SALMONELLA (PARATYPHOID) QUICK TEST

This rapid test detects Salmonella bacteria in the faeces of either single birds or on a pooled sample of the loft.

- Using one test kit a pooled faecal sample from the loft detects the Salmonella status of the loft in general.
- · Pigeons can also be tested individually to detect general health and carrier status of individual pigeons.
- Results are available within 10 minutes.
- Easy to follow instructions allow the fancier to do the test himself.
- Treatment, if needed can be started immediately. No time is wasted waiting for laboratory results.
- · Any new birds introduced can be tested before being introduced into the breeding program.
- Cost effective. Single test kit or a box of 20 kits can be supplied.

OUR FULLY COMPREHENSIVE DIAGNOSTIC SERVICE

This service are available at the following venues on **appointment only**:

- Cyrils Pigeon and Pets in Boksburg Only on Sundays · 9:00am – 1:00pm
 - Tel: +27 11 918 5183
- Turf Pets in Turfontein Only on Mondays · 9:00am -1:00pm
- **Fourways** (at home)

Any day but **strictly by appointment**.

Tel: +27 83 400 5646

Feather Buddies in Pretoria Only on Tuesdays · 9:00am – 13:00pm

Tel: **+27 72 107 0851**

At these venues we test for: Trichomonas, Candida, Haemoproteus (Malaria), Coccidiosis and worms.

Results are available immediately.

Further testing that can be done include:-

- Culture and sensitivity testing on throat and faecal swabs. This test has proved to be of great assistance in the past.
- Electron microscopical scans for viruses in the faeces.
- Post mortems and microscopic examinations of all organs to detect damage by toxins and infections.
- Testing of food for Mycotoxins.

For any queries on the Comprehensive Diagnostic Services, contact Dr. Rob on Tel 083 400 5646



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