

# VOIDING CYSTOURETHROGRAM (VCUG)



APPOINTMENT:

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Re-schedule/cancellations:

308.995.3305

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

## What is a VCUG?

A VCUG studies the urinary tract, including the bladder.

## How is the test done?

During a VCUG, a catheter is inserted into the bladder and dye is injected through the catheter to fill the bladder. The patient is then asked to release their bladder and void the contrast as the radiologist watches on an x-ray monitor. This procedure may be uncomfortable, but not painful. For children having this procedure, parents may be asked to assist in keeping the patient calm. Patients are not sedated for this procedure.

## How long does the test take?

An average length of time is 30-60 minutes.

## How will I get the results?

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

## Preparation

There is nothing you need to do to prepare for this procedure.

Contact our Imaging Department  
with any questions:

**308.995.2890**

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