

PREMISES REGISTRATION ENCOURAGED

Premises Registration is encouraged to exhibit livestock (beef, dairy, horses, swine, sheep, goats, poultry, and rabbits) at the Illinois county fairs/State Fair.

Registering a premise involves obtaining a seven-character alpha-numeric “identifier” for the farm, ranch, veterinary clinic, or other site where livestock or fowl are handled, housed, managed, or processed.

Choosing to register your premises puts you on the frontline of controlling and preventing the spread of animal disease. A disease outbreak cannot be predicted, but it can impact every segment of animal agriculture. Participation ensures that you have the information you need when you need it most to protect your animals and your investment.

If an exhibitor wants to register their animals, an application form can be found on-line at www.agr.state.il.us/premiseid. Exhibitors who register on-line will receive a premises registration number immediately. An application can also be obtained by calling 866/299-9256. If completing an application and returning by mail, it may take up to 4 weeks to receive the number.