

# CLINPATH

## Companion Animal Investigation

Clinician	
Vet Practice	
Telephone	
Email	

Owner			
Animal Name			
Species			
Breed			
I.D.			
Sex		Age	

Date Collected:	
Fasted:	
Previous lab ref (if applicable):	

Sample types(s):			
EDTA		Blood smears	
Heparin		Cytology smears	
Flouride		Fluid - Plain tube	
Clotted whole blood		Fluid - EDTA	
Serum, seperated		Bone marrow	
Gel tube		Tissues in formalin	
Citrate		Urine*	
Blood smears		Faeces	
Swab for bacteriology		Skin scrape or hair pluck	
Other (Please specify)			
*If submitting urine, please specify type:			

**Animal and Sample Identification.** Please indicate tests required on test form (second page).

<b>History and differential diagnosis</b> (Please include details of any recent foreign travel, contact with imported animals or association with any infectious disease outbreaks.)	
<b>Location(s) and description of the lesion (size, appearance etc.)</b> Please label all slides and containers	

### Biobest Use Only

No. of Samples:	Databased:	RFN:
	Ref Check:	
Booked in by:	Report Sent:	

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Small Animal Profiles	
Small animal full profile biochemistry only Albumin, ALT, AP, bilirubin, calcium, chloride, cholesterol, creatine, globulin, glucose, phosphate, potassium, sodium, total protein and urea	
Small animal full profile inc. haematology	
Short FIP Profile FCoV serology, AGP and albumin/globulin	
Full FIP Profile Full (Wet) FCoV serology, AGP, albumin/globulin and cytology	
Full FIP Profile Full (Dry) FCoV serology, AGP, albumin/globulin and haematology	

Haematology (Sample required: EDTA blood and freshly made blood smears, unless otherwise specified)	
Routine haematology with smear report	
Smear report only	

Cytology	
Cytology smears, single site (up to 4 smears)	
Additional site	
Full fluid analysis: total protein, cell count, and cytology	

Please label all slides with name and location.

Coagulation tests (Sample required: sodium citrated blood)	
Fibrinogen	
d-dimer	
Coagulation profile basic (PT, APTT, Fibrinogen)	

Skin	
Skin scraping for ectoparasites	
Direct microscopy for bacteria & fungi	
Bacterial culture & sensitivity	
Dermatophyte culture	
Skin analysis panel (direct microscopy, bacteriology, and dermatophyte culture)	

Microbiology	
Bacterial culture & sensitivity	
Bacterial culture & sensitivity plus anaerobes	
Fungal culture	
Dermatophyte culture	

Histopathology	
Single site	
Additional site	
Digit/tail/tooth/external ear canal	
Large biopsy with margin check*	

Tissue should be fixed in 10x volume of formalin  
\*Please enquire with Biobest prior to submission

Faecal Samples	
Faecal worm egg count & coccidia	
Faecal lungworm larvae	
Faecal Giardia (immunological)	
Faecal occult blood	
Salmonella screen	
Campylobacter screen	
Routine bacterial culture and sensitivity	
Small animal enteritis profile: (Bacteriology, worm egg count, coccidia, Giardia)	

Urine	
Urinalysis	
Full urinalysis (includes culture)	
Urine protein:creatinine ratio	
Urine cortisol:creatinine ratio	
Calculi analysis	
Urine culture and sensitivity	

Special biochemistry tests (Sample required: serum, unless otherwise specified below)	
Amylase	
Bile acids	
CRP	
CPSE	
Digoxin*	
Fructosamine	
Lead§	
Lipase	
Phenobarbitone*	
PLI	
Potassium bromide*	
Serum protein electrophoresis	
TLI	
Zinc§	
Other (Specify Below)	

\* Do not use gel tube  
§ Lithium heparin tube required

Endocrine tests	
Cortisol	
ACTH stimulation test	
Dexamethason suppression test (pre & 2 post)	
Total T4: specify time if post pill	
Canine Total T4 & TSH	
Free T4	

Sample required: serum

Other request (please specify):	