

## Radiology Department

# Having an MRI Scan



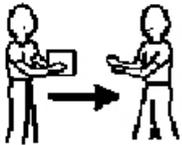


You are coming for an MRI scan.

At the main reception someone can show you the way to the x-ray department.



You should have a card or letter to bring with you.



Give your card or letter to the receptionist.



You can sit in the waiting room until it is your turn.



You will fill in a safety questionnaire.



**Shelley at reception**



You will change into a gown.



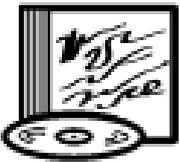
You will have to take off all your jewellery.



and your watch.



Then you will be weighed.



You can bring a music CD to listen to in your scan.



**Shelley being weighed**



Your scan may last around 30 minutes.



You need to lie on a table.



The scanner is noisy so you will wear some headphones.



You will be given a buzzer to use if you are worried.

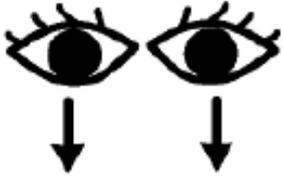


The table moves you into the scanner.

It is like being in a tunnel.



**Shelley lying on the table**



The radiographers leave the room but they can see you through a window.



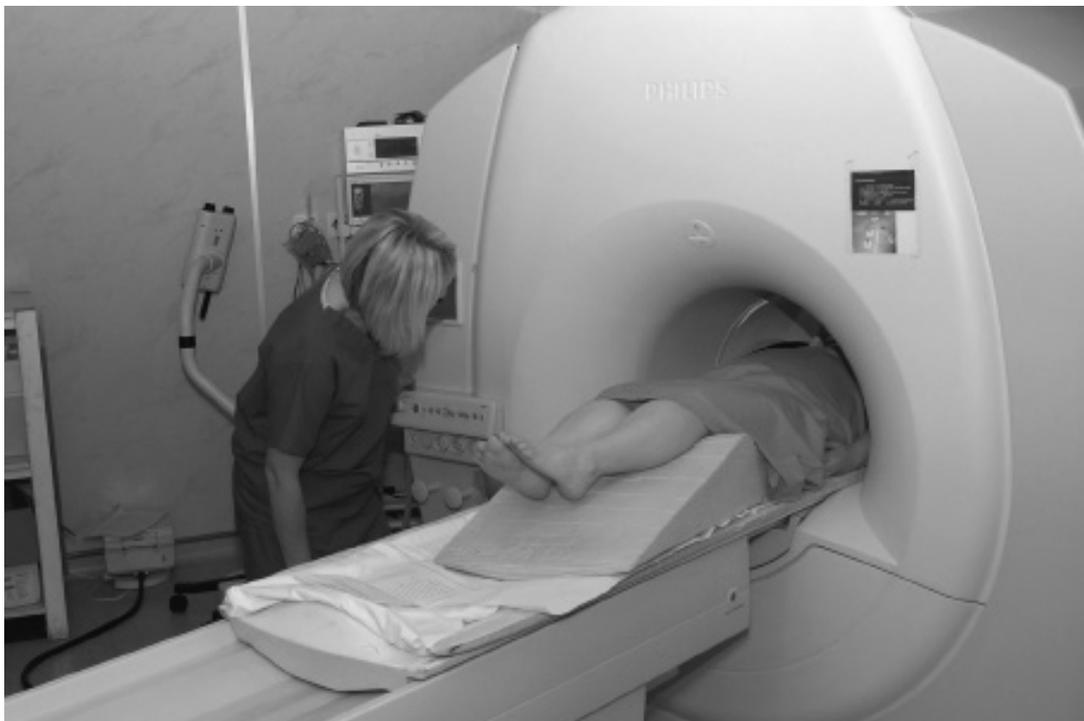
They can hear you and speak too.



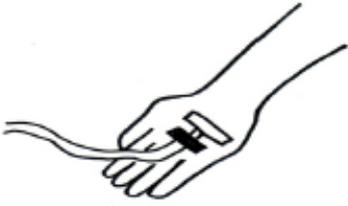
Nothing touches you and it does not hurt.



You do need to keep as still as you can though.



**Shelley in the tunnel**



You may need an injection in your arm or the back of your hand.

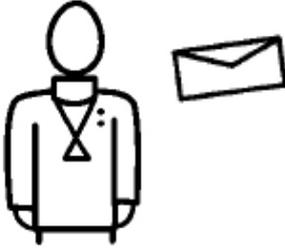
This is to help get better pictures.



**Shelley having an injection**



When the scan is finished the radiographer will tell you when you can go.



You will get the results from the doctor who asked you to come.



**Shelley can go home**

If you have any comments about this leaflet or the service you have received you can contact :



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