

Ultrasound Outpatient Preparation

Diagnostic Radiology

Test Length	Procedures	Instructions
30 mins.	Abdomen	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. NPO 6hrs prior 2. Diabetic PT may have clear fluid and non-fatty food 3. Meds and water may be taken
30 mins.	Pelvic + / - Endovaginal	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. First, empty bladder 2. Drink 24oz of water 2hrs prior and hold 3. If booked for pelvic U/S only, PT may eat 4. Renal failure patients (Including those on dialysis) are not required to drink, however the urinary bladder should be as full as possible
1 hr.	Abdomen & Pelvis	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. NPO 6hrs prior 2. First, empty bladder 3. Drink 24oz of water 2hrs prior and hold 4. Diabetic PT may have clear fluid and non-fatty food 5. Meds and water may be taken 6. Renal failure patients (Including those on dialysis) are not required to drink, however the urinary bladder should be as full as possible
30 – 60 mins.	Abdominal Doppler	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. NPO 6hrs prior 2. Diabetic PT may have clear fluid and non-fatty food 3. Meds and water may be taken
30 mins.	Renal Transplant Ultrasound	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. No Prep
30 min. Routine Scan	OBS + / - Endovaginal	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. First, empty bladder 2. Drink 24oz of water 2hrs prior and hold 3. PT may eat and take any necessary meds
60 min. Detailed Scan		
Twins— Double Time		

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30 min.	TRUSP Biopsy	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Prep by Urology 2. Patient receives pre-procedure antibiotics 3. Heparin or Coumadin must be reversed if applicable 4. Vital signs pre-procedure
<p><i>Other Tests which may Interfere with U/S (may be done after or day before).</i></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. ERCP 2. Barium / Gastrografin (other bowel contrasts) 3. Scopes 		