) respiratory disease (IBR, BVD, BRSV, PI3) vaccine.

Health Requirements for show / exhibition / display cattle:

Cattle originating within Ohio:

- CVI (Health Paper) is not required for steers or heifers that originate in Ohio.

Cattle originating outside Ohio

- **IMPORTANT RULE:** All show cattle must be tested for BVD as outlined above. BVD testing is not required for junior show cattle.
- **IMPORTANT RULE** - this is Ohio law and applies to all bulls coming into Ohio from any other state for any reason:
Trichomoniasis testing requirement:
Virgin bulls under 24 months of age on the date of the sale:
 - The following statement must appear on the CVI accompanied by the veterinarian's and owner's signature:
"This bull has had no contact with breeding females."
- All show and display cattle including genetic pathway bulls that originate outside Ohio are REQUIRED to have official individual identification. Acceptable forms of ID for show and display cattle are official 840 RFID tags, official USDA metal tags, or tattoos that correspond to breed registration certificates. RFID tags are only acceptable if the first three numbers are "840" and the herd premise ID number appears on the CVI. Tattoos are only acceptable if the registration certificate is also presented.
- Animal(s) must meet requirements for import into Ohio:
 - In general, cattle from Brucellosis and Tuberculosis free states require no testing for entry into Ohio but, again, a CVI is required. See above regarding Trichomoniasis requirements.
 - If in doubt as to specific requirements, contact the Ohio Department of Agriculture at 614-728-6220.

Destination to be written on the CVI – Your vet will need this address:

Allen County Fairgrounds
2750 Harding Hwy.
Lima, Ohio 45804