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To: Emergency Room and In-Patient Providers

From: MRI Division at South Campus

**MRI STUDIES THAT CANNOT BE DONE AT SOUTH CAMPUS**

Brain Lab

MRI Cardiac studies

MRI Chest PE

MR Urogram, Enterography, Defecography, and Abdomen/Pelvis Scans

MRI Run-offs

MSK STUDIES

- MR arthrograms are done at University Campus

**THE FOLLOWING BODY MRI STUDIES CAN BE DONE AT SOUTH CAMPUS:**

- If the body imaging is for liver, pancreas, gallbladder/MRCP, kidneys, and spleen or mass in the abdomen, an MRI Abdomen without and with contrast should be ordered and can be done at South Campus.
- MRI APPY-Appendix evaluation.
- If specifically wanting to evaluate pelvis; then a pelvis should be ordered.
- Due to equipment limitations, Abdomen/pelvis is discouraged at UAHN South Campus, due to the magnets’ coil coverage limits, which restricts composition of abdomen and pelvis images.

**PATIENTS ON VENTILATORS and/ or UNABLE TO ANSWER MRI SCREENING FORM SHOULD FOLLOW THESE GUIDELINES:**

- If at all possible, please consult with family members to answer questions on screening form and document family members’ name and phone number.
- If family members are not available, then physicians must attempt to completely answer questions on form and accompany with two physicians’ signatures.
- If physicians exhaust resources to answer questions, Medical Imaging (Radiologist) will help evaluate patients’ other modality imaging to decipher, if patient can undergo MRI imaging.

If any questions, please don’t hesitate to contact MRI at Ext: 2043 or 1274 at night.