

UPDATED CALIFORNIA ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Effective Friday, June 12, 2026, CDFA implemented additional **entry requirements** for all warm-blooded animals entering California from a state with an active NWS-infested zone. Animals must be inspected by the animal owner/person receiving the animals within 12 hours of arrival in California. Any suspect NWS infestations must be reported to CDFA within 24 hours at **866-922-2473** or **NWSinfo@cdfa.ca.gov**.

Entering CA from State with no Infested Zones



From a State with an Infested Zone



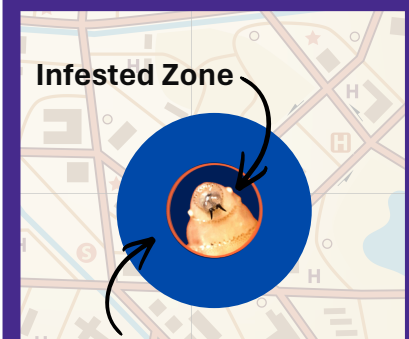
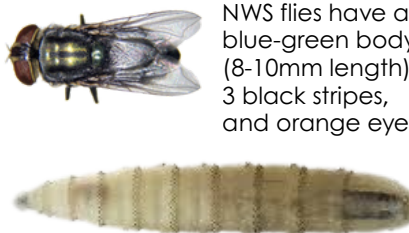
From an NWS Surveillance Zone



From an NWS Infested Zone



California's existing **interstate movement requirements** still apply. Entry requirements are based on where the animal is traveling from, including states with and without an active NWS active infestation. If a California animal attends an out-of-state exhibition, the exhibition location becomes the animal's starting location for its return to California.

Requirements for States with Infested Zones	From Outside of Infested and Surveillance Zones (Equine & companion animals)	From Surveillance Zone (All warm-blooded animals)	From Infested Zone (All warm-blooded animals)
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Each animal inspected 7 days prior to arrival <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> eCVI will be valid for 7 days (NWS statement required) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>No Treatment</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CA entry permit (48-72 hr before movement) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Each animal inspected 7 days prior to arrival <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> eCVI will be valid for 7 days (NWS statement required) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>No Treatment</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CA entry permit (48-72 hr before movement) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Each animal inspected 5 days prior to arrival <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> eCVI will be valid for 5 days (NWS statement required) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Apply NWS approved treatment <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Movement Certificate (if required by state of origin) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CA entry permit (48-72 hr before movement)
Special Considerations and Exemptions From Infested and Surveillance Zones	<p>Dairy Calves</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Each animal inspected 5 days prior to arrival <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> eCVI will be valid for 5 days (NWS statement required) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Apply NWS approved treatment <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Naval treatment for all calves < 3 weeks old <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CA entry permit (48-72 hr before movement) 	<p>State with an Infested Zone</p> 	<p>Direct to Slaughter</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Each animal inspected 3 days prior to arrival <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> eCVI will be valid for 3 days (NWS statement required) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>No Treatment</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CA entry permit (48-72 hr before movement) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Must move directly to slaughter <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Time from inspection to slaughter, less than 72 hr
	<p>Poultry Exemptions</p> <p>The following are exempt if originating from flocks participating in the National Poultry Improvement Plan (NPIP) with VS Form 9-3 documentation:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Hatching eggs are exempt <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Chicks less than 5 days of age are exempt <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Table egg shipments 	 <p>NWS flies have a blue-green body (8-10mm length) 3 black stripes, and orange eyes.</p> <p>Larvae have mouth hooks, pale color with encircling bands with dark spines, and a dark posterior.</p>	<p>Small Mammals and Exotic Pet Birds</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Each animal inspected 7 days prior to arrival <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> eCVI will be valid for 7 days (NWS statement required) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>Treatment exempt if born, bred, & continuously raised indoors</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CA entry permit (48-72 hr before movement)