MDA Animal Health Laboratories

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NECROPSY SERVICE REQUEST FORM

Payment Method: ☐Credit Card ☐Cash ☐Check #: _____ Bill Vet | Amount: $ | Accession #:

What state is the animal located in?_____ **What county is the animal located in?** _____

Owner: _____

Farm Identity: _____ Vet/Agent: _____

Mailing Address: _____ Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Email: _____ Email: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____ Phone: _____ Fax: _____

Report Distribution: ☐Email ☐Fax ☐USPS ☐No Report Report Distribution: ☐Email ☐Fax ☐USPS ☐No Report

Provide Necropsy Pictures with Report: ☐**YES** ☐**NO**

Animal Location same as Owner: ☐**YES** ☐**NO;** ***Provide Address:*** _____

Premise ID *(Avian & Swine)***:** ☐**NO** ☐**YES** ***Provide Prem ID #:*** _____

Animal ID: _____ **Species:** _____ **Breed:** _____ **Age:** _____ **Sex:** _____

Tattoo # *(provide anatomical location):* _____

Microchip # *(provide anatomical location)***:** _____

Origin of Animal: Date Purchase: _____ **Sale/Farm:** _____ **State:** _____

Reason for test: ☐Diagnostic ☐Neurological ☐Respiratory ☐Abortion ☐Sudden Death ☐Other_____
☐Sheep/Goat Disposal Only *(Animal must be >1 yr old & viable for scrapie testing)*

Specimen Submitted: ☐Carcass ☐Head ☐Fetus & Placenta

Total # of Animals Remaining on Premise: _____ # Sick Animals: _____ # Dead Animals: _____

Date & Time of Death: _____ ☐Found Deceased ☐Euthanized, Agent/Method Used: _____

Recent Diagnostic Testing: ☐Blood work ☐ECG ☐Scoping ☐Ultrasound ☐Radiographs ☐Other: _____

Please provide details: _____

Recent Illnesses: _____

Illness Duration: _____

Travel History w/in last 30 days: ☐YES ☐NO If so, where: _____

Exposure to new &/or traveling animals: ☐YES ☐NO If so, describe events & give locations; _____

Clinical Signs: ☐Behavioral Abnormalities ☐Weight Loss ☐Increased Sensitivity to Noise/Sudden Movement
☐Tremors ☐Star Gazing ☐Head Pressing
☐Repeated intense rubbing with bare areas or damaged wool in similar locations on both sides of the animal's body or, if on the head, both sides of the poll
☐Abraded, rough, thickened, or hyper pigmented areas of skin in areas of wool/hair loss in similar locations on both sides of the animal's body or , if on the head, both sides of the poll

☐**Weakness** (not including visible traumatic injuries): ☐Stumbling ☐Falling Down ☐Difficulty Rising

☐**Bilateral Gait Abnormalities:** ☐Incoordination ☐Ataxia ☐High Stepping Gait of Forelimbs
☐Swaying of Back End ☐Bunny-hop movement of rear legs

☐**Respiratory:** ☐Coughing ☐Nasal Discharge ☐Difficulty Breathing

Less Specific Clinical Signs: ☐Non-ambulatory ☐Lethargic ☐Decreased Appetite ☐Diarrhea ☐Fever
☐Dead of Unknown Cause ☐Wool/hair loss without intense rubbing being observed
☐Signs of Wasting (Poor Body Condition)

Medications (List all including supplements): _____

Vaccinations (Include dates): _____

Diet: ☐Grain (Type & Amount Fed): _____
☐Hay (Type & Amount Fed): _____

Other Supplements (Type & Amount): _____

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NECROPSY SERVICE REQUEST FORM *(Continued)*

Accession #: _____

Diseases to Rule Out: _____

History:

FOR LABORATORY USE ONLY

CARCASS WEIGHT: _____LBS/KG/G **Rabies Test Requested:** ☐YES ☐NO

BSE BARCODE #:	**Samples Collected:**	**SCRAPIE BARCODE #:**	**Samples Collected**	
2nd set of incisors erupted: ☐YES ☐NO **Animal Color:**	Fresh Obex in Red Top Conical Tube	Tag/Tattoo RE: _____ Tag/Tattoo LE: _____ Ovine Face Color: ☐Black ☐White ☐Mottled ☐Red Hair ☐Gray/Brown	Formalin Fixed *(Circle Specimen Collected)* Obex, ½ Rt Cerebellum, ½ Rt Cerebrum, Lymph Node, Rt Tonsil (1), Brainstem	Fresh/Frozen *(Circle Specimen Collected)* Ear, Ear Tag, Lt Tonsil (1), Lymph Node, ½ Lt Cerebellum, ½ Lt Cerebrum

Date Samples Collected: **Samples Collected By:**