Billing Policies

- Fees are subject to change without notice. Refer to the fee schedule link on the MSU VDL website (www.animalhealth.msu.edu) for the most current price list.

- Additional charges may be necessary for analysis of non-standard samples. Under these conditions, analyses will be initiated only after consultation with the client and with the client's consent.

- A handling fee will be assessed for shipping specimens to referral laboratories (in addition to the test cost) or for returning specimens to clients.

- MSU VDL reserves the right to subcontract any work required to complete testing of any and all submissions. Any work subcontracted will be indicated as such on the laboratory report.

- STAT analyses are available for certain tests. Prices are generally double the cost of the original test.

- Faculty members are available to discuss laboratory results. More extensive consultations may be arranged for a fee. Contact MSU VDL at: (517) 353-1683 for more information about these services.

- To encourage collection and submission of an adequate number of samples for diagnosis, select tests are available at reduced rates when samples are submitted as a group from one flock or herd. Refer to the Available Tests link on the MSU VDL website or on the MSU VDL CD for current information on herd/flock discounts.

- The sender is responsible for postage and/or special delivery charges on packages sent to MSU VDL. Adherence to mailing regulations is the sender’s responsibility. To facilitate this process, MSU VDL offers shipping boxes that meet or exceed U.S. Postal Service and courier service standards for shipping biological samples. See the Product Order Form under the submittal forms link on the MSU VDL website.