To Your Health!

Gallbladder Image – Outpatient

Your doctor has ordered a Gallbladder Image to be conducted in the Nuclear Medicine department on the 2nd level of the 87th Street Specialty Clinics building.

Appointment Information

Day: ____________________________ If you are not able to keep your appointment, please call (414) 805-3771.
Date: ____________________________

If you are pregnant (or think you may be pregnant), or if you are nursing a baby, please inform your doctor before your appointment is scheduled.

WHAT IS A GALLBLADDER IMAGE?

This exam will study your liver and gallbladder functions. You will be given an injection of a radioactive tracer into the vein of your arm. The examination can take up to 2 hours, and includes the possibility of delayed views.

If your doctor has ordered a gallbladder imaging exam with ejection fraction, you will be given a dose of CCK which will empty your gallbladder. This procedure may take up to 3 to 4 hours.

During the imaging you will be lying on your back on a table. It is important that you hold still or the images will be blurred.

BEFORE THE TEST

Do not eat or drink anything for 8 to 10 hours before your examination. Also, please do not take any pain medication on the day of your examination.

AFTER THE TEST

The images will be developed right away by a doctor who specializes in Nuclear Medicine. The doctor will carefully study the images and prepare a written report within 24 hours.

Your doctor will inform you of the results.

REMEMBER...our staff is here to help you. If you have questions about any part of this test, please ask.
Please arrive 10 minutes prior to your appointment to complete the registration process. To find Nuclear Medicine, enter the campus on 87th street. Follow the signs to Parking Area 3. Take the parking structure elevator to level D. The bridge leads to the 2nd level of the Specialty Clinics Building. Follow the signs to Nuclear Medicine.

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS
Directions to Specialty Clinics Building

Please park in Parking Area 3 structure.

From Watertown Plank Road via 92nd Street:
- Turn south on 92nd Street and continue through a stop light at West Connell Court.
- Turn left on Doyne Avenue. Follow signs directing you to Parking Area 3 structure.

From Watertown Plank Road via 87th Street:
- Turn south on 87th Street.
- You'll come to a stop sign at East Connell Court. Turn left and continue south on 87th Street.
- Turn north on 87th or 92nd Street and then onto Doyne Avenue. Follow signs directing you to Parking Area 3 structure.

From Wisconsin Avenue:
- Turn north on 87th or 92nd Street and then onto Doyne Avenue. Follow signs directing you to Parking Area 3 structure.

Once Parked:
- The Specialty Clinics Building will take you to the 2nd floor of the building.

Questions? Call 414-805-3666 or visit froedtert.com

Please Note: All of our parking structures and surface lots have accessible parking closest to building entrances. Entrances from our parking structures are all equipped with power doors. For more detailed information visit froedtert.com (Locations & Directions, Transportation and Parking Services).