



## **Patient Information for MRI Arthrogram**

**Please arrive 15 minutes prior to your appointment time.**

Please continue with prescribed medications.

The MRI Arthrogram is in two parts:

1. On arrival you will undergo the Arthrogram Procedure.

This involves local anaesthetic followed by a small amount of contrast injected into the joint. You may experience a little discomfort.

2. Following the injection you will be escorted to the MRI scanner where it is important to lie still for approximately 30 minutes.

3. On completion of the examination you can drive and resume daily activities.

It is important to bring previous x-rays or scans to your appointments.

If you have any questions regarding this appointment please do not hesitate to contact us on (09) 623 5858.

We look forward to seeing you.

Regards,

MRI department