

Are your clients approaching a CBI (Compulsory BVD Investigation)?

A herd enters the CBI (Compulsory BVD Investigation) when it has been continuously BVD Not Negative for 15 months. With timely intervention and appropriate BVD testing, the herd can avoid a CBI.

CBIs are preventable

ScotEID sends advisory letters to keepers when their breeding herd has been continuously Not Negative for 13 months. This gives the keeper time to gain a Negative herd status before the 15 month deadline.

What your clients already know

Keepers of breeding herds that are approaching a CBI will receive an advisory letter from ScotEID reminding them to review their herd status and to contact their vet for advice on BVD testing if needed. In addition, keepers can log into their ScotEID account to view their own BVD testing.

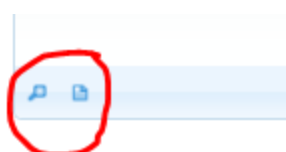
How to find the “approaching CBI” list on the ScotEID website

The ScotEID website lists all herds that are approaching a CBI in the next 2 months. The list is only visible to certain users, including the ScotEID Helpline Team, vets and Local Authorities.

Log in to ScotEID and click on the arrow next to “BVD CBI holdings” on the Cattle menu, this gives the additional option “BVD holdings approaching CBI”:



The list of holdings approaching a CBI is usually short (less than 20 holdings). You can use the “download” or “search” buttons at the foot of the CBI holdings table to sort through the table and find your clients’ herds:



Need more help? If you have questions about the CBI, please contact the ScotEID Helpline 01466 794323.