MAGNETIC RESONANCE ANGIOGRAPHY (MRA)



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APPOINTMENT.

Please arrive at the hospital 15 minutes prior to your appointment to check in.

What is MRA?

Magnetic Resonance Angiography is a simple procedure. A magnet and special computer produce pictures of blood vessels in the body.

How is the procedure performed?

You will lie within a magnetic field. There is no radiation used. You must lie very still on your back for about 30 minutes. Most MRA exams require the injection of a MRI contrast agent through an IV in the arm. Following the exam patients can resume all their normal activities.

What do I need to do to prepare?

There is no prep for MRA exams.

Safety Screening

The MRI Technologist will ask you questions regarding your past medical history and previous surgery.

What do I wear?

You may wear comfortable clothing without metal. Hospital gowns are also available.

How will I get the results?

A radiologist will review the test and prepare a report to be sent to your doctor. It may take several days to receive this report from your doctor.

Contact our Imaging Department with any questions:

308.995.2890

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