

National Scrapie Eradication Program

FY 2024 Sheep Sampling Minimums

State (of Tag Origin)	VS District	FY of Most Recent Classical Scrapie Case in Sheep*	FY of Most Recent Classical Scrapie Case in Goats*	Classical Scrapie Case within Past 7 Fiscal Years**	Met >90% of Min FY23?	Met >90% of Min FY22?	Met >90% of Min FY21? ⁴	Met >90% of Min FY20? ³	Met >90% of Min FY19?	Met >90% of Min FY18?	Sum of Past 5 Yrs @ 90% or more of Min	Met min 4 out of last 5 yrs	Sampling Stage**	Breeding Ewes Population January 31, 2022 ¹	Breeding Ewes Population January 31, 2023 ²	Total Samples Collected FY 2022	FY2023 Sheep Sampling Minimum	FY2024 Sheep Sampling Minimum ***
Connecticut	1	<FY2007		No	TBD	1	1	1	1	1	5	Yes	2	3,416	3,416	64	14	14
Delaware	1	<FY2007		No	TBD	1	1	1	1	1	5	Yes	2	762	795	3	3	3
Florida	1	<FY2007		No	TBD	1	1	1	1	1	5	Yes	2	10,620	11,087	49	38	44
Georgia	1	<FY2007		No	TBD	1	1	1	1	1	5	Yes	2	10,750	11,223	153	43	45
Maine	1	<FY2007		No	TBD	1	1	1	1	1	5	Yes	2	7,617	7,516	47	30	30
Maryland	1	FY2007	FY2013	No	TBD	1	1	1	1	1	5	Yes	2	10,141	10,587	130	41	42
Massachusetts	1	<FY2007		No	TBD	1	1	1	1	1	5	Yes	2	7,516	7,516	481	30	30
New Hampshire	1	<FY2007	<FY2007	No	TBD	1	1	1	1	1	5	Yes	2	4,638	4,638	78	19	19
New Jersey	1	<FY2007		No	TBD	1	1	1	1	1	5	Yes	2	7,711	8,049	142	31	32
New York	1	FY2010		No	TBD	1	1	1	0	1	4	Yes	2	49,000	49,000	331	196	196
North Carolina	1	<FY2007		No	TBD	1	1	1	1	1	5	Yes	2	17,000	17,000	138	68	68
South Carolina	1	FY2008		No	TBD	1	1	1	1	1	5	Yes	2	5,473	5,713	56	22	23
Tennessee	1	FY2008		No	TBD	1	1	1	1	1	5	Yes	2	30,000	29,000	805	120	116
Vermont	1	<FY2007		No	TBD	1	1	1	1	1	5	Yes	2	9,807	9,807	93	39	39
Virginia	1	FY2014		No	TBD	1	1	1	1	0	4	Yes	2	46,000	45,000	236	184	180
West Virginia	1	FY2008		No	TBD	1	1	1	1	1	5	Yes	2	22,000	23,000	138	88	92
Illinois	2	FY2014	<FY2007	No	TBD	1	1	1	1	1	5	Yes	2	35,000	35,000	319	140	140
Iowa	2	FY2013	FY2014	No	TBD	1	0	1	1	1	4	Yes	2	87,000	92,000	820	348	368
Kentucky	2	FY2012		No	TBD	1	1	1	1	1	5	Yes	2	36,000	34,000	732	144	136
Minnesota	2	FY2011		No	TBD	1	1	1	1	1	5	Yes	2	63,000	64,000	427	252	256
North Dakota	2	FY2007		No	TBD	1	1	1	1	1	5	Yes	2	43,000	37,000	540	172	148
South Dakota	2	FY2011	<FY2007	No	TBD	1	1	1	1	1	5	Yes	2	146,000	151,000	1,187	584	604
Alaska	3	NRC		No	TBD	1	1	1	1	1	5	Yes	2	361	377	4	1	2
California	3	FY2011	FY2011	No	TBD	0	1	0	0	1	2	No^	2	270,000	245,000	669	875	962
Hawaii	3	NRC		No	TBD	1	1	1	1	0	4	Yes	2	11,780	12,298	43	47	49
Montana	3	FY2011		No	TBD	1	1	1	1	1	5	Yes	2	122,000	118,000	609	488	472
New Mexico	3	FY2009		No	TBD	1	1	0	1	1	4	Yes	2	21,600	20,000	103	86	80
Oregon	3	FY2013		No	TBD	0	1	1	0	1	3	No^	2	82,000	78,000	216	300	312
Utah	3	FY2012		No	TBD	1	1	0	1	1	4	Yes	2	174,600	177,300	568	698	709
Washington	3	FY2009	<FY2007	No	TBD	1	1	1	1	1	5	Yes	2	28,000	30,000	153	112	120
Wyoming	3	FY2007	<FY2007	No	TBD	1	1	1	1	1	5	Yes	2	215,000	205,000	711	860	820
Kansas	4	FY2011		No	TBD	1	1	1	1	1	5	Yes	2	35,000	40,000	370	140	160
Louisiana	4	<FY2007		No	TBD	1	1	1	1	1	5	Yes	2	5,704	5,955	39	23	24
Mississippi	4	<FY2007		No	TBD	1	1	1	1	1	5	Yes	2	7,212	7,529	31	29	30
Missouri	4	FY2011	<FY2007	No	TBD	1	1	1	0	1	4	Yes	2	62,000	63,000	327	248	252
Nebraska	4	FY2010	<FY2007	No	TBD	1	1	1	1	1	5	Yes	2	49,000	51,000	344	196	204
Oklahoma	4	FY2013		No	TBD	1	1	1	1	1	5	Yes	2	31,000	34,000	207	124	136
Rhode Island	1	<FY2007		No	TBD	1	1	1	1	0	4	Yes	2	1,006	1,006	81	4	4
Wisconsin	2	FY2015		No	TBD	0	1	1	1	1	4	Yes	2	50,000	49,000	255	200	196
Colorado	3	FY2015	FY2015	No	TBD	0	1	1	0	1	4	Yes	2	155,000	153,000	650	620	612
Idaho	3	FY2015		No	TBD	1	0	0	0	1	2	No^	2	113,000	117,000	671	452	468
Michigan	2	FY2016	FY2009	No	TBD	1	1	1	1	1	5	Yes	2	46,000	43,000	579	184	172
Ohio	2	FY2016	<FY2007	No	TBD	1	1	1	1	1	5	Yes	2	76,000	75,000	603	304	300
Texas	4	FY2016		No	TBD	0	1	1	1	1	4	No^	2	430,000	425,000	377	1,000	1,000
Alabama	1	<FY2007		No	TBD	1	1	1	0	1	4	Yes	2	10,683	11,153	81	43	45
Arizona	3	FY2007	FY2013	No	TBD	1	1	1	0	0	3	No	1->2	14,000	12,750	93	84	51
Pennsylvania	1	FY2019	FY2019	Yes	TBD	1	1	1	1	1	5	Yes	1	60,000	58,000	452	360	348
Indiana	2	FY2016	FY2019	Yes	TBD	1	1	1	1	1	5	Yes	1	39,000	41,000	539	234	246
Nevada	3	FY2007		No	TBD	1	1	0	0	0	2	No	1	44,000	42,000	235	264	252
Arkansas	4	FY2021		Yes	TBD	1	1	1	1	1	5	Yes	1	9,803	10,234	63	38	61
TOTAL														2,816,200	2,781,949	16,042	10,534	10,712

* Based on all NVSL-confirmed cases as of September 30, 2023. (i.e. could change before these FY 24 minimums go into effect)

** Sampling Stage 1 minimums are set at 1.5 times the equivalent population size in Stage 2 and are based on the same % of population for all of the states in the same stage.

*** In FY 2021, minimums were calculated based on regions which resulted in States in some regions having to sample a higher percentage of their breeding population. In FY 2022 this was changed so that all States sample the same percentage of their breeding population (0.6% to a maximum of 1000 sheep for Stage 1 - low risk, and 0.4% to a maximum of 1,000 sheep for Stage 2 - very low risk). In States where this resulted in an increase in the minimum for FY 2022, the increase was capped at 10% of the FY 2021 minimums. Since FY 2023 we are capping the increase at 10% over the prior FY minimums or the actual number collected in the prior FY, whichever is greater.

¹ Source: NASS Sheep and Goats, Jan 31, 2022

² Source: NASS Sheep and Goats, Jan 31, 2023

³ Adjusted to 81% of original minimums due to COVID 19 restrictions

⁴ Adjusted to 74% of original minimums due to COVID 19 restrictions

⁵ States denoted as 1->2 will move to stage 2 sampling if no new positive cases are found and if sampling minimums have been met in 4 out of the past 5 years. The minimums in this draft assume movement into stage 2.

[^] Met sampling requirement to move to stage 2 by sampling over 3,000 since the last positive was found.