



Porcine Reproductive and Respiratory Syndrome

Pig AI studs must send samples to the Department of Agriculture Food and the Marine (DAFM) for testing every single week to check their boars for PRRS, under an industry agreement. There are also routine tests performed on submissions from pig farms for PRRS when requested by the Private Veterinary Practitioner.

Year	Test	No. of samples	Positives	Negatives	Inconclusive
2016	PPRS ELISA	1,809	303	1,506	nil
2016	PPRS PCR	2,060	149	1,901	10
2017	PPRS ELISA	814	141	673	nil
2017	PPRS PCR	1,534	65	1,469	nil

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