



Sheep Entry Requirements

All Sheep Entering Arizona Need:

Entry Permit Number

- Issued by calling **602-542-4293**
- 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Mon to Fri AZ Time
- Valid for 15 days

Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (CVI)

- Issued by an Accredited II Veterinarian
- Valid for 30 days
- Copies of CVI must have an original signature
- All Official IDs must be listed on the CVI or as an attachment
- The CVI must have the statement **“The sheep listed on this CVI are not infected with Bluetongue, nor exposed to Scrapie or originate from a Scrapie-Infected source flock.”**
- For Rams the CVI must state **“The rams listed on this CVI have been individually examined and found free of gross lesions of epididymitis.”**

For more information call or email the State Veterinarian's Office : **602-542-4293**
cvi@azda.gov

Specific Disease Testing Requirements

Rams:

- 6 months of age and older.
- Must test negative for Brucella Ovis within 30 days prior to entry into Arizona.
- If Rams originate from a certified Brucellosis-free flock the CVI must state **“The Rams listed on this CVI originated from a Certified Brucellosis-Free flock . The certified free flock number is _____(note flock number).”**

No other pre-entry disease requirements at this time.

Official Identification (Ref CFR 9 79.2)

- Electronic Implants (must document on the CVI, the manufacturer and implant number)
- Official Ear Tags (i.e. Scrapie Tags)
- USDA Backtags or Official Premise ID backtags on sheep going direct to slaughter
- Official registry Tattoos if recorded in book of record on sheep registry.

