

Nuclear Medicine Requisition

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To book a scan, call Central Booking Office – Telephone (8am to 5pm): 905–721–4717 Requisition must be faxed by Dr's Office or brought by patient to Nuclear Medicine Dept.

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Patient's Name:	Date of Birth Phone:
Appointment Date: Time: _	Bring list of medications and Health Card
Referring Physician:	
Referring Physician: (PRINT Name)	(Signature)
Send copy of report to:	
Bone Scan (flow, pool, SPECT if needed) Total body Single Site Facial/head and neck SPECT Scan Biliary scan with flow Biliary scan with flow and CCK Bone Mineral Densitometry Brain Perfusion SPECT with flow Gallium Scan Gastric Emptying Study GI Bleed (RBC Label with flow) Meckel's Scan I-131 Metastatic Survey Liver/Spleen Scan with flow Liver/RBC Scan with flow and BPs (for hemangio Lung Scan Ventilation/Perfusion Quantitative – for pre–op assessment Lymphangiogram (Sentinal lymph node) Breast Melanoma Other	Myocardial Perfusion Scan with EF Exercise Treadmill Stress Weight
Clinical Information: (Please be specific)	
For Technologist Use Only:	
Are you pregnant?	☐ I.V. ☐ I.M. ☐ P.O. Pharmaceutical:
Start Time: End Time:	Site: Time:
 □ Order Amended □ Paperwork Scanned □ Sent to PACS □ Verified □ Previous Study Sent 	Comments: MRT (NM):

Patient Preparations	Estimated Time in Nuclear Medicine
Note: For studies not listed here, there is no prep unless indicated by your doctor. Most of our studies take at least 1 hour to complete.	
Biliary Scan (with or without CCK): No food or drink 4 hrs prior to test. No morphine 4 hours prior to test.	1.5 to 2 hours
Bone Mineral Density: No barium or Gastrografin for 7 days prior to test.	30 minutes
Bone Scan: No prep required.	2 visits required: first visit (20–30 minutes) for injection; return 2–4 hours later for imaging (30–60 minutes). You may leave the department between visits.
Gallium Scan: No prep required	2 visits required: first day for injection (20 minutes); second visit patient returns 48–72 hours later for imaging (45–90 minutes). Sometimes additional imaging is required in the days following the initial imaging.
Gastric Emptying: No food or drink 4 hours prior to test.	4–5 hours
GI Bleed: No barium 3 days prior to test.	1 to 6 hours.
Meckel's Study: No food or drink 4 hours prior to test. No ASA (aspirin) 3 days prior to test. No barium 7 days prior to test. Cimetidine should be prescribed by your Doctor to be taken day before test.	1 hour.
Myocardial Perfusion: No food and no caffeine for 8 hours prior to test. Plus, for pharmacological study, no aminophylline or similar type medications for 2 days prior to test. DIABETIC PATIENTS may have small meal with their insulin or pills (e.g. juice and toast).	99mTC agent (Cardiolite) testing: 5–6 hours if BMI less than 35 If BMI greater than 35, 2 visits are required: * 1st day – 2 hours * 2nd day – 3 hours
Parathyroid Scan: No prep required.	2 visits required: first visit (45 minutes) for injection and image. Return approximately 3 hours later for second image (45 minutes)
RBC Liver Scan: No prep required.	2 visits required: first – 1.5 hours; second – 30 minutes. About 2 hour gap between visits.
Renal Scan: Drink 3–4 glasses of fluid prior to arrival.	1–1.5 hours. DMSA – initial injection. Return 2–4 hours later for imaging.
Salivary Gland: No food or drink 4 hours prior to test.	1 hour.
Thyroid Uptake & Scan: Discontinue thyroid hormone medications for 2 weeks (if referring doctor says it is ok). Discontinue anti–thyroid medications for 5 days. No contrast dye or Gallium 4 weeks prior to test. Stay off kelp or vitamins with iodine for 2 weeks. No food or drink for 4 hours prior to test.	2 visits required 1 day apart: first day (30 minutes) you receive a drink; second day (1 hour) is for imaging.
Thyroid Scan only: Prep same as Thyroid Uptake & Scan above.	1 hour.
WBC Scan: No prep required.	Multiple visits required. First visit (45 minutes) to take blood. Second visit (20 minutes) to have labeled white blood cells re-injected, usually in the afternoon. Third visit (45 minutes) can be same day as other visits or the next day depending on the imaging agent. Additional visits at discretion of Nuclear Medicine Physician.

