Youth Swine Programs
Assuring Future Opportunities
Premise ID Facts

Help the Swine Industry Protect our Most-Valued Assets – Our Pigs and Our People

Obtain Your Premise ID – Help the Swine Industry Track and Monitor Animal Disease

Insert your Premise ID Tags – Monitor Animal Movement and Help Contain Disease

Contribute to a Secure Pork Supply – Allow Continued Opportunities to Raise and Exhibit Swine in Ohio
Obtaining Your Premise ID and Premise ID Tags

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For additional information: 
https://www.securepork.org/pork-producers/prem-id/

Obtaining your Premise ID
Please use the following link (https://agri.ohio.gov/wps/portal/gov/oda/divisions/animal-health/forms/premise_registration_form). The form can be downloaded and filled using Adobe Acrobat or by hand. Please follow the instructions, sign the form, and either email to: cindy.bodie@agri.ohio.gov; or mail to: Ohio Department of Agriculture, Division of Animal Health, 8995 E. Main Street Reynoldsburg, OH 43068; or Fax to: 614-728-6310. Please note: Each individual site (physical address) should have its own Premise ID; therefore, if you have multiple sites, complete a Premise ID application for each site to allow for more complete information. Please be patient, as the Premise IDs are being entered as fast as personnel time allows.

Obtaining your Premise ID Tags
Nearly all tag manufacturing distributors and animal supply sources can provide Premise ID tags at a competitive price. The tags, often described as an ‘840-tag’ will contain your specific Premise ID and can contain additional information, including numerals, letters, or other information necessary to identify individual animals originating from and or transferred to a site. Premise ID tags are available for all species and come in various colors, sizes, and shapes to meet your needs. Electronic versions of Premise ID tags are also available but are not required as of 2021. Please note, the Premise ID tag is intended to stay in the pig’s ear for life and it is illegal to remove a premise ID tag. As pigs are transferred or sold, the movement to a new premise requires a record of the movement to the new premise, not a new tag. A new premise ID tag can be added to existing pig ID.

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