**Table 3: Frequency distribution of perceived barriers to practice of PG testing in Jordan.**

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| **Suggested Barrier** | **Frequency\*** | **%** |
| 1. **Cost of test is prohibitive** | 382 | 90.10 |
| 1. **Lack of clinical guidelines** | 375 | 88.40 |
| 1. **Limited knowledge and awareness of provider** | 368 | 86.80 |
| 1. **Lack of insurance coverage** | 355 | 83.70 |
| 1. **Lack of time, resources to educate patients** | 326 | 76.90 |
| 1. **Result takes too long for treatment decisions** | 315 | 74.30 |
| 1. **Patients’ anxiety regarding test results** | 237 | 55.90 |
| 1. **Cultural and religious beliefs** | 168 | 39.60 |
| 1. **Test result will not affect treatment** | 133 | 31.40 |

**\* *represent those who answered yes.***