



PREPARATION REQUIREMENTS CONTRASTED MRI



ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS AND APPOINTMENT SCHEDULING

1. Medical order with information about the test to be performed.
2. Authorization from the insurance company.
3. Identification document and insurance card (if applicable).
4. If the patient is (think is) pregnant, immediately notify the radiology personnel.
5. Patients with metal fragments or traces of metal shrapnel in the body must inform the scheduling personnel before programming the appointment.
6. Patients with cardiac pacemaker, ear implants, arterial clips or other metallic implants, should report the scheduling personnel because they are contraindicated, with some exceptions that must be evaluated by the radiologist. The non-ferromagnetic metal implants are not contraindicated.
7. If you suffer from claustrophobia or if it is painful to lie on your back for more than thirty minutes inform the scheduling personnel.
8. In nuclear magnetic resonance of the orbits, you must inform the radiology personnel if a permanent facial makeup has been applied.
9. If the patient has a history of kidney disease, creatinine test should be performed and the result informed to the nursing personnel on test day.

EXAM DURATION:

Approximately 1 hour.

ON EXAM DAY:

1. Arrive 20 minutes before the exam time.
2. 4-hour fast.
3. If you take drugs to control diseases such as hypertension or diabetes, take them with little water.
4. Bring a companion.
5. Bring previous related radiological studies.
6. Do not bring jewelry, money or valuables. CediMed is not responsible for any loss or theft of your belongings.