



Pullorum Testing for Fair Season

**New Regulation (WAC 16-59) adopted January 3, 2008, states:
All birds going to shows need to be tested for Pullorum-typhoid (P-T)**

PT-Testing:

- ❖ All species of birds tested except waterfowl, pigeons, and doves



How exhibitors can meet these requirements:

- ❖ Birds can be bought from a:
 - National Poultry Improvement Plan (NPIP) participating flock
 - Feed Store
 - Hatchery
 - WSDA recommends that exhibitors keep receipts or other documentation that verifies that the birds are from an approved source
- ❖ *Blood can be drawn by the owner, vet tech or private practitioner
 - Test results good for 90 days
 - Present test results at the show
- ❖ If funding allows, and your Fair requests WSDA to attend, your birds can be tested at the show or before the show by WSDA veterinarians. (Applicable fees will apply)
 - WSDA will issue test certificate

***Note: If you will be drawing blood prior to the show, please contact WSDA for Information on submission of lab samples.**

