



PREPARATION REQUIREMENTS BIOPSY AND DRAINAGE GUIDED BY ULTRASOUND OR CT - NEPHROSTOMY



ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS AND APPOINTMENT SCHEDULING

1. Medical order with information about the test to be performed.
2. Authorization from the insurance company.
3. Authorization for the study of the samples produced during the biopsy (pathology), the sample must be sent to the Santa Fe de Bogota Foundation in Bogota.
4. Identification document and insurance card (if applicable).
5. If you take the anticoagulant warfarin, heparin, acetylsalicylic acid or homeopathic medicines, inform the personnel when scheduling the appointment. If suspension is required, request authorization from your physician.
6. Inform the scheduling personnel if you have a history of allergies to medications, food and/or contrast media, as well as if the patient is (think is) pregnant.
7. If in addition to biopsy the patient requires a CT with contrast, the creatinine test is necessary and must be valid (not exceeding one month).
8. During the last eight (8) days you should NOT have had any studies performed using barium as a contrast medium.
9. Bring the results of PT, PTT and platelet count (not exceeding one month), to be evaluated by the radiologist and program the test.

EXAM DURATION:

Approximately three hours.

DAY BEFORE EXAM:

1. Increase liquid intake, if there are no contraindications to kidney failure.

ON EXAM DAY:

1. 4-hour fast (minimum).
2. Arrive 1 hour before the examination time for the necessary preparations
3. Bring the results of the PT, PTT and platelet count (not exceeding one month). If CT is required, bring the results of the creatinine test with values within the reference levels.
4. Bring related previous radiological studies.
5. If you take drugs to control diseases such as hypertension and / or diabetes, take them with little water. DO NOT SUSPEND.
6. Bring a responsible, adult companion.
7. Do not bring jewelry, money or valuables. CediMed is not responsible for any loss or theft of your belongings.

AFTERCARE:

1. Go home by car.
2. Stay at rest for 24 hours.
3. Do not make any effort during exam day and on the following day.
4. Continue with your usual diet and medication, unless the doctor doing the procedure indicated any special order.
5. If hematoma appears in the puncture site, immediately contact the physician or go to the nearest health center.
6. If you are bleeding, make pressure on the puncture site; if it does not improve, immediately consult the nearest health care center.
7. In case of pain in the puncture site, analgesic such as acetaminophen can be ingested, but not acetylsalicylic acid - ASA (aspirin) derivatives.
8. Lie on the side of the puncture to make pressure and prevent bleeding.