



Animal Welfare Rating Program

Audit Prep Tool

Pig Collection Points

When Should I Use the Audit Prep Tool?

The purpose of this tool is to provide pig collection points with a simple checklist to help identify where they may have issues with compliance to the GAP Animal Welfare Program for Pig Collection Points. While this Audit Prep Tool covers many of the key requirements in our Pig Collection Point Standards, it does not cover every standard. Using this tool does not guarantee that you will pass an audit, but should help you prepare for one. This tool can be used if you are preparing for a new audit or if you are getting ready for a renewal audit. Being prepared for the audit helps to identify and resolve issues before the auditor visits your collection point, which in turn, helps the certification process go more smoothly.

Who Should Complete It?

Since this Audit Prep Tool was designed to help you get organized for your audit, it would be most beneficial if it were completed by the person(s) responsible for managing the collection point and/or an animal caretaker.

How Do I Know if My Collection Point Might Have Issues with Compliance?

This tool covers the core requirements through a series of yes/no questions. If you tick the shaded green boxes, then there is a good chance that you are in compliance with the Standard. In certain circumstances, a specific standard may not apply to your system, in which case you will also have the option to tick the 'NA' box. If you tick any non-shaded boxes, or are uncertain about any of the questions, we recommend reviewing our resources in the Pig area of the GAP website or checking in with your certifier for additional help before scheduling the audit.

Where Can I Get More Help?

You can find additional information, including additional resources and templates, on the Pig area of the GAP website. If you have any questions, feel free to reach out to your certifier or the Farm Animal Welfare team (standards@globalanimalpartnership.org) at GAP.

Requirements

		Yes	No	NA
COLLECTION POINT STANDARDS				
C1.1	Certification			
C1.1.2	Do you have a way to segregate GAP and non-GAP pigs?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
	Do you have a way to segregate GAP pigs with different Step ratings?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
	Is your segregation plan written down?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
C1.2	Employees			
C1.2.1	Do you have a training program for all employees that: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Is written and/or hands-on b. Is presented in employees' language c. Covers individual's responsibilities d. Describes normal and abnormal pig behavior e. Covers emergency procedures f. Is provided before the individual handles pigs g. Is on-going 	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
C1.2.2	Do you check pigs at least twice a day?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
C1.3	Condition of Animals			
C1.3.1	If a pig arrives with one of the following conditions, is it immediately euthanized on the truck? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Sick, injured, weak, disabled or fatigued b. Lamé c. A body condition score <2** 	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
C1.3.2	If a pig develops one of the following conditions on site, are they either euthanized or given additional care? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Sick, injured, weak, disabled or fatigued b. Lamé c. A body condition score <2** <p><i>*see Appendix I of the Pig Collection Point Standards</i> <i>** see Appendix II of the Pig Collection Point Standards</i></p>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
C1.4	Feed and Water			
C1.4.1	If pigs are held at your Collection Point for more than 4 hours, do you: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Give them continuous access to water after 4 hours b. Keep records of arrival and departure times c. Keep records of time water was provided 	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
C1.4.2	If you keep pigs overnight, are they fed?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
C1.5	Shelter			
C1.5.1	Do you give pigs shade, fans, or other ways to stay cool in hot weather?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
	Do you give pigs bedding, windbreaks, other ways to stay warm in cold weather?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
C1.6	Handling			
C1.6.3	Do you use electric prods?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
C1.7	Loading/Unloading			
C1.7.2	Do ramp slopes for the first trailer deck have more than a 20-degree incline?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

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C1.7.3	Are ramps designed to minimize slips and falls? (e.g., made with cleats, treads, or stair steps)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
C1.8	Records			
C1.8.1	Do you keep records of each shipment of pigs that includes:			
	a. The name of the source operation	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
	b. Number of pigs	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
	c. Step-rating	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
C1.9	Euthanasia			
C1.9.1	Are the people who perform euthanasia trained?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
C1.9.4	Does the person pigs remain with them until they are sure the it is dead?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
C1.9.5	When you find a pig that needs to be euthanized, do you do it within 24 hours?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
C1.9.6	Do you euthanize pigs using:			
	a. Gunshot to the head	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
	b. Penetrating captive bolt (followed by exsanguination or pithing)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
	c. Anesthetic overdose	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
	d. Blunt force trauma	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
	e. Non-penetrating captive bolt	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
	f. Other	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
C1.9.8	Once you've euthanized a pig, do you take it out of the pen right away?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	