

Utah Testing Import Requirements

*****Do not move forward with the required testing until the herd has been approved for import.*****

Brucellosis

All cervidae six months of age or older must have two negative Brucellosis tests from a single blood sample within 30 days prior to entry. Utah requires the Buffered Acidified Plate Antigen (BAPA) and Fluorescent Polarization Assay (FPA) tests. If an animal is non-negative to the FPA test, the non-negative animal must test negative to a Complement Fixation (CF) test.

All cervidae imports must comply with the provisions of the [Brucellosis in Cervidae: Uniform Methods and Rules](#). For questions regarding Brucellosis Certified-Free herds and Brucellosis Class "Free" states, please contact the Elk Program Manager at (801) 982-2235. More information on Canadian cervidae can be found in the [Protocol For the Importation of Farmed Cervids From Canada](#).

Tuberculosis (TB)

UDAF requires two negative TB tests conducted not less than 90 days apart. One test must be within 60 days of import. Elk originating from an accredited, qualified, or monitored herd only require a single negative test within 60 days of import. Elk under six months of age accompanied by a negative testing dam are exempt from the testing requirement.

All cervidae imports must comply with the provisions of the [Bovine Tuberculosis Eradication: Uniform Methods and Rules](#).