



WORLD DAIRY EXPO®

Where the global dairy industry meets!

OCTOBER 1 - 4, 2024 | MADISON, WISCONSIN, USA

Dairy Cattle Exhibitor Update – Aug. 30, 2024

*** NEW LATE ARRIVAL AND EARLY RELEASE REQUIREMENTS***

The World Dairy Expo Executive Committee has defined the requirements for late arrival and early release for 2024 due to HPAI/H5N1.

Animals are eligible for late arrival or early release if they meet the following criteria:

- If you have lactating dairy cattle (no heifer-only groups are eligible).
- If your travel and exhibition time at World Dairy Expo would meet one of these two requirements:
 - If your travel and exhibition time will exceed the USDA order which states that, "animals may travel to their home herd using the same negative test result [that they came in on], provided the exhibition, show or sale does not exceed 10 days of length and a new test would be required.
 - If your travel and exhibition time will exceed your local state or provincial order of a shorter length of time (ex: 7 days) on the same negative test and a new test would be required.
- If your non-lactating cattle are traveling with lactating cattle that would be outside of travel time granted by the USDA or state, they are eligible to leave.
- Proof of testing and travel time is the burden of the dairy cattle exhibitor.
- You must have at least one lactating animal that arrives on-grounds at World Dairy Expo, to be eligible.

Exhibitors must understand your state's and the federal Influenza A (H5N1/HPAI) testing requirements for interstate travel, including your trip to and return from Expo.

The Late Arrival form will be available in your Dairy Cattle Show-Exhibitor Dashboard by September 6.

Canada HPAI/H5N1 Testing Facilities

The Canada testing facilities now include [CAHSN](#) and [NAHLN](#)- approved labs.

Read the latest on HPAI/H5N1 in the
[Dairy Cattle Exhibitor Bulletins.](#)



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Entry Deadlines Approaching Fast!

Dairy Cattle Show Entries Due

MONDAY, September 2

at 11:59 p.m. CST

- \$85 Heifer or Cow
- \$450 Tent OR Booth
- \$900 Tent AND Booth

[Enter Today.](#)

Youth Fitting Contest Entries Due

Saturday, September 14, 11:59 p.m.

CST, \$10 registration

Final and Late Entry deadline: Saturday, September 21, 11:59 p.m. CST, \$20 registration

Youth Showmanship Contest Entries Due

Saturday, September 14, 11:59 p.m.

CST,

\$10 registration

Final and Late Entry deadline: Saturday, September 21, 11:59 p.m. CST, \$20 registration

**Contest entries will not be accepted on site. Register today!*

[Enter Contests.](#)