

# ScotEID Quick Guide for Pig Movements



## Receiving Pigs

1. Before taking ownership of Pigs you should register your land with your local [RPID](#) office to obtain a county parish holding number (CPH).
2. You also need to contact your local [Animal & Plant Health Agency \(APHA\)](#) to register as a pig keeper and obtain a pig herdmark.
3. You should obtain a pig movement document from the person you are receiving the pigs from.
4. Within 3 days of movement, you must login to [ScotEID.com](#) to sign off the pig move (scanning the QR code will take you directly to the correct page), or contact ScotEID on the details below to confirm receipt of the pigs.

## Moving Pigs

1. Before moving pigs off your holding, login to [ScotEID.com](#) or contact ScotEID on the details below to consign the movement electronically.
2. Ensure that you have the correct CPH number and contact details of the receiving keeper.
3. Take a copy of the movement document with you for transportation purposes.
4. Give the receiving keeper a copy of the movement document.

## Identification

**Permanent Mark** (*Eartag, Slapmark or Tattoo*) – a valid herdmark must be used for pigs moving to a market, abattoir or moving farm to farm over 12 months of age. Pigs moving to a show must have an individual ID.

**Temporary Mark** (*Paint Mark*) - only applicable for pigs under 12 months of age moving farm to farm. Pigs must be accompanied by a movement document which identified the holding of origin.

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