Diagnostic algorithm for diagnosis and staging of FeLV infection

Screen with an IDEXX in-clinic FeLV antigen test or Lab Feline Triple® Test

Positive

Perform follow-up testing with Test Code 26355 FeLV Antigen by ELISA with FeLV Quant RealPCR™ Test

Negative

Consider Uninfected*

For any cat used as a blood donor or for breeding, consider also screening with FeLV RealPCR™ Test

*If less than 30 days since last possible exposure, retest in 30-60 days.

Interpreting your ELISA and Quant RealPCR results

Antigen negative PCR negative

Antigen positive PCR negative

Antigen negative PCR positive

Antigen positive PCR positive

Uninfected

Regressive†

Progressive†

Quant RealPCR <1.0 × 10^6 copies/mL

Quant RealPCR ≥1.0 × 10^6 copies/mL

†If clinical signs develop, retesting with quantitative real-time PCR is recommended to confirm evidence of progression versus comorbidity with another disease.

For more information on the FeLV Quant RealPCR Test, visit idexx.com/FeLVQuant.