

## MRI EXAMS

### INFORMATION SHEET FOR THE PATIENT AND THE COMPANION

Please answer the questions below and sign the form set out as a free and informed consent for the execution of the test.

Dear Mr/Mrs:

*Affix the label with patient data*

In this questionnaire, you will find questions about your state of health, in order to grant you the execution of the MRI safely.

This method of investigation does not use ionizing radiation (x rays).

It is important to know that it uses an intense magnetic field that exerts (like a magnet) attractive forces on ferromagnetic materials that you may have with you or in your body, such as, for example, surgical implants, metal chips, intrauterine device, pacemaker or similar.

You must to inform the staff about that.

During the examination you can hear a swish, due to the smooth operation of the equipment neither painful nor uncomfortable.

It is important that during the examination (which may last from 25 to 50 minutes depending on the type of investigation), you remain as still as possible, breathing regularly; you can communicate with the operator at any time.

#### IN ORDER TO EXECUTE THE MRI EXAMS SAFELY YOU SHOULD:

- Remove all metal objects (hair clips, sunglasses, jewellery, pens, watches, credit cards or other magnetic media, coins, clothing with zippers and / or buttons and / or metal hooks, belts, etc.).
- Clean and dry the skin well, without residual creams or makeup, especially in the eyes; Wear underwear "cotton";
- Bring all previous documentation (clinical, laboratory and radiology) inherent in the examination.
- Warning: the test can ruin the tattoo may be present on the skin.

The staff is available to supplement the information contained herein, please forward to any questions y. Thank you for your cooperation.

Signature of the patient

**In case of minor**, kindly indicate name and surname of the parents or of those who exercise the parental authority.

**In case of incapacity of consent**, kindly indicate name and surname of the legal representative.

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(Please attached documents certifying the role of guardian/legal representative)

## MRI SCAN PRELIMINARY QUESTIONNAIRE

The Magnetic Resonance Imaging technique is a risk-free test using magnetic field and radio-frequency waves. In particular circumstances may produce adverse reactions.

It is therefore of paramount importance that the following information and questioning are read and answered thoroughly and correctly. Finally, all patients are kindly requested to sign the overleaf page for given consent.

• Have you ever undergo major surgery: If yes kindly specify	<input type="checkbox"/> ABDOMEN <input type="checkbox"/> ENDS	<input type="checkbox"/> HEAD <input type="checkbox"/> NECK	<input type="checkbox"/> THORAX <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER PARTS
• Do you have Pace-Maker?		<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input type="checkbox"/> NO
• Do you have any cardioverter defibrillator?		<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input type="checkbox"/> NO
• Do you have spinal tap or ventricular?		<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input type="checkbox"/> NO
• Do you have spinal catheter or ventricular?		<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input type="checkbox"/> NO
• Have you ever had sickle cell anaemia?		<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input type="checkbox"/> NO
• Do you have metal joints/joint replacement, pins, plates, rods, screws, nails or clips?		<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input type="checkbox"/> NO
• Do you have clips, staples of aneurysms (bloods vessels)?		<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input type="checkbox"/> NO
• Do you have any artificial heart valve? Stents?		<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input type="checkbox"/> NO
• Do you have any prosthesis of the spine?		<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input type="checkbox"/> NO
• Do you have any implanted infusion or drug pump?		<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input type="checkbox"/> NO
• Do you have dentures ,dental plate, hearing aid, ocular (eye) or cochlear (ear) implant?		<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input type="checkbox"/> NO
• If female, do you wear an intra-uterine contraceptive?		<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input type="checkbox"/> NO
• Are you pregnant?	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	<input type="checkbox"/> DATE OF LAST MENSTRUAL PERIOD _____	
• Are you breastfeeding?		<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input type="checkbox"/> NO
• Do you have transdermal patches?		<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input type="checkbox"/> NO
• Do you have any piercing or tattoo in your body?		<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input type="checkbox"/> NO
• Do you wear contact lenses or do you have prosthetic lens?		<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input type="checkbox"/> NO
• Are you claustrophobic?		<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input type="checkbox"/> NO
• Have you ever suffered from seizures?		<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input type="checkbox"/> NO
• Have you ever had shrapnel or metal fragments (in particular in the eyes) due to road/hunting accidents Or following explosions caused by work?		<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input type="checkbox"/> NO
• Are you followed by the Surgery Department of Vertebro-Medullary of Udine or do you intend to be followed by them?		<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input type="checkbox"/> NO

**Ensuring that I have answered and fully understood I give my informed consent to the execution of the exam.**

**THE CHIEF RADIOLOGIST**

- ( ) Dr. Degano Gian Paolo  
 ( ) Dr. Fiore Daniele  
 ( ) Dr. Rositani Pasquale  
 ( ) Dr. Dalla Pasqua Francesco

**IN CAPITAL LETTERS: name and surname of the patient and/or the companion**

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**SIGNATURE** patient and/or companion

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