

Poultry Histopathology Tissue Collection – General Guide*

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Tissue	Open Diagnosis	Digestive	Respiratory	Immune Suppression	Nervous Blind	Tumors	Lameness	Processing & Quality	Muscle	Toxicity Suspect	Urinary or Reproductive
Sample obvious lesions!	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Bursa	X	X	X	X		X	X			X	
Thymus	X	X	X	X		X	X			X	
Spleen	X		X	X		X					
Trachea	X		X								X
Lung	X		X			X				X	
Liver	X	X	X			X				X	X
Kidney	X	X	X			X				X	X
Heart	X	X			X	X	X			X	
Proventriculus	X	X			X	X				X	
Gizzard		X			X						
Duodenum/Pancreas	X	X			X					X	X
Jejunum	X	X								X	
Ileum/Midcecum	X	X		Cec Tonsil							
Femoral Head							X				
Tibia - Proximal							X				
Tendons/Hock							X				
Vertebrae/Lesion							X				
Muscle – Pectoral(s) & Legs	X						X	X	X		
Brain + Nerve	X		(X)		X	X	(X)			X	
Eye	X				X	X					
Ovary/Testicle					X	X					X
Oviduct/Lesion											X
Skin/follicles/lesions						X		X			
Oral/Esophagus	(X)									X	
Sinus/Head			(X)								
Bone Marrow	X			X		X					
Tumor/Any Lesion	X					X		X			X