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Patient Instructions

Department of Radiology

(217) 366-1285

NON-INVASIVE ARTERIAL STUDY - ULTRASOUND

Patient Name _____

Date of Appointment _____ Time of Appointment _____

You are scheduled for a non-invasive arterial study. Please report to the Patient Check-In Desk located on the first floor of Christie Clinic at 1801 W. Windsor Rd. in Champaign. After checking in, please proceed to the Radiology Department also located on the first floor. Please plan to arrive 5-10 minutes prior to your appointment time.

If you are unable to keep your appointment, please cancel at least 24 hours before your scheduled appointment time by calling (217) 366-1285.

What does this procedure show?

An arterial study evaluates blood flow in the major arteries of the arms or legs with Doppler ultrasound.

How do I prepare for the procedure?

No special preparation is required.

What will happen during the procedure?

You will be asked to lie down on an exam table. A small ultrasonic probe will be placed at various sites along certain arteries and your blood pressure measured at different sites. After the test is completed you may resume normal daily activities.

How long will the procedure take?

The procedure takes approximately thirty minutes.

How do I get results of the procedure?

- Your physician will contact you by phone or mail as soon as your test results are received and reviewed.
- Please return for a follow-up appointment with:

Dr. _____ on _____ at _____.

If you have not received your results within one week following this procedure, please contact your physician's office.