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Export Live Animals to Azerbaijan

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Electronic Signature and Digital Endorsement ACCEPTED

For Accredited Veterinarians: Electronic signature ACCEPTED

For APHIS VMO: Digital endorsement ACCEPTED

USDA-accredited veterinarians can electronically issue health certificates and use VEHCS (Veterinary Export Health Certification System) to submit them to USDA for digital endorsement.

USDA can digitally endorse the health certificate and return it electronically.

What This Means for You

Accredited Veterinarians: Use the links below to access or get help with VEHCS. Learn more about [how to issue export health certificates](#).

Animal Owners/Shippers: The endorsed health certificate can be printed out directly from VEHCS and does **not** have to be mailed back to you. The printed, endorsed health certificate must accompany the animal(s) during shipment or

travel.

[VEHCS Help](#) | [VEHCS Guide](#) (7.58 MB) | [VEHCS Login](#)

Live Animal Export Country Requirements [View Requirements](#)

Summary of Requirements

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Equine

- [Horses—Health Certificate](#) (221.51 KB) (June 2017)

Cattle

Note: Effective June 6, 2023, the Food Safety Agency of the Republic of Azerbaijan has imposed temporary restrictions on the importation of live cattle from Davidson County, TN.

- [Bovine: Breeding—Health Certificate](#) (268.33 KB) (November 2016)
- [Bovine: Feeder Cattle—Health Certificate](#) (333.67 KB) (July 2019)
- [Bovine: Embryos—Health Certificate](#) (313.45 KB) (July 2019)
- [Bovine: Semen—Health Certificate](#) (322.56 KB) (July 2019)

Poultry

Note: The Food Safety Agency of the Republic of Azerbaijan has imposed trade restrictions on the import of U.S.-origin live poultry, day-old chicks, and hatching eggs from the **INFECTED ZONES** within the States of California, Illinois, North Dakota, and South Dakota, due to HPAI.

Sheep and Goats

- [Sheep and Goats—Health Certificate](#) (671.16 KB) (May 2020)
- [Ovine and Caprine: Embryos—Health Certificate](#) (431.54 KB) (May 2020)
- [Ovine and Caprine: Semen—Health Certificate](#) (393.14 KB) (May 2020)

Aquaculture/Aquatic Animals

APHIS-Registered Aquaculture Export Facility [approval is required](#).

- [Live Fish, Invertebrates, and Other Poikilothermic Aquatic Animals, Impregnated Roe, Semen, and Larvae Intended for Production, Breeding and Other Purposes—Health Certificate](#) (326.86 KB) (September 2021)

Other Animals

Taking a Pet to Another Country?

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If your species is not listed, the requirements for that species are not known. Exporters who want to ship livestock or germplasm whose requirements are not listed above should have the importer or buyer in the destination country apply for an import permit at the appropriate ministry. This import permit will most likely outline the specific requirements.

Need Help?

USDA-Accredited Veterinarians

Contact a USDA-accredited veterinarian for questions about your destination country's entry requirements for animals (including any needed vaccinations, tests, or treatments) and for issuance of health certificates.

[Find a USDA-Accredited Veterinarian](#)

USDA Endorsement Offices

Contact your nearest APHIS Veterinary Export Trade Services Endorsement Office for questions about endorsing an export health certificate for live animals.

For VEHCS help see the [VEHCS help page](#). Routine APHIS VEHCS processing services are staffed Monday through Friday from 7:00 AM to 4:30 PM Central Time (CT) excluding federal holidays, the time listed in VEHCS reflects GMT.

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Related Resources

- [Frequently Asked Questions About Live Animal Exports](#)
- [VEHCS Login](#)
- [National Veterinary Accreditation Program: Information for Veterinarians](#)
- [Role of the Accredited Veterinarian in International Animal Exports](#)

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