

## Purebred Dexter Cattle Association of North America

## **Registration Criteria**

### **Standard Registration**

Animal to be registered must be the offspring of a sire and dam that are registered in the Purebred Dexter Cattle Association registry or other recognized Dexter cattle registry including but limited to: Legacy Dexter Cattle Registry, American Dexter Cattle Association and Canadian Dexter Cattle Association. No genetic testing required if information submitted is undisputed. See PDCA Rules & Regulations.

#### **Certified Registration**

In addition to the Standard Registration criteria, a
Certified Registration must provide proof by genetic
testing or by obligate of the following:
Genotyping
Chondro status (positive or negative)
PHA status (positive or negative)

# Other Genetic Information

If submitted, additional genetic testing can be included on/added to an animals registration certificate:

Parent verification A2 Beta Casein Color verification Polled status

### **Definitions**

**Breeder** – Owner of the dam at time of breeding to produce the animal being registered.

**Owner** – Legal owner of the dam at time of calving of animal being registered.

**Herd Prefix** – A breeders unique identifying word, name, initials, variation or abbreviation to be included in the name of all offspring produced by that breeder.

A herd prefix will identify *your* cow named Bessie from *someone else's* cow named Bessie.

Example: Tom & Linda Casey of Lucky Charm Irish Dexter Cattle

Possible Herd Prefix:

TLC Bessie, Casey's Bessie, Lucky Charm Bessie

The herd prefix of breeder (not owner) should be included in the name of animal at time of registration.

**Tattoo** – A form of permanent identification. Can be tattoo in ear, branding, freeze branding, USDA tag, micro chip, etc. Standard ear tags are not considered permanent.

Steer Registration	Steer Registration fee - \$5. Submit using online Registration form at www.dexterstoday.com/registration-only. Certificate provided as PDF by email
Record of Birth	There is no fee to submit a Record of Birth. Submit using online Record of Birth form at www.dexterstoday.com/record-birth