



NUCLEAR MEDICINE MECKELS SCAN

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Your appointment

Date:

Time:

Patient Preparation:
Nil.

Time for Examination:
2 hour.

Please Bring:
**All previous Imaging including
Nuclear Medicine Scans, X-
rays, US, CT and MRI studies.**

Location:

**Calvary Hospital
X-Ray Department
89 Strangways Tc
North Adelaide SA 5006**

Parking:

Free on-street parking is available (1hour, 2 hour and all day). Please take note of parking time limits as this area is patrolled by council.

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Your doctor has recommended that you have a Nuclear Medicine Meckels Scan. This is a very simple procedure.

At your arrival you will be given a medication (cimetidine or ranitidine) to suppress the secretion of acid in your stomach. You will then be asked to wait 1 hour to allow the medication to work. Subsequently you will be scanned with you lying on a bed and a camera positioned over your abdomen area. You will be given a small injection of a radioactive medication into a vein (usually into your arm). There are no side effects to this injection and it will not interfere with any medications that you may be taking. Imaging will commence immediately following injection and will continue for one hour. You will not feel anything while the pictures are being taken. You will be required to keep still but will be able to breathe normally during the scan.

This study is unsuitable for pregnant women. Breast-feeding mothers can have a Nuclear Medicine Meckels Scan but will be required to express and discard their breast milk for 24 hours after the injection.

**For more information please contact:
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