

2020 VCCP WINTER CLASSIC AND EASTERN ELITE **HEALTH REQUIREMENTS**

Out of State Cattle:

- 1) **Import Permit Required for all out of State Cattle on a paper Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (CVI)**
OR
Electronic Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (eCVI) from Global Vet Link or AgView

- 2) **Official Identification.** Beef cattle must have official identification. Accepted forms of Official ID has a US shield which includes a USDA issued NUES tag or a 15-digit Animal Identification Number ear tag that starts with '840'. Brands and registrations with tattoos are NOT accepted.

- 3) **Tuberculosis Testing** Requirements:

- a. No test required for animals originating from "Accredited Free" states or zones.
- b. All animals originating from states or zones designated "Modified Accredited Advanced" must be test-negative within 60 days prior to entry.
- c. All animals originating from states or zones designated "Modified Accredited" (**includes part of Michigan**) must:
 - (1) Originate from herds in which all animals 12 months of age and older have tested negative for TB within 12 months prior to entry; *and*
 - (2) The animals to be imported have tested negative to TB within 60 days prior to entry and at least 60 days after the whole herd test.

Virginia Cattle:

- 1) **Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection(CVI) or Electronic CVI from Global Vet Link or AgView**

- 2) **Official Identification.** Beef cattle must have official identification. Accepted forms of Official ID has a US shield which includes a USDA issued NUES tag or a 15-digit Animal Identification Number ear tag that starts with '840'. Brands and registrations with tattoos are NOT accepted.

To determine proper health requirements please contact the VA Department of Agriculture:

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additional information available at: <http://vdacs.virginia.gov/arrivals-cattle.shtml>

Note: Do not call the American Angus Association with Health Regulation questions, we will direct you to the VA Department of Agriculture.