### CWD Herd Census, Additions, Subtractions, Deaths, Newborns, & Reconciliations

On these forms you will indicate all animals on your premises that are owned, purchased and sold by you during the time period between the previous year's herd census and the current herd census. The Herd Census AND Herd Health Letter **must be submitted 30 days either side of your enrollment anniversary date**. Please complete and date all forms in ink.

# General Information - Please make copies of the forms for future use.

Area in bold box - Information in this area will pertain to your herd.

**Official Identification** - All IDs (official, unique, and ancillary) of each cervid that is at least one year old must be listed:

- A 15 Digit Country Coded (840) Animal Identification Number (AIN) eartag (includes visual and/or RFID).
- A National Uniform Eartagging System (NUES) tag (includes USDA alpha-numeric, **9-digit**, silver metal tag applied by a certified veterinarian [example 35DEF1234]).
- An AVID, **9-digit**, microchip. List the entire number.

#### Unique Identification -

- NAEBA tag. Use the complete 9-digit ID from the back and front of the tag and list the tag color (example WI ABC 901L).
- CWD individual plastic ID number tag, (a <u>number assigned by Division of Animal Health</u>.)
  Use the complete 9 to 11-digit ID (old type = 35-CV-999-0001 new type = WI-999-0001).
- Microchip, use the whole number.
- Registered tattoo (<u>number which is provided upon request by Division of Animal Health</u>). Right ear will equal farm ID (WI ###). Left ear will equal individual ID (up to 4 digits with no repeats in the herd).

**Ancillary Identification** - Any additional identification present on the animal.

Month & Year Born - Enter the month and year the animal was born. (June of 2001 would be 6/01).

Sex - Use "M" (male) or "F" (female)

#### **Herd Census Form:**

This form will include all animals in your herd at the time you are preparing the census for submission to the Division of Animal Health (Use the date that you completed the form at the top of the page). All purchases you have made in the time period between last year's census and the current year's census will be on this <u>form as well as</u> on the <u>Additions Form</u>.

When using the continuation sheet of the any of the forms, please fill in the "#" column to the left, continuing with the number following the last number from the previous page.

**Date Added to Herd**-List Month/Day/Year. For all animals born in the herd you may use NA for Natural Addition. Animals born to the herd do not go on the Additions form.

<u>Herd Additions Form</u>: Do not use this form for animals born into the herd, only for those coming from other herds. A separate Newborns form is available for animals born at your premises.

**Received From**-This form should include the consignor's complete name, address, city, state and postal code, of who you received them from. If you need more space please include on a separate sheet of paper.

**Source Herd CWD Number-**For all animals received, provide the Official CWD Herd Number, of the herd that the animal(s) were purchased from.

**How long in source herd** -The length of time that the animal(s) spent in the herd that they came from.

### **Herd Subtractions Form (Live animals moving to other herds):**

**Moved To**-This form should have the complete name, address, city, state and postal code of where the animal(s) went. If you need more space please include on a separate sheet of paper.

#### **Deaths Form:**

Include all animals that died or were slaughtered.

## **Newborns Form:**

Add all animals that were born on your premises. Mark the "sold," "died" or "still in herd" column when they are included on the Herd Census form with an official ID by 12 months old.

If you have questions about filling out any of the forms, please call Dr. Bourie at 608-224-4886.