UMass Extension Plant Diagnostic Lab: TURF FORM*

Providing analysis, identification, and ecologically sound management strategies for diseases, insects, weeds, and nematodes found in turf

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Send specimen to above address. Please include check payable to *University of Massachusetts*

⇒**THIS FORM IS FOR:**	❒	Turf Disease (**$75**)	❒	Nematodes (**$75**)	❒	Grass/Weed ID **($25)**	❒	Insect ID **($50)**

Grass species: Cultivar: Date Collected:

Year Established: Origin: ❒ Seeded ❒ Sodded ❒ Plugged ❒ Unknown

Describe Symptoms:

When Did Symptoms Occur? Symptoms Apparent in Previous Years?

Products Applied, Rates, and Dates of Application:

Relevant Cultural Practices, Site Conditions, Additional Info:

Circle all that apply:

Location	**Site Condition**	**Soil**	**Drainage**	**Irrigation**	**Symptoms**
Golf Green/Tee/Collar/Fairway/Rough)	Shade	Sandy	Excellent	None	Patches
Lawn	Part Shade	Clay	Good	Sprinklers	Rings, Arcs
Athletic Field	Full Sun	Loam	Moderate	Rate_____	Leaf Spot/Blight
Utility/Industrial	Wet	Sand Green	Poor	Frequency_____	Yellowing
Sample ID _____	Droughty	pH _____			Wilt

Contact Firm Address

Town State Zip Phone

E-mail

Nematodes per 100 cc:			
Criconemoides (ring)	_____	*Meloidogyne* (root-knot)	♂: _____ j2: _____
Heterodera (cyst)	♀: _____ j2: _____	*Pratylenchus* (lesion)	_____
Helicotylenchus (spiral)	_____	*Tylenchorhynchus* (stunt)	_____
Hoplolaimus (lance)	_____		_____
Longidorus (needle)	_____		
☐ specimen insufficient for diagnosis		☐ no nematode problem detected	

Lab Number Date Received Date Answered Payment

* NOTE – Fruit, vegetable, and tree/shrub samples require alternate submission forms. Visit ag.umass.edu/diagnostics for copies.