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## PATIENT INSTRUCTIONS FOR NUCLER MEDICINE BONE SCAN

QUESTIONS ABOUT THE TES	1: 9/8-630-6235
PATIENT SCHEDULING	i: 978-630-5070
EXAM DATE AND TIME:	

Radiology is located on the ground floor.

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PREGNANCY: If you may be pregnant, please consult your doctor before having

this exam. Please inform the technologist if your are breast

feeding before the start of the exam.

## **INSTRUCTIONS:**

- Bring a list of your medication with you.
- Wear comfortable clothes without metal. Patient will be asked to remove all metal prior to image.

Patient should be informed that the appointment time is for injection only. Patient will be expected to return 3 to 4 hours later, after injection, for images. Technologist will give patient exact time to return during injection appointment.

To pre-register for your appointment, call Patient scheduling at least 2 days before your scheduled appointment at 978-630-5070. Pre-registration will allow you to report directly to Radiology Department the day of your appointment.

Please arrive 15 minutes prior to your exam.

Thank you,

Nuclear Medicine Department