

## **General Radiology Fluoroscopy Outpatient Preparation**

## Diagnostic Radiology

| Test Length | Procedures                 | Instructions  |
|-------------|----------------------------|---|
|             |                            |   |
| 50 min.     | Arthrogram Joint Injection | 1. No prep  |
|             |                            |   |
| 1 hr.       | Lumbar Puncture            | 1. Off Aspirin/Advil/PLAVIX 48 hours before test                          |
|             |                            | 2. Off HEPARIN/COUMADIN with normal blood                                 |
|             |                            | work (as per hospital norms)  |
|             |                            | <ul><li>3. CBC, PT, PTT, INR</li><li>4. Signed consent</li></ul>          |
|             |                            | 5. Lab requisitions to accompany patient for required                     |
|             |                            | lab tests   |
|             |                            | 6. MAR nursing flow sheet   |
|             |                            | 7. NPO after midnight   |
|             |                            |   |
| 1-1.5 hr.   | Myelogram                  | 1. Off Aspirin/Advil/PLAVIX 48 hours before test                          |
|             |                            | 2. Off Heparin/COUMADIN with normal blood                                 |
|             |                            | work (as per hospital norms)  |
|             |                            | 3. CBC, PT, PTT, INR  |
|             |                            | 4. Signed consent   |
|             |                            | 5. Lab requisitions to accompany patient for                              |
|             |                            | required lab tests  |
|             |                            | <ul><li>6. MAR nursing flow sheet</li><li>7. NPO after midnight</li></ul> |
|             |                            | 7. IN Carter midnight   |