Canine anaplasmosis

What to do with your SNAP® result

Positive result
The dog has been exposed and may be infected

Check for hematologic abnormalities (CBC and/or blood film) and changes in serum proteins

Clinical signs and/or laboratory findings DO support anaplasmosis

Clinical signs and/or laboratory findings DO NOT support anaplasmosis

Discuss disease prevention strategies

Negative result
Exposure is unlikely

Review benefits of tick prevention
Retest in 1 year

Evaluate clinical response and platelet count in 1 week; if no improvement, pursue other diagnosis

Recheck CBC at wellness examinations

Discuss disease prevention strategies

What to do next?

Diagnose*

Treat
Doxycycline/tetracycline

Not generally recommended

Monitor

Prevent

*Additional diagnostics may be beneficial. See the “Serology and PCR for sick patients” section of the SNAP® 4Dx® Plus Test Clinical Reference Guide for more information.