

WAIVER FORM FOR PREGNANT OR POTENTIALLY PREGNANT PATIENTS

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If you are potentially pregnant and have refused a serum or urine pregnancy test, one of your options is to proceed with the ordered radiology (x-ray) and/or nuclear medicine exam after reading and signing this waiver form.

If you are known to be pregnant (you have a recent positive pregnancy test), then this x-ray and/or nuclear medicine test is being ordered by your doctor because the need to know what is wrong with you is important enough that he/she feels that the benefits of the test outweigh the risk to your baby.

The risk to your baby from a radiology exam depends on the amount of radiation the baby receives and the stage at which your baby is exposed. Higher dose and exposure early in the pregnancy increases the risk. The primary risks are miscarriage, birth defects, and an increased risk to your baby.

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Your doctor has ordered a radiology (x-ray) and/or nuclear medicine exam that may expose your uterus to radiation. It is important to determine whether you may be pregnant. Please check any of the following that may apply to you:	
☐ I have gone through menopause.	☐ Depo Shot
☐ I have had a hysterectomy.	\square N/A – not started period
☐ I have had a tubal ligation.	
☐ My husband/partner has had a vasectomy.	
☐ I have had a negative serum (blood test or urine) pregr	nancy test in the past 3 days.
Patient (Print Name)	Date/Time
Patient Signature	Date/Time
Parent/Guardian Signature	Date/Time
Witness	Date/Time

If you have not checked any of the above, then you either are or may be pregnant. You have three options:

- 1. Have a serum (blood test or urine) pregnancy test done now.
- 2. Reschedule the exam immediately after your next normal period, or
- 3. Sign the waiver for pregnant or potentially pregnant patients and proceed with the ordered radiology and/or nuclear medicine exam. (Waiver is on the backside of this paper.)