

Fieracavalli

— a Verona dal 1898 —
VERONA 9-12 NOVEMBRE 2023



HEALTH REGULATIONS & STANDARDS

Introduction

Health and hygiene monitoring and the prevention of contagious diseases, within the scope of Fieracavalli organised by Veronafiore S.p.A., are performed by the Veterinary Service of the Local Health Authority AULSS 9 "Scaligera" ; exhibitors must scrupulously adhere to the dispositions that from time to time are issued by this Authority.

Veterinarians will be permanently at the disposition of Exhibitors in the exhibition centre itself in order to issue health certificates and provide any assistance services that may be required.

It is absolutely forbidden to hinder in any way the performance of such monitoring and everyone concerned is requested to provide maximum collaboration and assistance to Health Officials in the course of their work.

Professional animal handlers will cooperate (Chapter 3, Section 1, Article 10 of Regulation EC 429/2016) with the Official Veterinarians on duty in the fairgrounds in reporting any case, including suspected disease, referred to in Articles 5, 6 and 9 of EE Regulation 429/2016 and Article 61 of Legislative Decree no.136 dated 5 August 2022, .

Animals, whatever the species, will not be admitted to the Exhibition Centre if they are not accompanied by the health requirements listed below.

N.B.: Reservation is made as regards full compliance with any health standard and regulation updates that may be issued from today until FIERACAVALLI is held by the Ministry of Health or the Veneto Region in response to changes in animal farming conditions.

GENERAL INDICATIONS

All animals must be accompanied by the health certificates envisaged by current legislation for each breed.

Animals arriving from Italy itself must have an Accompanying Document (in accordance with the provisions of Article 8, paragraphs 7-8, Italian Legislative Decree no. 131 dated 5 August 2022, formerly "Form 4" under the previous system) appropriately validated or with certification of a

favourable outcome of the health inspection and the tests carried out on the animals themselves (where required by these health regulations and standards). **When transporting livestock to exhibitions, trade fairs and markets, the National Data Base (BDN) allows compilation of a computerized accompanying document with the travel to "trade fair / market" mode which envisages the date of return to the place of departure within 7 days of leaving (point 26, chapter 5 of the I&R Operating Manual) .**

Animals arriving from EU Member States must be accompanied by certificates compliant with the provisions of Regulation 403/2021/EC dated 24 March 2021.

The identification code of the Trade Fair Organization to be indicated on Accompanying Documents or international certifications is:

IT091VR77M

A copy of these certificate must be provided to the Official Veterinarians of Local Health Authority AULSS 9 Scaligera before settling animals in the spaces assigned to them.

Alternatively, exhibitors with animals will be able to present documentation in advance for arriving animals, including the certificates relating to the analyses involving them, through the IT system made available on the days preceding the event by the AULSS 9 Scaligera Local Health Authority on its website: <https://veterinari.aulss9.veneto.it/> (please note that partially legible or incomplete documentation will not be considered valid).

Any consignments of animals without the required certificates will not be allowed to enter the exhibition centre.

If the Veterinary Service ascertains or suspects contagious infectious diseases, Veronafiore S.p.A. herein declines any and every responsibility for the spread of such diseases to other animals; in any case, legal procedures in conformity with current health regulations and standards shall apply.

EQUIDAE (Horses - Donkeys - Mules - Hinnies)

Equidae arriving from Italian territory at the Verona Exhibition Centre must be accompanied by the ID document **(Passport) certifying registration with the national equine registry in** accordance with the provisions of the Ministerial Decree dated 30 September 2021 and the related implementation procedures/instructions.

All equidae over the age of twelve months will be admitted to the exhibition centre provided they have undergone the checks provided for in the Decree 02 February 2016 National Plan for the Surveillance and Control of Equine Anaemia (OJ General Series No. 96 dated 26-4-2016), i.e. they must be for infectious equine anaemia in accordance with the period/validity indicated in the foregoing decree and the results must be annotated on the relative passports.

Equidae from Member States of the European Union must:

- be correctly identified and accompanied by a Passport as per the EU Implementing Regulation (EU) 2021/963 dated 10/06/2021 defining the methods of application of Regulations (EU) 2016/429, (EU)2016/1012 and (EU) 2019/6 of the European Parliament and the Council regarding the identification and registration of equine animals as well as defining identification document forms for these animals
- be accompanied by a certificate as referred to in Delegated Regulation 2020/688/EC supplementing Regulation (EU) 2016/429 of the European Parliament and the Council

regarding animal health requirements for movement within the Union of terrestrial animals and hatching eggs (Article 22, Article 76 and annex VIII part 1, item 1); the health certificate form must comply with the provisions of Regulation 2021/403.

Horses & related animals **from other countries** must transit through a Frontier Inspection Point (**PIF**) and be accompanied by a “Common Entrance Veterinary Document” (**livestock CEVD**) issued by PIF.

CATTLE – BUFFALO

In order to enter the Exhibition Centre, livestock must:

As regards BOVINE TUBERCULOSIS (Chapter 2, Section 1, Article 10 Regulation 688/2020/CE)

come from herds free from complex *Mycobacterium tuberculosis* infection. Furthermore, one of the following conditions must be met:

- The breeding centre is located in a Member State or in an area thereof having the status of "unaffected territory",

or

- Livestock have undergone, with negative results, tests to detect *Mycobacterium tuberculosis* complex infection 30 days prior to departure

or

- livestock are less than 6 months old

As regards BOVINE BRUCELLOSIS (Item 2 section 1 Article 10 Regulation 688/2020/EC):

come from breeding centres unaffected by *B. abortus*, *B. melitensis* and *B. suis*. Additionally, one of the following conditions must be met:

- The breeding centre is located in a Member State or in an area thereof having the status of "unaffected territory", or

- livestock have undergone, with negative results, a serological test against Brucella in the 30 days prior to departure

or

- livestock are less than 12 months old

As regards BOVINE LEUCOSIS (Item 2 section 1 Article 11 Regulation 688/2020/EC):

- Italy is officially recognized as unaffected and consequently only animals from breeding centres unaffected by Enzootic Bovine Leucosis will be accepted

As regards INFECTIOUS BOVINE RHINOTRACHEITIS (IBR (Item 2 Section 1, Article 11 Regulation 688/2020/EC): Valid for livestock of all ages.

The following requirements must be met:

If the animals come from an IBR-free breeding centre:

- the breeding centre is located in an area recognized as unaffected or with an approved IBR eradication programme

or

- have been quarantined for a period of at least 30 days prior to departure and have undergone, with negative results, serological tests within 15 days prior to departure for antibody testing:
 - BHV-1 (entire virus), or
 - glycoprotein E of BHV 1, for livestock vaccinated with gE deleted vaccines

If livestock come from a breeding centre affected by IBR, they must have been kept in an approved quarantine centre* for a period of at least 30 days prior to departure and undergo, with negative results, serological tests within 21 days after the start of the quarantine for antibody search:

- BHV-1 (entire virus), or
- glycoprotein E of BHV 1, for livestock vaccinated with gE deleted vaccines

** on derogation from the Ministry of Health, quarantine may take place in the centre of origin provided that bio-security measures are ensured*

TRANSPORT REGULATIONS

Livestock must be transported under the conditions established by Regulation 1/2005/EC as amended and hauliers must exhibit at the entrance to the Fair the certification of the eventual disinfection.

On entering the Exhibition Centre, all documentation (copy of Accompanying Document, passports and transport authorization) must be presented to the Veterinary Service.

After unloading livestock, vehicles may not leave the Exhibition Centre until they have been washed and disinfected in the specific service area inside the Showgrounds.

We hereby remind you that it is MANDATORY to carry out the Veterinary Check-in online for horses to enter the Exhibition Centre through this link WELL IN ADVANCE OF THE DAY OF ARRIVAL:
<https://veterinari.aulss9.veneto.it/fieracavalli-2023-pre-registrazione-equidi>

**ONLINE VETERINARY CHECK-IN WILL BE OPEN
FROM 9 OCTOBER 2023 TO 5 NOVEMBER 2023
AT 00:00!!!**

For additional clarification and health information, contact the Veterinary Service of the AULSS 9 Scaligera Local Health Authority: tel. 045-8075054 –045-8075929 every working day: 8.00 - 13.00.