

CT IMAGING PREP

Abdomen without/with, or with & without Contrast	Pick up oral contrast and instructions from the CT department at least 2 hours prior to exam. Taking medications as regularly scheduled is strongly encouraged.
Abdomen/Pelvis without/with, or with & without Contrast	Pick up oral contrast and instructions from the CT department at least 2 hours prior to exam. Taking medications as regularly scheduled is strongly encouraged.
Bone Length Study	No Prep, unless instructed otherwise
Cardiac Scoring	No caffeine or antihistamines 4 hours prior to exam
Cervical Spine W/O Contrast	No Prep, unless instructed otherwise
Cervical Spine W/Contrast	No Prep, unless instructed otherwise
Chest W/Contrast	No Prep, unless instructed otherwise
Chest High Resolution Lung	No Prep, unless instructed otherwise
CT Angiogram	No Prep, unless instructed otherwise
Enterography CT	Nothing to eat or drink 3 hours prior to exam. Must check in 1 hour early to drink the contrast at South McCarran
Extremities	No Prep, unless instructed otherwise
Head W/O Contrast	No Prep, unless instructed otherwise
Localization Limited Sinus	No Prep, unless instructed otherwise
Localization CT	No Prep, unless instructed otherwise
Lumbar Spine W/Contrast	No Prep, unless instructed otherwise
Lumbar Spine W/O Contrast	No Prep, unless instructed otherwise
Lung Cancer Screening	No Prep, unless instructed otherwise
Maxillofacial Complete W/O Contrast	No Prep, unless instructed otherwise
Orbits W/O Contrast	No Prep, unless instructed otherwise
Pancreatic Protocol	Nothing to eat or drink 4 hrs prior to exam. Check in is 30 minutes prior to register and to drink water at the site
Pelvis W/O Contrast	No Prep, unless instructed otherwise
Post-Fossa-Ear W/O Contrast	No Prep, unless instructed otherwise
Pulmonary Embolism Study	No Prep, unless instructed otherwise
Renal Colic	No Prep, unless instructed otherwise
Soft Tissue Neck W/Contrast	No Prep, unless instructed otherwise
Thoracic Spine W/Contrast	No Prep, unless instructed otherwise
Thoracic Spine W/O Contrast	No Prep, unless instructed otherwise
Virtual Colonoscopy	Liquid diet the day before and nothing to eat or drink after midnight the day of exam. Pick up prep kit at the scheduled site at least 2 days before the exam. Prep kit includes Tagitol.