

1. HOW TO ENROLL:

- a. The sheep producer must first be willing to follow the project protocols and agree to fulfill the minimum biosecurity requirements.
- b. Concomitant enrollment in the Ontario Sheep Health Program¹ (OSHP) is strongly advised for all OMVFSP participating flocks.
- c. Application forms are available from the Projects Manager at the Ontario Sheep Marketing Agency (519-836-0043).
- d. They must also indicate whether they wish to enrol in the “Whole Flock” program or the “Monitored” program.
- e. To qualify for either program, the producer must agree to the following:
 - i. Sheep will be uniquely identified within the flock and this identification will be maintained for the duration of the enrollment in the program.
 - ii. The producer will have the required sheep sampled in the time frames outlined in the program.
 - iii. Sheep and their offspring will be removed from the flock as required by the project.
 - iv. Biosecurity requirements will be followed to reduce the risk of reintroduction of MV-v into the flock.
 - v. The producer will be responsible for paying in a timely fashion for all charges incurred by the OMVFSP

¹http://www.uoguelph.ca/~pmenzies/OSHP_Home.htm