

WVDL PATHOLOGY SECTION-PROCEDURES AND FEES

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*******Please note prices for out of state owners*******

**All requests must be from a veterinarian or professional poultry/fishery/agricultural consultant.
If specified, price includes the \$10.00 accession fee.**

PROCEDURES

	WI Resident	Out-of-State Owner
Surgical Biopsy-Histopathology (fee covers routine H&E and two slides with special stain; if needed)		
1-3 slides : same animal <i>Accession fee included in cost</i>	\$ 53.00	Biopsies are exempt from out- of-state pricing
4-8 slides : same animal <i>Accession fee included in cost</i>	\$ 63.00	
Over 8 slides : \$63 (4-8 slides) plus \$7 for each additional slide		
Immunohistochemistry Price varies depending on request	Inquire	
Second Opinions (biopsies)		
Original submission at WVDL	No Charge	
Original submission elsewhere <i>Accession fee included in cost</i>	\$53-\$63	
Bottle Necropsy		
Any species, one animal. Includes fresh and fixed tissues and includes additional tests listed below**** <i>Accession fee included in cost</i>	\$ 104.00	

STANDARD ANIMAL NECROPSIES (Includes additional tests listed below****)

Bovine ≥30months or of unreported age require special disposal - see below for price

Bovine, Bison, Llama, Alpaca		
Fetus-6mo (1-2 fetuses-same dam; pooled tests) <i>Accession fee included in cost</i>	\$ 104.00	\$ 151.00
6mo-adult <i>Accession fee included in cost</i>	\$ 123.00	\$ 180.00
Sheep, Goat, Cervid (These animals require special disposal - see below for price)		
Fetus-6mo (1-2 fetuses/newborns-same dam; pooled tests) <i>Accession fee included in cost</i>	\$ 104.00	\$ 151.00
6mo-adult <i>Accession fee included in cost</i>	\$ 123.00	\$ 180.00
Porcine		
Fetus-6mo (1-3 fetuses/newborns-same dam; pooled tests) <i>Accession fee included in cost</i>	\$ 104.00	\$ 151.00
6 mo-adult <i>Accession fee included in cost</i>	\$ 123.00	\$ 180.00
Horses		
Fetus-6 mo <i>Accession fee included in cost</i>	\$ 153.00	\$ 225.00
6 mo-adult <i>Accession fee included in cost</i>	\$ 353.00	\$ 525.00
Dogs, Cats		
Fetus or neonate (1-2 of same litter; pooled tests) <i>Accession fee included in cost</i>	\$ 123.00	\$ 180.00
Juvenile-adult <i>Accession fee included in cost</i>	\$ 182.00	\$ 267.00
Mustelids, Rabbits, Pocket Pets		
Any Age (1-2, same litter/group; pooled tests) <i>Accession fee included in cost</i>	\$ 98.00	\$ 142.00
Ratite (Ostrich, Emu, Rhea)		
Eggs or sm birds (1-2 of same clutch or group; pooled tests) <i>Accession fee included in cost</i>	\$ 98.00	\$ 142.00
Juvenile-adult <i>Accession fee included in cost</i>	\$ 113.00	\$ 164.00
Poultry		
Any age (1-5 of same group; if samples are pooled) <i>Accession fee included in cost</i>	\$ 98.00	\$ 142.00
Pet Birds		
Any age (1-2 if juvenile and from same clutch/group; pooled tests) <i>Accession fee included in cost</i>	\$ 98.00	\$ 142.00
Reptile		
Any Age <i>Accession fee included in cost</i>	\$ 98.00	\$ 142.00
Aquatic		
Any Age <i>Accession fee included in cost</i>	\$ 67.00	\$ 96.00

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****Necropsies include the following tests: Gross examination, histopathology, routine bacteriology, virology, parasitology, and antimicrobial susceptibility. **Note:** Serology tests, immunohistochemistry, toxicology assays, referral tests, and herd/flock surveillance testing are at an additional cost.

****Routine disposal by rendering for agricultural animals, including horses; is included in the necropsy fee. When required, tissue digestion, incineration, and cremation are at additional cost (see below).

OTHER PROCEDURES

	WI Resident	Out-of-State Owner
Brain Removal only	\$ 57.00	\$ 57.00
Legal cases / whole body submission (Please call prior to submission for consult)	\$ 800.00	N/A
Legal cases / tissue submission	\$ 165.00	N/A
Insurance cases (Please call prior to submission for consult)		
Spinal cord removal (in addition to necropsy fee)	\$ 150.00	\$ 225.00
Euthanasia		
We prefer that the submitting veterinarian euthanize all species unless other arrangements have been made.		

ANIMAL CARCASS DISPOSAL

Incineration or alkaline hydrolysis (tissue digestion) is required for dogs, cats, deer, elk, goats, rabies-positive animals, and for other animals which disposal companies will not accept.

Madison Lab		
Incineration of carcasses	0.50/lb	0.75/lb
Tissue digestion of carcasses	0.50/lb	0.75/lb
Barron Lab		
Incineration of carcasses	0.50/lb	0.75/lb
Cremation of pets		
Private and group cremation is available (please inquire about pricing)		

Please confirm disposal prices with the lab before invoicing your client.

NEW FDA RULE Results in Disposal Fee for Dead Cattle ≥ 30 Months of Age

FDA rule 21CFR 589.2001 effective as of April 2009 states that brain and spinal cord of cattle 30 months of age and older may not be rendered for use in any type of animal feed. Please be sure to indicate on the WVDL submission form the age of all bovine animals, even young animals. WVDL will remove the brain and spinal column with pelvis from the necropsied animal and then digest (Madison) or send out for industrial incineration (Barron) for a flat fee of \$150.00 per adult.

CNS disposal (in addition to necropsy fee)	\$ 150.00	\$ 150.00
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