



November 7, 2019

Dear Client,

The following are minor updates to the Pennsylvania Animal Diagnostic Laboratory System (PADLS) fees, and will be effective January 1, 2020.

All mammalian pathology autopsy fees will now include disposal and accession fees. Please contact New Bolton Center for fees related to carcass disposal.

1. Equine autopsy/necropsy had a minor increase (now includes disposal and accession fees) and is much easier to understand  
>250 lbs. tier 1 fee, \$250.00  
>250 lbs. tier 2 fee, \$350.00
2. Fee for poultry autopsy/necropsy for 1-10 **commercial birds will remain the same at \$60.00** but a cap of \$350.00 will now be applied for ancillary testing in line with such testing in other species.
3. Q-fever (*Coxiella burnetti*) ELISA fee will be increased from \$6.00 to \$12.00.
4. Small companion animal pet autopsy/necropsies will be charged at the rate of dog and cat necropsies \$368.00.

If you should have any further questions or concerns regarding the fees, you may contact the laboratories for more information.

Thank you for your continued support!

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**Animal Diagnostic Laboratory, State College 814-863-0837**  
**New Bolton Center, Kennett Square 610-925-6211**

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