



# **Equine Infectious Anemia (EIA) Services and Submissions**

The Wisconsin Veterinary Diagnostic Laboratory provides diagnostic testing for Equine Infectious Anemia (EIA) at its location in Barron, WI. This document provides information in regards to testing services.

#### FOR IMMEDIATE PROCESSING:

Send samples and submission forms directly to the Barron Laboratory at

WVDL-Barron 1521 Guy Ave. Barron, WI 54812

## **FOR QUESTIONS & INQUIRIES:**

Contact the Barron Laboratory at

Hours: Monday - Friday; 7:45am - 4:30pm Phone: (715) 637-3151 or (800) 771-8387

Fáx: (715) 449-5052

## IMPORTANT SUBMISSION INFORMATION:

- Test type performed is ELISA only.
- Sample type required is 1ml of serum, refrigerated and shipped with cold packs. Note: hemolyzed serum will be rejected.
- Submitting Veterinarians must have a valid National Accreditation Number.
- WVDL-Barron accepts 3 types of submission forms, please see below for additional information.
- Samples must be submitted with their completed submission form. Note: the animal ID written on the submission form MUST be used to clearly label the serum sample.
- Results can be expected within 72 hours of receipt by the Barron laboratory.
- Testing services can be expedited with results available within 24 hours of receipt. Please contact us or see our testing webpage for pricing.
- Submission forms that do not meet USDA requirements, and require clerical attention for processing, will be charged an additional processing fee. Testing services may also be delayed.

## **ACCEPTED SUBMISSION FORMS:**

#### Global Vet Link - electronic

- For a fee, Global Vet Link provides a data repository for laboratory testing submissions and results.
- Obtain an account with Global Vet Link by registering at: <a href="https://globalvetlink.com/myvetlink">https://globalvetlink.com/myvetlink</a>
- Use the website to set up your clinic, your veterinarian, your client and all of the pertinent information regarding the animal being tested.
- Choose the Wisconsin Veterinary Diagnostic Lab (Barron) as the testing laboratory.
- A COPY OF THE ELECTRONIC EIA FORM MUST ACCOMPANY YOUR SERUM SAMPLES.
- Results are available electronically through the Global Vet Link website.

### APHIS Veterinary Services Process Streaming (VSPS) - electronic

- VSPS provides a free data repository for laboratory test submissions and results.
- Veterinarians obtain USDA Level 2 e-authentication by applying for a user ID and password at: https://vsapps.aphis.usda.gov/vsps/
- Use the website to set up your clinic, your veterinarian, your client and all of the pertinent information regarding the animal being tested.
- Choose the Wisconsin Veterinary Diagnostic Lab (Barron) as the testing laboratory.
- A COPY OF THE ELECTRONIC EIA FORM MUST ACCOMPANY YOUR SERUM SAMPLES.
- Results are available electronically through the VSPS website.

### Official Federal VS Form 10-11 - paper; ONLY the current version of Feb 2018 is valid)

- Only the USDA/APHIS "Equine Infectious Anemia Laboratory Test" form can be accepted. For assistance requesting forms from the USDA-APHIS VS Office, please call the Iowa USDA Office: 515-284-4140.
- The form must be completed in its entirety common errors are leaving any cell blank, not indicating the date of draw, missing the veterinarian's signature, missing a valid National Accreditation Number and the label on the tube not matching the name indicated on the form.
- Results are returned to the submitting veterinarian via US Postal Service.

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