PROCEDURE INSTRUCTIONS:

□ ASPIRATION ARTHROGRAM    □ INJECTION ARTHROGRAM

Appointment Date/Time: ____________

□ Please arrive 30 MINUTES before scheduled procedure and use the Radiology Department Map to locate INTERVENTIONAL RADIOLOGY, 3rd floor of HSS Main Building.

□ This procedure is normally scheduled under local anesthesia only. However, if your procedure is scheduled under SEDATION ANESTHESIA, please do not eat or drink 8 hours prior to procedure time. You may take your blood pressure, cardiac, pain medications with a sip of water. For LOCAL ANESTHESIA, (injection of Lidocaine or Xylocaine on the procedure site) you may have a light meal.

□ Blood thinners are not normally stopped because the needle used for these procedures is very “thin”.

□ A responsible adult is required to escort you to home.

* If you have any questions regarding your scheduled procedure, please contact from 9am to 5pm
  • Radiology Nursing Team 212.774.7111 or
  • Tess Leynes, Radiology Nurse Practitioner, Assistant Director, Interventional Radiology 212.774.7551

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