



ANIMAL HEALTH TEST OPTIONS

Effective July 1, 2018

<p><i>Bartonella</i> ePCR™ Single Blood or Single Fluid Draw</p> <p>Enrichment culture in patented BAPGM media provides enhanced detection of <i>Bartonella</i> DNA missed by standard PCR detection methods. Genus-level primers detect the presence of <i>Bartonella</i> DNA occurring at a detectable level. All positive results are verified by DNA sequencing.</p>	<p>Specimen Requirements:</p> <p>Storage Instructions:</p> <p>Results Provided:</p> <p>Cost:</p>	<p>2-3 ml blood in purple top tube (EDTA)</p> <p>Refrigerated at 2-8°C or frozen at minus 20°C</p> <p>3 weeks</p> <p>\$135</p>
<p><i>Bartonella</i> ePCR™ Triple Blood Draw</p> <p>Enrichment culture in patented BAPGM media provides enhanced detection of <i>Bartonella</i> DNA missed by standard PCR detection methods. Genus-level primers detect the presence of <i>Bartonella</i> DNA occurring at a detectable level. All positive results are verified by DNA sequencing.</p>	<p>Specimen Requirements:</p> <p>Storage Instructions:</p> <p>Results Provided:</p> <p>Cost:</p>	<p>3 draws within 5-7 days (M-W-F) of 2-3 ml blood in purple top tube (EDTA)</p> <p>Refrigerated at 2-8°C or frozen at minus 20°C</p> <p>3 weeks</p> <p>\$270</p>
<p><i>Bartonella</i> ePCR™ Fresh/Frozen Tissue</p> <p>Pre-culture PCR of specimen followed by BAPGM enrichment culture and post-enrichment PCR. All positive results are verified by DNA sequencing.</p>	<p>Specimen Requirements:</p> <p>Storage Instructions:</p> <p>Results Provided:</p> <p>Cost:</p>	<p>0.5 to 1 gram in sterile tube hydrated with sterile saline</p> <p>Refrigerated at 2-8°C or frozen at minus 20°C</p> <p>3 weeks</p> <p>\$210</p>
<p><i>Bartonella</i> PCR Paraffin-Embedded Tissue</p> <p>Standard PCR for testing samples. Genus-level primers detect the presence of <i>Bartonella</i> DNA occurring at a detectable level. All positive results are verified by DNA sequencing.</p>	<p>Specimen Requirements:</p> <p>Storage Instructions:</p> <p>Results Provided:</p> <p>CPT Coding:</p> <p>Cost:</p>	<p>2 cuts of minimum 50 microns thickness each in sterile tube</p> <p>Ambient</p> <p>1 week</p> <p>87471x1</p> <p>\$135</p>
<p><i>Bartonella</i> Serology Panel</p> <p>Detects antibodies against <i>Bartonella henselae</i>, <i>Bartonella vinsonii subsp. berkhoffii</i> and <i>Bartonella koehlerae</i>.</p>	<p>Specimen Requirements:</p> <p>Storage Instructions:</p> <p>Results Provided:</p> <p>Cost:</p>	<p>2-3 ml of serum in a red top tube or a tiger top tube</p> <p>Refrigerated at 2-8°C or frozen at minus 20°C</p> <p>1 week (if received Tuesday); 2 weeks if received Wednesday through Friday)</p> <p>\$70</p>