



# NORTH SHORE MEDICAL CENTER

Before your MRI examination, there will be some medical screening and history questions asked by our staff. Below is an overview of some of those questions. Please take a moment to review to be better prepared for your MRI exam. You do not need to fill this form out.

These questions are asked of every patient for every MRI examination. This is done for your safety. Thank you for your patience when these questions are asked multiple times.

## **Medical History Information**

Do you have diabetes?

Do you have a history of dialysis? Peritoneal dialysis or Hemodialysis?

Are you being treated for hypertension (high blood pressure)?

Do you have a history of renal disease? (Including one kidney, kidney transplant, kidney tumor or mass)

Have you ever been diagnosed with cancer?

If yes, what type? When were you diagnosed?

Do you have any concerns with claustrophobia?

Do you have any allergies to MRI contrast?

Are you able to lie flat for 45 minutes?

Will you be taking medication for anxiety as prescribed by your doctor?

Are you pregnant or lactating?

What was the date of your last menstrual period?

Have you had a previous CT or MRI?

## **Medical Implant / Surgical History**

*You will be asked types and dates of all prior surgeries including:*

Ear implant / ear surgery

Eye implant / eye surgery

Joint replacement (s) hip, knee, shoulder, etc

Bone/Joint pin, screw, nail, wire, plate, etc.

Cardiac pacemaker

Aneurysm, vascular or surgical clip

Defibrillator

Any electronic device or implant

Insulin or Infusion Pump

Prosthesis (eye, penile, etc)

Artificial or prosthetic limb

Artificial heart valves

Accident or injury to the eye(s) with metal

Shunts

Radiation seeds

Medication patches (outside or inside the body)

Any metallic fragment or foreign body anywhere in your body

Surgical staples, clips or metallic sutures

Endoscopy or colonoscopy clips

IUD, diaphragm, pessary

Tattoo or permanent make up

**Depending on the type of exam you are having, you may be asked to remove these items prior to your exam.**

Dentures or partial plates

Body piercings or jewelry

Hearing Aid (s)