HUDSON VALLEY IMAGING
affiliated with St. Luke's Cornwall Hospital

MRI - MRCP

ABOUT MAGNETIC RESONANCE IMAGING (MRI)

Magnetic resonance imaging (MRI) medical imaging technique used in radiology to form pictures of the anatomy and the physiological processes of the body. MRI scanners use strong magnetic fields, magnetic field gradients, and radio waves to generate images of your organs. An MRI scanner is a short cylinder that is open at both ends. You will lie on a motorized bed that is moved inside the scanner. You will enter the scanner either headfirst or feet first, depending on the part of your body being scanned. The exam can last between 30 to 90 minutes depending on the area being scanned.

INSTRUCTIONS PRIOR TO MRI MRCP

1. NPO 4 Hours Prior to Exam

    - No food or water (unless your exam is with IV contrast, then water is recommended)

OTHER INFORMATION

Your healthcare provider should have the results from your exam within 24-48 hours of having the exam completed.

The results will be automatically faxed to your physician's office once the exam has been read by our radiologists.

If you have any additional questions, please contact our staff at (845) 220-2222.

Appointment Location: _____

Appointment Date & Time: _____