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The Briard Club of America Board of Directors approves the following medical test guidelines to be listed on the AKC Classified Section of the website:

Hip Dysplasia (min age 24 months for all tests)
Federation Cynologique Internationale (FCI) - OR
OFA Evaluation - OR
OVC Evaluation - OR
PennHIP Evaluation

Eye Examination by a boarded ACVO Ophthalmologist at least once between six (6) months and eight (8) years
Results registered with OFA - OR
Results registered with CERF

Stationary Night Blindness
US-owned dogs: by Optigen only as of March 13, 2001;
Foreign-owned dogs: from any lab;
dogs tested by any US lab prior to March 13, 2001; and
dogs having two parents tested clear. Both parents and the offspring in question must have a DNA profile on record with AKC."

Autoimmune thyroiditis (Optional)
OFA evaluation from an approved laboratory Tests must include FT4D, cTSH, and TgAA

Elbow Dysplasia (Optional)
OFA Evaluation - OR
OVC Evaluation

Regards,
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