

DOD Human Tick Test Kit Program

A free tick identification and testing service for Department of Defense health care facilities, provided by the USACHPPM's Entomological Sciences Program.

Testing for:

[babesiosis](#)







[human granulocytic ehrlichiosis \(HGE\)](#)

[human monocytic ehrlichiosis \(HME\)](#)

[Lyme disease](#)

[Rocky Mountain spotted fever](#)

[southern tick-associated rash illness \(STARI\)](#)

-  [Advertisement](#) (“DOD Human Tick Test Kit Program: A ‘First Alert’ System for CONUS Military Health Care Facilities.” This is a concise, one-page advertisement that describes the program in colorful format, and tells you who to contact.)
-  [Tick Kit Instructions](#) (One-page instruction sheet that contains information on how to package and mail tick specimens.)
-  [Tick Submission Form](#) (CHPPM Form 321-R, “Submission of Tick Specimens from Human Tick-Bite Patients”, 2-sided form.)
-  [Guidelines for Use of the Tick Test Kit and Evaluation of Results](#) (This 2-page document describes how information on tick species, relative engorgement level, and infection status of the tick relates to disease transmission risk and human health.)
-  **Tables of Tick Test Kit Results** (Power Point files)
 - [Calendar Year 1999](#)
 - [Calendar Year 2000](#)
 - [Calendar Year 2001](#)
 - [Calendar Year 2002](#)
 - [Calendar Year 2003](#)
-  [Fact Sheet - Tick Removal](#)