Good Faith Estimate (GFE)

HPL has one main focus: providing you with outstanding diagnostic care. Whether you are having a routine procedure or a complicated surgery, our team of pathologists is committed to helping your physician or surgeon with the best possible diagnostic testing for the best possible prognosis — both outcome and experience.

It's normal for you to be nervous prior to a procedure, but you shouldn't have to be worried about surprises after your procedure when you start receiving bills for the care you were provided.

For patients who are uninsured, or who are choosing not to file a claim with their insurance for a particular procedure, we highly suggest that you contact your surgeon or facility where you are having your procedure. They are required to provide you a quote for the total cost of your procedure, including the cost of our professional pathology fees.

If you would like an estimate for your professional pathology fees, please send an email to: <u>GFE@hpllab.com</u>. In order for us to provide an estimate, **we need specific information about the medical service you will be receiving**. Please send the following information:

- Date of procedure
- Diagnosis for procedure you will need to provide the ICD diagnosis code(s) that supports the medical service you are seeking, which can be obtained from your surgeon or facility.
- Description of services you will need to provide the CPT procedure code(s) for the medical service you are seeking, which can be obtained from your surgeon or facility.
- Length of procedure you will need to provide the scheduled operating time (OR Time) for the medical service you are seeking, which can be obtained from your surgeon or facility.
- Surgeon name and title of the surgeon who will be performing your medical service.
- Facility name and physical address (including zip code) of the hospital/surgery center location where you will be receiving medical services.

Once you have the information listed above, please send an email to: GFE@hpllab.com. Office hours are 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. HST Monday to Friday, and we will work as quickly as possible to respond to you.