

## Nu.Q® Vet Cancer Test - Results Key

Colors correspond with Nu.Q® levels which may identify cancer is present:



Green Level

Low Risk



Yellow Level

"Gray Zone"



Orange Level

High Risk





Refer to the Nu.Q® Vet Pathway

\*Dogs that have not been fasted may have artificially elevated nucleosome levels and should be retested after fasting.

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<p><b>Pathology</b></p>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fine needle aspiration (FNA)</li> <li>• Biopsy</li> </ul>	<p><b>Diagnostic Imaging</b></p>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 3-view thoracic radiograph</li> <li>• Abdominal ultrasonography</li> </ul>

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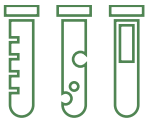
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