



Appointment date:

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Time:

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Location:

- Calvary North Adelaide
- Calvary Central Districts
- Campbelltown Clinic
- Flinders Private Hospital
- Marion Medical Centre
- Memorial Hospital
- Parkside Clinic
- Port Adelaide Clinic
- Stirling Hospital
- Victoria Park - Dulwich
- Woodville

Notes:

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Patient Information Handout

CT Scan

A computed tomography (CT) scanner is a special x-ray machine which uses computer techniques to produce images of your body. To obtain these images, the x-ray tube moves around your body while you lie flat on a table.

You will receive a very small dose of x-ray radiation. The benefits of detecting disease are believed to outweigh the potential risks of receiving such a small dose.

Please advise our radiographer if you are / think you may be pregnant.

BOOKING YOUR APPOINTMENT

Please call our friendly staff on 8402 0200. You may request a site convenient to you; otherwise the booking staff can suggest your nearest location.

Please advise our booking staff if you are diabetic.

WHAT TO BRING

Radiology referral
Medicare card
Healthcare/Concession card (if applicable)
Previous relevant imaging
Other relevant documents

PREPARATION FOR YOUR STUDY

Abdominal / pelvis

Please drink 500mls of water in the hour before your appointment. No fasting required.

Coronary Angio/Arteries

Do not drink any coffee/caffeinated drinks, smoke or eat chocolate for 24 hours prior to your appointment. Clear fluids are okay. You must also bring a list of your medications.

Cardiac Calcium Score

Do not drink any coffee/caffeinated drinks and do not smoke for six hours prior to your appointment.

Drainage

Do not eat for four hours prior to your appointment.

