

## Re: suck out pathogens with a mini-pump?

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> Not criminal in the legal sense. Criminal as in amoral. Not criminal as  
> in violating any criminal statute.

When an insurer tells a test manufacturer to make their tests less reliable  
(less sensitive) "or else", isn't that racketeering?

> What do the test manufacturers get out of it?

Continued orders from the insurers.  
They are at gunpoint.

> But the insurers don't choose the labs, the doctors do (with some  
> exceptions but usually it is the doctor who chooses a lab if the  
> insurer requires them to but not a particular lab).

There are only a handful of test manufacturers for all those labs.  
I had a 3-hour phonecall with a german lab worker who told me that their WB  
was deliberately made much less sensitive.  
Noone ever gave a reason, but they did admit it, only after questioning.

> Lyme testing is unreliable from all labs.

That's exactly my point.  
Those tests are \*deliberately\* inaccurate.

> It isn't a conspiracy that the tests suck. Some things are hard to test  
> for accurately.

Bullshit.  
I tested positive. Then I needed to be re-tested. Negative.  
The lab technician didn't trust it and decided to "develop" the WB longer.  
Presto, positive.  
She called the manufacturer, who told her: "We decreased the sensitivity of  
the development fluid".

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