

WHAT TO EXPECT DURING YOUR **MRI SCAN VISIT**

1. Check-in



5-10 minutes

2. Complete MRI Safety Form



5-10 minutes

**TOTAL MRI SCAN
PROCESS TIME:**



3. Meet with a team member



45 minutes

- Answer questions about how you feel
- Review your procedure
- Start an IV line (if needed)
- Review labs (if needed)
- Review allergies to contrast medium
- Learn what to do if you have an allergic reaction
- Review MRI Safety Form

4. Have your MRI scan done (this may include IV contrast, if needed)



60-120 minutes

- * Alert a team member if you have any concerns or needs during the scan by waving your hands, squeezing the special ball or speaking in the microphone in the scanner.

To learn more about Patient Education,
please visit: bit.ly/31TR464



HOW TO STAY SAFE DURING YOUR **MRI SCAN**

TELL US IF YOU HAVE ANY OF THESE ITEMS:

- Implantable heart defibrillator (ICD)
- Deep brain stimulator
- Programmable shunt valve
- Implanted pain pump
- Cardioverter
- Tissue expander
- Artificial heart valves
- Leads or abandoned leads

DO YOU HAVE:



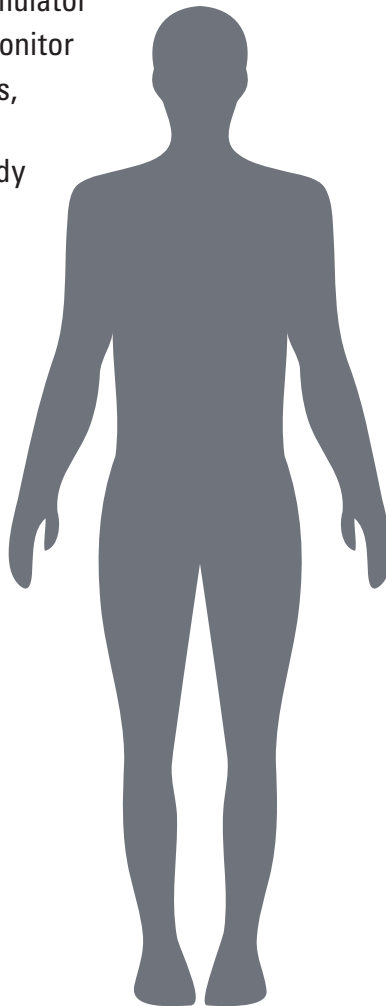
- Ear or cochlear implant
- Brain clip
- Brain or spinal cord stimulator
- Intracranial pressure monitor
- Dental braces, retainers, partial plates, bridge
- Permanent eyeliner, body piercing jewelry that cannot be removed
- Tattoos
- Metallic eyeliners
- Magnetic lashes



- Clips
- Diaphragm or Intrauterine Device (IUD)
- Implanted external electronic devices
- Insulin pump
- Medicine patches
- Metal fragments or shrapnel
- Penile implant



- Limb prosthesis
- Metal plate
- Joint replacements
- Bone growth stimulator



REMOVE THESE ITEMS

- Eye glasses
- Hearing aids
- Hair pins or barrettes
- Magnetic eyelashes



LEAVE THESE ITEMS BEHIND:

- Keys
- Coins
- Phone
- Wallet or money clip
- Credit cards
- Hotel key cards
- Parking cards
- Watch
- Jewelry
- Handgun
- Safety pins
- Writing pens
- Pocket knife



BE METAL-FREE IN **MRI**

KNOW WHAT ITEMS NEED TO BE STORED IN ADVANCE.

NOTIFY A TECHNOLOGIST RIGHT AWAY IF YOU HAVE:

Any device such as an on-body injector or pump, hearing device, piercings, metal plate or implant inside your body that you were not born with.

STORE ANY OF THESE ITEMS IN THE PLASTIC BINS PROVIDED.

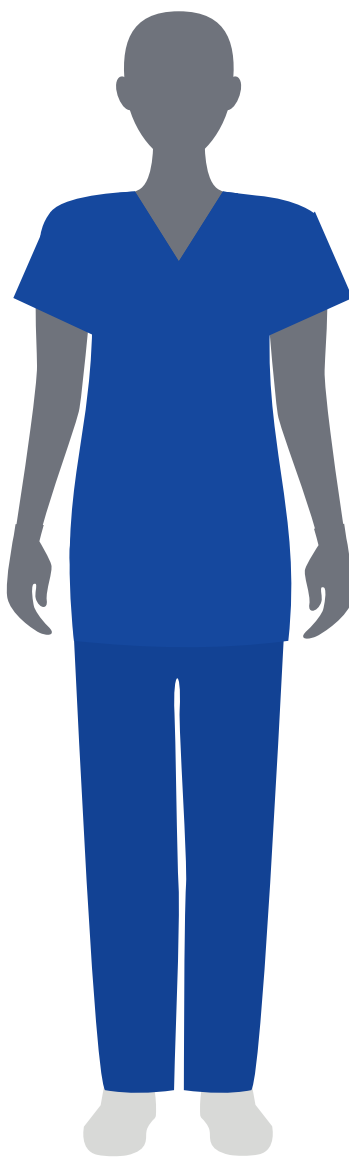
WORK-RELATED ITEMS:

- Pager
- Badge
- Scalpel
- Scissors
- Hemostat
- Paper clips
- Safety pins
- Writing pens
- Stethoscope



CHECK YOUR CLOTHING:

- Steel toe shoes
- Dansk® footwear
- Tensile arch support
- Dress shoes with metal wedges
- Clothing with metallic threads or fasteners



PERSONAL ITEMS:

- Eye glasses
- Hearing aids
- Hair pins or barrettes
- Jewelry including body piercing jewelry
- Magnetic eyelashes



CHECK YOUR POCKETS:

- Keys
- Coins
- Phone
- Wallet or money clip
- Watch
- Pocket knife
- Nail clippers

