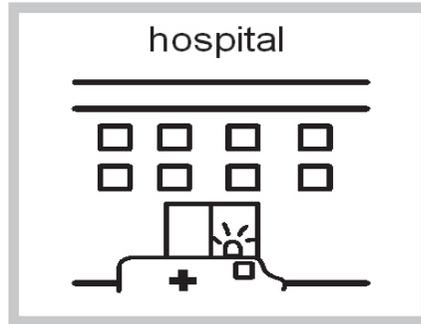


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Radiology Department

Having a CT Scan



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Shelley's CT scan is finished

Having a CT Scan

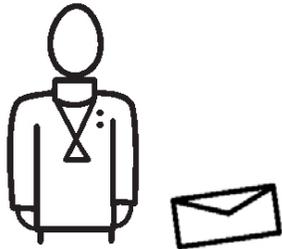
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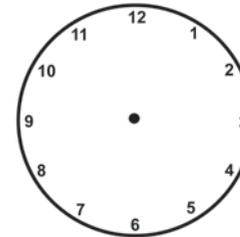
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When the scan is finished the radiographer will tell you when you can go.



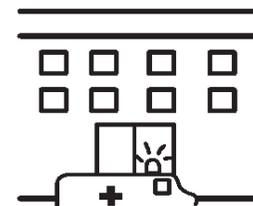
You will get the results from the doctor who asked you to come.



The time of your appointment for your CT scan is

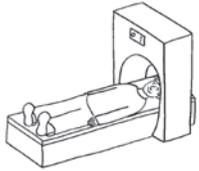
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You appointment is at

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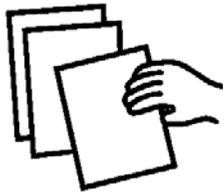


You are coming for a CT scan.

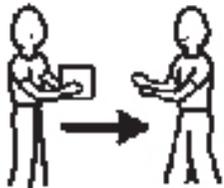


At the main reception someone can show you the way to the x-ray department.

This is where CT is.



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.



Shelley in the CT scanner



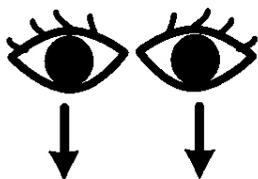
You will lay on a table which moves through the scanner.



Nothing will touch you and it will not hurt.



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



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



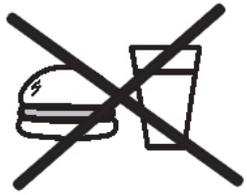
They can hear you and speak to you too.



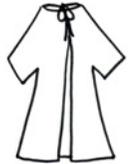
You might be asked to hold your breath for a few seconds.



Shelley in reception



You may have been asked not to eat or drink before your appointment.



You may be asked to go into a cubicle to get changed into a gown.

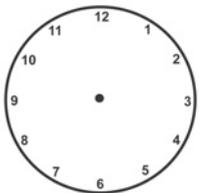


To get better pictures you might need to drink some liquid.



Or have an injection in your hand or arm.

15 to 30 minutes



Your scan will last between 15-30 minutes.



Shelley having an injection