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As the author of three books on Babesia, a protozoa in deer ticks, found all over the USA woods including areas of recent "outbreaks," and which causes **crippling fatigue**.

The current testing is simply terrible, and Babesifil is now up to 15 species in humans. It is stunning this is ignored in the CFS work, including the most recent conference.

It causes crippling fatigue in many patients, and manual smears are terrible at detection unless you do them yourself or have a pathologist willing to actually do 1000x and spend 30 minutes instead of 12 seconds.

Good Luck,
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