



Livestock Indemnity Program (LIP)



Types of Losses



- Provides assistance to eligible livestock producers with the following type of losses due to an eligible loss condition:
 - Death Loss in excess of normal mortality
 - Injured livestock sold at a reduced price



Eligible Producer

An individual or entity that is:

- A citizen of the United States
- A resident alien (lawful alien)
- A partnership of citizens of the United States
- A corporation, LLC, or other farm organizational structure organized under State law
- Indian tribe or tribal organization

Note: Additional eligible producer criteria for livestock, honeybee, and farm-raised fish producers.





Eligible Producer



Eligible livestock owner as of the day of the eligible loss condition caused death or injury:

- had production and market risk associated with the agricultural production of livestock
- had legal ownership of eligible livestock for which benefits are requested
- is producing livestock for commercial use as part of the farming operation

OR



Eligible Producer



Contract grower as of the day of the eligible loss condition meets all the terms and conditions of eligible livestock owner but whose interest in the poultry or swine is not as owner but a s person or entity who has a written agreement with the owner of the eligible livestock owner that conveys to the contract grower:

- Control of the eligible livestock
- Risk of loss in the eligible livestock

Note: Contract growers are not eligible for livestock sold at a reduced price due to injury.



Eligible Livestock

Adult and nonadult animals are eligible.

Eligible Grazing Livestock		
Alpacas	Deer	Ostriches
Beef Cattle	Elk	Poultry
Beefalo	Emus	Reindeer
Buffalo/Bison	Equine	Sheep
Caribou	Goats	Swine
Dairy Cattle	Llamas	Water Buffalo





Eligible Livestock



- Must be all of the following:
 - Been owned by an eligible livestock producer or contract grower when the livestock were died or were injured
 - Been maintained or produced for commercial use of livestock operation
 - Died in excess of normal mortality or sold due to injured due to injury with 30 calendar days after the loss condition



National Payment Rates



- 75% of the average fair market value
- Determined by CCC
- Payment rates determine for each weight, kind, type



Livestock Eligible Loss Conditions

- Earthquake
- Hail
- Lightning
- Tornado
- Tropical storm
- Typhoon
- Vog
- Hurricane
- Flood
- Blizzard
- Wildfire
- Extreme heat
- Extreme cold
- Straight-line winds
- Eligible winter storm



Notice of Loss



- Producer must file a notice of loss by the application deadline
- 60 calendar days following the calendar year



Application for Payment



- Producer must file an application for payment by the application deadline
- 60 calendar days following the calendar year

Note: Application for payment includes provide loss information to determine the payment amount.



Acceptable Supporting Documentation



Acceptable Documentation

Verifiable – records that can be verified through a 3rd party

Reliable – producer contemporaneous records



Documentation Needed

- Beginning inventory
- Death loss
- Weather event
- Contract grower contract, if applicable





Additional Supporting Documents



- Payment Eligibility
 - CCC-902/CCC-901
 - AD-1026
 - CCC-941





Where to Apply



- Local FSA Office

<https://www.farmers.gov/service-locator>



- Select your State and County



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Visit the Risk Management Agency website to find a [regional or compliance office](#) or to find an [insurance agent](#) near you.

State County



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Fact Sheet: https://www.fsa.usda.gov/Assets/USDA-FSA-Public/usdfiles/FactSheets/2024/fsa_lip_livestock_3_2024.pdf

