**Supplementary Table 3 – Laboratory exams and costs**

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| **SIGTAP exams** | **N (%)** | **Unitary Cost (USD)** | **Total Cost (USD)** |
| Parathyroid hormone (PTH) | 341 (47.0) | 12.50 | 5,925.68 |
| HbA1c | 719 (99.0) | 2.28 | 3,408.28 |
| Thyroid stimulating hormone (TSH) | 649 (89.4) | 2.59 | 2,851.16 |
| Thyroxine 4 (T4l) | 492 (67.8) | 3.36 | 2,437.68 |
| Vitamin D | 308 (42.4) | 4.42 | 1,921.56 |
| HDL | 711 (97.9) | 1.02 | 1,507.78 |
| LDL | 711 (97.9) | 1.02 | 1,507.78 |
| Triglycerides | 711 (97.9) | 1.02 | 1,507.78 |
| Total cholesterol | 711(97.9) | 0.54 | 794.69 |
| Microalbuminuria | 395 (54.4) | 2.35 | 1,172.10 |
| Complete blood count | 551 (75.9) | 1.19 | 984.02 |
| Creatinine | 654 (90.1) | 0.37 | 628.46 |
| Vitamin B12 | 113 (15.6) | 4.42 | 583.09 |
| Glutamic-oxalacetic transaminase | 427 (58.8) | 0.58 | 337.33 |
| Glutamic-pyruvic transaminase | 422 (58.1) | 0.58 | 332.67 |
| Others |  |  | 5,570.0 |
| **TOTAL COST** |  |  | 31,317.39 |

N=number of patients. Unitary cost for a single exam.