



# American Dairy Goat Association

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## 2024 DHIR HERD TEST RENEWAL

Includes ADGA PLUS

**\*DEADLINE JANUARY 31, 2024\***

\*If you select DHI 40 Owner/Sampler AR, documentation of your tester training **must** be on file or included with this application.\*

Type of Test: <input type="checkbox"/> Group <input type="checkbox"/> Standard <input type="checkbox"/> Owner	<b>TEST TYPE PLAN:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> DHIR 20–Standard <input type="checkbox"/> ADGA ITP 00–EOM	<input type="checkbox"/> ADGA ITP 02–APCS <input type="checkbox"/> DHIR 22–APCS <input type="checkbox"/> DHIR 23–AP (bulk tank req.)	<input type="checkbox"/> DHI 40 Owner/Sampler AR * <input type="checkbox"/> DHI 40 Owner/Sampler ST
Tester: Name, ID#, Telephone/Email:		Name of <b>DHIA</b> :	
DRPC: <input type="checkbox"/> AgSource <input type="checkbox"/> Amelcor (DHI Provo) <input type="checkbox"/> DRMS Raleigh <input type="checkbox"/> AgriTech Analytics			
MEMBERS OF TESTING GROUP (List Group Leader first)			
Name/Tester ID #		ADGA ID #	
Telephone/Email			
<input type="checkbox"/> Annual Herd Renewal Test Fee 1-5 does \$ 40.00 <input type="checkbox"/> Annual Herd Renewal Test Fee 6-25 does \$ 45.00 <input type="checkbox"/> Annual Herd Renewal Test Fee 26+ does \$ 70.00 <input type="checkbox"/> Discount for LA application \$ -5.00 <b>In addition – I would like :</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>ADGA PLUS new</b> & 3 DNA tests \$ 75.00 OR <input type="checkbox"/> <b>ADGA PLUS renew</b> – 3 DNA tests \$ 65.00 <small>either includes subscription reports</small> Amount Enclosed \$ _____		<input type="checkbox"/> Check Enclosed Check # _____ <input type="checkbox"/> VISA/MasterCard Exp. Date _____ Card # _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Funds are Present on my Online ADGA Account. <div style="background-color: yellow; padding: 5px;"><b>➤ Discount <u>ONLY</u> applies if DHIR and LA application are sent together!</b></div> <div style="background-color: yellow; padding: 5px;"><b>➤ ADGA PLUS requires participation in DHIR and Linear Appraisal. *</b></div> <div style="background-color: yellow; padding: 5px;"><b>➤ ADGA PLUS includes 3 prepaid DNA and access to subscription reports.</b></div>	

DHIR Herd Code # \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

- ◆ List on the reverse side of this form the barn name and registration number for all does on test.
- ◆ Herd owners must take the responsibility for knowing when a verification test is needed, making sure it is done during the current lactation, and notifying ADGA when it is completed.
- ◆ Renewal fees must be paid at the first of each year or records will not be official DHIR with ADGA.
- ◆ Publication rights of any production information are granted to ADGA for use in dairy goat research or ADGA Programs. ADGA requires Open Herd Disclosure for all DHIR participants.
- ◆ See the ADGA Guidebook for rules not covered in the NDHIA Uniform Operating Procedures and the Dairy Goat Standard Operating Procedures.

I understand that it is my responsibility to know and abide by all NDHIA, regional DHIA, and ADGA Testing Rules. I understand that any fraudulent practice in feeding, care, or management of my does on test that is intended to cause, or does cause an abnormal yield of milk, butterfat, or protein, or is intended to influence rolling herd averages or USDA genetic evaluations is a violation of NDHIA and ADGA rules. I understand that any violation of these rules may cause the rejection, or the expunging and canceling of the record; and in addition, may cause me to be denied the use of and privileges of DHIR testing.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ ADGA ID # \_\_\_\_\_

## *Definitions*

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NDHIA - National Dairy Herd Improvement Program.

DHIR - Dairy Herd Improvement Registry. The production testing program where lactation records are sent to the respective breed associations for their awards or recognition.

DRPC - Dairy Records Processing Center. The computing center where the records sheets and lab results are sent for data processing.

DHIA - DHIA Service Affiliate is the organization authorized by National DHIA to conduct DHI service.

Laboratory - This is the facility approved by National DHIA to analyze component samples.

Reciprocal testing - testing between two herds - **this is NOT allowed in ADGA DHIR.**

Tester/Technician - No DHI Supervisor (tester) shall test any animal:

- a. that is owned partially or entirely by the Supervisor.
- b. that is owned partially or entirely by any member of the Supervisor's immediate family, which includes children, grandchildren, parents, grandparents, sibling, or spouse.
- c. that is owned partially or entirely by the Supervisor's employer or employee. For the purposes of this section, "employer" shall mean any person for whom the Supervisor is rendering services for recompense; or who has rendered services since the last test day; or who is under contract to provide such service, whether on a fee or salary basis, except as specifically directed by the Association.
- d. in which the Supervisor has any pecuniary interest.
- e. over which the Supervisor has any supervision, except that occurring as a responsibility of a DHI Testing Supervisor.

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