



DHHPS Price List (1st August 2026-31st July 2027)

All charges are invoiced via the farm's veterinary practice or feed supplier. VAT is applied at the prevailing rate.

DHHPS Blood Testing Membership (£222.50 charged quarterly)	£890
Charged per herd. Allows as many tests as required (within reason) to be submitted during the period of membership. A maximum of 17 cows can be included in each test. DHHPS members typically undertake 3-4 tests each year, but some years may elect to undertake more tests when indicated e.g. ongoing problems and/or major diet/management changes. We reserve the right to make additional charges if the number of tests submitted by a member becomes unreasonable.	Charged quarterly for a minimum of one year 17 cows per test max.
Includes: BOHB, glucose, NEFA, urea-nitrogen, albumin, globulin, magnesium and phosphate. Copper and GSHPx (ref. selenium) are included only at a farm's first test. If required they can be repeated at subsequent tests for an additional charge (see below). <i>DHHPS Membership is for a full year in the first instance. Membership then continues on a quarterly rolling basis until cancelled in writing.</i>	
DHHPS One-Off Test	£510
Includes: BOHB, glucose, NEFA, urea-nitrogen, albumin, globulin, magnesium, phosphate, copper and GSHPx (ref. selenium).	17 cows max.
Farms can convert to DHHPS membership within three months after a "one-off" test, with the charge deducted from the cost of membership in the first year.	
Dry Cow Check/Block Calving Check/Beef Suckler Test (minimum 6 cows: £250)	£410
This more flexible approach to testing allows individual groups of cows to be sampled. It is most commonly used by herds looking to focus on dry cow management, block calving dairy herds and suckler herds. It should not be used to avoid sampling mid-lactation cows in all year calving dairy herds, where this group of animals provides essential information on the ability of the ration to support mid-lactation yields.	12 cows maximum or £48 per cow (min 6 cows £270)
Includes: BOHB, glucose, NEFA, urea-nitrogen, albumin, globulin, magnesium, phosphate, copper and GSHPx (ref. selenium).	
Pre-Lambing Sheep Test (lambing season 2025)	£245
Includes: BHB, magnesium, urea-nitrogen, albumin and copper	20 sheep max. (£12 per extra sheep)
Summer Pre-mating Sheep Test (pre-mating 2024)	£360
Includes: Copper, GSHPx (ref. selenium), Vitamin B12 (ref. cobalt), albumin, globulin	10 sheep max.
Other testing available (in conjunction with other tests)	
Copper, GSHPx (ref. selenium),	£8.00 per analyte/sample
Calcium, GGT, GLDH	£6 per analyte/sample
Thyroxine T4 (ref. iodine), Vitamin B12 (ref. cobalt), Leptospira/BVD/IBR antibodies, Vitamins A and E, Plasma Inorganic Iodine etc.	Prices on request
Handling fee for additional tests done at external lab	£10/submission
IgG RID (serum or colostrum)	£15/sample
Charged on an individual sample basis, with a discount for 10 or more samples	£12/sample for 10+
Total bacterial count (TBC) and Total coliform count (TCC) on colostrum	On request