

For export of U.S. origin Specific Pathogen Free (SPF) eggs to the Ukraine, the following statements must appear on the APHIS-endorsed health certificate:

1. Eggs free of specific pathogens (SPFs) shall be admitted to the customs territory of Ukraine in accordance with the requirements of the International Pharmacopoeia or European Pharmacopoeia.
2. Eggs free of specific pathogens (SPFs) come from a flock of hens that:
  - a. are free of specific pathogens, the results of the diagnostic and clinical trials necessary to provide such status are satisfactory, including negative results for Newcastle disease and avian influenza during the last 30 days prior to the dispatch of eggs;
  - b. were subjected to a clinical examination at least once a week, and the results of such surveys, showed the absence of clinical signs of any illness or the reasons to suspect its presence;
  - c. have been kept at an establishment approved by the competent authority of the country of origin for at least the last six weeks and for which no veterinary and sanitary restrictions have been established by the competent authority of the country of origin;
  - d. have not been in contact with poultry with lower veterinary and sanitary status or with a game of birds during the last six weeks.
3. Eggs free of specific pathogens (SPFs) are labeled with colored ink with an identification number.
4. Eggs free of specific pathogens (SPFs) are transported in clean, single-use, disposable containers or containers that are used for the first time, and:
  - a. contain only eggs originating from one establishment;
  - b. are sealed in a way that prevents content substitution;
  - c. are clearly marked with the following information:
    - i. name, ISO code of the country / zone / compartment of origin;
    - ii. "eggs free from specific pathogens (SPFs) are only for diagnostic, experimental and pharmaceutical use";
    - iii. name, address and approval number of the establishment of production;
    - iv. the name of the country of destination.