

Senior Livestock Inspector
Essential Task Rating Results

Task #	Task Statement
1	Assist Veterinarian(s) in the treatment and euthanasia of animals and the disposition of animal carcasses
2	Assist Veterinarian(s) in conducting tests, necropsies & collecting samples from animals and the environment.
3	Inspect imported livestock for compliance with California animal health requirements to prevent the introductions and spread of disease.
4	Conduct the more difficult inspections of livestock in salesyards, trucks, trailers, and pens for compliance with animal health requirements.
5	Perform biosecurity, cleaning & disinfections under the supervision of a Veterinarian.
6	Review and approve or disapprove routine animal health inspection reports for conformance with State and Federal policies & procedures.
7	Participate as the Lead Livestock Inspector in field studies, research & education programs with organizations and groups working on food safety issues.
8	Assist branch personnel in response to animal production food safety emergencies.
9	Conduct the more difficult compliance investigations concerning animal health requirement violations.
10	Participate as the lead Livestock Inspector in field investigations related to emergencies associated with food safety issues.
11	Prepare and provide accurate, clear and concise oral and written reports, letters and documents.
12	Review and apply the appropriate laws, regulations, and policies of the Department and of various local, State, and Federal government agencies.
13	Participate in planning and preparing for animal health care emergencies or crises.
14	Assemble and transport livestock handling equipment to premises for testing and evaluation.
15	Perform routine maintenance, cleaning and disinfecting tool, vehicles, and equipment.
16	Transport live and dead livestock to salesyard and slaughter facilities.
17	Assist in the tracing of shipments of livestock working with salesyard owners and operators.
18	Serving quarantine and release notices, set up herd test, transporting animals working with Dairy and Ranch owners.
19	Assist in the collection of ownership information and identifying livestock working with Brand Inspectors.
20	Provide direction to Livestock Inspectors by acting in a lead capacity.