

Mature Parrot “30,000 mile” Screen*

- Recommended for any psittacine (parrot family species) three years and over and annually after that.
- A comprehensive health evaluation for the apparently normal parrot even when examined by an avian specialist.
- Recognize, detect, and correct some problems before they become obvious or crisis level problem. Includes:
- **Avian Complete Blood Counts and Biochemistry** profile looking at organ function, metabolic parameters, nutritional indicators, signs of disease or infection
- **Whole body x-rays**, after brief inhalation anesthesia to allow best studies
- **Bacterial culture screen**- looking for potential bacterial pathogens lurking in the patient.



Added Options:

- **DNA blood sexing**- recommended for parrots over 3 years of age so we know your birds sex if presented with a crisis in the future and to help manage nutritional needs of older female parrots.
- **Microchip Identification Implant**-great time to do this when patient is under the gas. We recommend owners register their microchip with the company.
- **Added Chemistry Tests for Parrots over 7-10 years**- more comprehensive GI tract parameters

To allow adequate time for these procedures, we prefer scheduling this in advance when the appointment is made. Test results available same or next day with the exception of the DNA sexing

*Package price for well bird screening. If patient is sick, requiring immediate treatment, all tests are charged separately at regular fees. In the event the culture screen finds a “pathogenic” bacteria, an additional charge for further testing will be charged when medication is prescribed.`