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Dear customers,

Levetiracetam is a drug that belongs to the Pyrrolidine family used for the treatment of epileptic crises in small animals. It can be given in combination with Zonisamide, a sulfonamide anticonvulsant. Measurement of residual serum concentration following the use of these drugs optimizes the therapeutic effect or prevents unwanted side effects by allowing dose adjustment when needed. It thus ensures better monitoring by establishing the kinetics of the drug over a period of time.

Levetiracetam and Zonisamide analyzes are now available at the Clinical Pathology Laboratory. They can be requested on their own or in combination. Sampling should be done in a dry tube, without anti-coagulant. These analyzes will be conducted on a weekly basis, ie on Friday, but the frequency may increase depending on the demand.

Do not hesitate to contact our customer service department for the prices associated with these analyzes.

Regards,

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