

Tier Level Descriptions

Testing refers to any set of tests done on a case. Since every case is different, the testing performed will be different and based on the clinical signs, history and autopsy findings.

Tier 1 - Allows up to \$90 of testing.

Example: This would include microscope examination of the tissues plus 2-3 other tests

Tier 2 - Allows \$90.01 – 225.00 of testing.

Most scours and respiratory cases fall in this category.

The client will incur additional fees for testing that exceeds \$225

Note: If you select Tier 2 but the pathologist can get a diagnosis for less, we will charge you for a Tier 1 (we will always lower the price if we can).

Questions to Consider when Completing the History Section

1. What signs did the animal have and for how long?
2. If you have other animals, are they experiencing the same signs?
3. Did the animal have neurological signs such as foaming at the mouth, paralysis, tremors or shaking, trouble walking, ear droop?
4. What medications or treatments was the animal given?
5. Has the animal been vaccinated? If so, when and what for?
6. Was the animal eating/drinking?
7. Has there been any change in food or water?
8. Have any new animals been introduced to your farm recently?
9. Do you go to shows or sale barns? If yes, when was the last one?

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