

Having an MRI small bowel scan

An easy read guide



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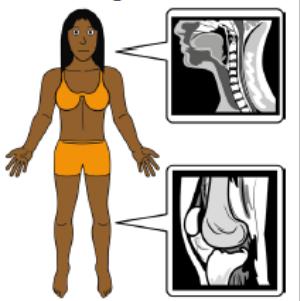
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MRI scan



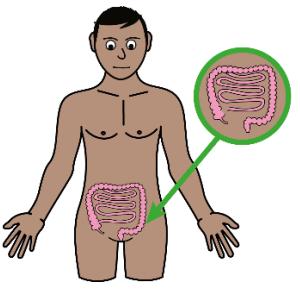
This booklet is about having an MRI small bowel scan

MRI pictures



An MRI scan takes pictures of the inside of your body

bowel



This scan takes pictures of your small bowel

guidelines

things that you
need to do



You will be asked to follow
some special diet instructions
in the days before your scan.

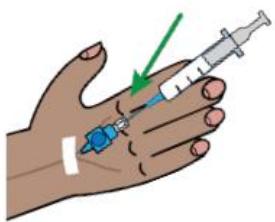
drink



You will be asked to drink
some fluid before your
scan.

This will taste like sugary
water.

injection



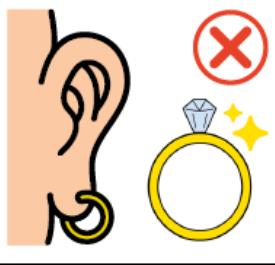
This test may involve an
injection

ask you questions



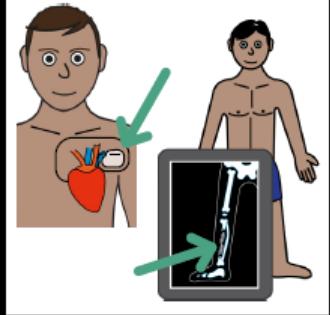
The staff will ask you some
questions before your test

no jewellery



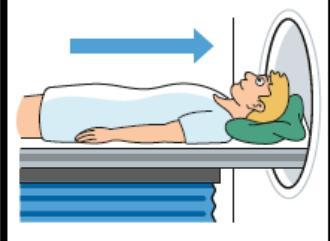
You can't wear any
jewellery when having this
test

pacemaker or metal in body



Let the staff know if you have a cardiac pacemaker or any metal work inside your body

bed moves into scanner



The bed you lay on will move into the scanner

The scanner is not very big

lay still



You need to lay still during the scan

noisy



The MRI is very noisy

music



You can listen to music.



You will be on your own in the scanning room for short periods

Tell staff if you need someone with you at all times

Please bring your hospital passport with you if you have one