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Official Notice:

The Ohio Department of Agriculture (ODA) is moving toward the utilization of electronic Certificates of Veterinary Inspection (eCVI's) in an effort to modernize the reporting of animal movements and disease. This change is necessary to increase efficiency in Ohio's Animal Disease Traceability (ADT) efforts.

Using eCVI's will allow for information on animal movements to be reported immediately, which is necessary for animal disease control and eradication programs. Currently, five people at ODA are dedicated to manually entering the information from paper CVIs which costs ODA \$150,000 a year. It also slows the process dramatically for recording that data and sharing it with other states.

Beginning **October 1, 2021, ODA will begin charging \$75 per paper booklet of 25 CVI's (Large and Small Animal booklets).*

Currently, there are several electronic CVI software programs available for accredited veterinarians to use:

- Vet Sentry: <https://www.vet-sentry.com/>
- AgMove CVI: <https://agmovecvi.com/> (formerly AgView)
- VSPS: <https://vsapps.aphis.usda.gov/vsps/>
- Global Vet Link: <https://www.globalvetlink.com/>

Please help us in these efforts to convert to eCVI's. This [short video](#) will further explain the movement toward an electronic process and what veterinarians should do. ODA is happy to answer any questions. Please contact Cindy Bodie at 614.728.6220 or cindy.bodie@agri.ohio.gov

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