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Dear Physicians and Staff:

Enclosed in this binder is a comprehensive set of information pertaining to Southlake MRI and Diagnostic Center. Our hope is that the information contained herein allows you to more effectively utilize the diagnostic imaging services offered at our facility.

As a bit of background, our firm has offered high quality diagnostic services to the NWI market since 1985. As part of the local community, it is this sense of commitment and continuity that I believe is necessary for providing a total quality experience to physicians, staff, and ultimately patients. Over the past six years, Southlake MRI and Diagnostic Center has developed an excellent reputation and continues to be a great addition to our facility portfolio.

It is our belief that if given the opportunity, Southlake MRI and Diagnostic Center can best serve you and your patient's needs. Appointments are accommodated rapidly, and reports are turned around within twenty-four hours. In addition, the center's staff is happy to assist with the pre-certification process.

Everyone at Southlake MRI and Diagnostic Center is grateful for the support we have received from the community over the years. However, if you are not currently referring patients, we respectfully request that you give our center a try and grant us the opportunity to earn your business. We know that we can exceed your expectations.

If you have any questions or comments, do not hesitate to contact me directly at (219) 795-1801.

Sincerely,

Raman Chopra, Principal



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HOURS OF OPERATION

Monday-Friday 8:00am - 5:00pm

Note: Extended hours may be available upon request



SCHEDULING AN APPOINTMENT

Southlake MRI offers 3 convenient methods for scheduling a patient:

1. Referring Office Phone Call

Please call the main number at (219) 795-1801 and our scheduling department will promptly handle your patient's appointment.

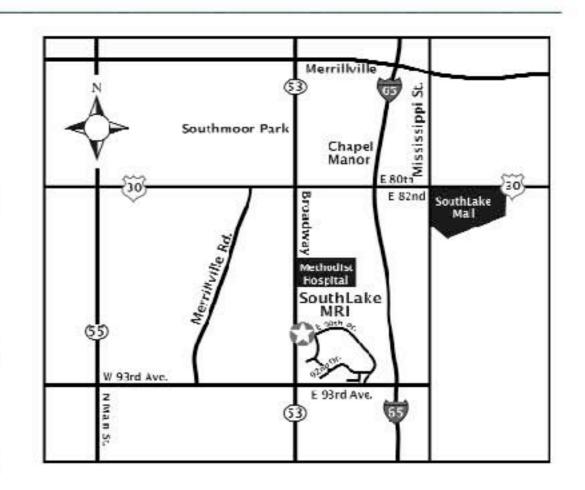
2. Referring Office Fax

Please fax the script order to (219) 795-1802 and our scheduling department will take care of establishing the appointment. Also, please include the following information on the script:

- Patient's name and phone number (mobile phone if available)
- Copy of patient's insurance card and demographics (if available)
- Clinical information (if you prefer to utilize Southlake MRI's pre-certification services)

3. Patient Phone Call/Fax

You may also give the patient the script and allow them to contact Southlake MRI directly to schedule an appointment.





PARTICIPATING INSURANCE PLANS

Indiana Medicaid

Medicare and Railroad Medicare

Anthem - including HIP program

Blue Cross / Blue Shield of Illinois

Cigna

Core Source

Corvel - workers' compensation

Cypress Care - workers' compensation

Diagnostics Plus - workers' compensation

First Health Network (FHN)

Genex - workers' compensation

Healthnet Federal Services / TriCare

HFN PPO network

Humana - HMO and PPO programs

Indiana Health Network (IHN)

Multiplan / PHCS PPO network

One Call Medical – workers' compensation and group health plans

Preferred Plan, Inc.

Professional Claims Management (PCM)

UMR - including Mittal Steel plan

United Healthcare – all programs

US Imaging - workers' compensation



X-RAY EXAMS

Skull Scoliosis Series (NOT Long Film)

Sinuses Knee

Facial Bones Standing Knees

Nasal Bones Lower Leg Mastoids Calcaneus

TMJ Ankle

Mandible Foot

Orbits

Sternum AC Joint

SC Joints Shoulder

Ribs

Chest

Abdomen Humerus

Soft Tissue Neck Elbow

Cervical Spine Forearm

Thoracic Spine Wrist

Lumbar Spine Hand

SI Joints Finger

Sacrum/Coccyx Bone Age

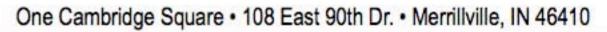
Metastatic Bone Survey

Hips Pediatric Foreign Body

Femur

Pelvis







MRI PROTOCOLS

Head & Spine	Abdomen & Pelvis	Extremities
Routine Brain W/ Diffusion Weighted Imaging	Brachial Plexus	Shoulder
MS Brain	MRA Thoracic Aorta	Humerus/Bicep
Pituitary	Kidneys	Elbow
IAC	Liver	Forearm
Orbits	Pancreas	Wrist
MR Spectroscopy of the Brain	MRCP	Hand
Perfusion Weighted Imaging	MRA Abdominal Aorta	Hip
MRA Brain (Circle of Willis)	MRA Renal Arteries	Femur
MRV Brain	Boney Pelvis	Knee
MRA Neck (Carotid Arteries)	Uterus	Tib/Fib (Lower Leg)
Soft Tissue Neck	Prostate	Ankle
Cervical	Bladder	Foot
Thoracic	MRA Iliac Arteries	MRA Run-Off of the Lower Extremities
Lumbar		
Sacrum		
SI Joints		
Cord Compression Studies		

TMJ



CT PROTOCOLS - OFFERING IV & ORAL CONTRAST

Head & Spine	Trunk	Extremities
Brain	Chest	Shoulder
Pituitary	Abdomen	Humerus
IAC	Pelvis	Elbow
Orbits	Renal Stone Protocol	Forearm
Sinuses		Wrist
Facial Bones		Hand
Soft Tissue Neck		Hip
Cervical		Femur
Thoracic		Knee
Lumbar		Tib/Fib (Lower Leg)
Sacrum		Ankle
SI Joints		Foot
Post Diskogram Post Myelogram		

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BONE DENSITOMETRY EXAMS

Dual Femurs
AP Spine
Orthopedic Hips
Forearm
Hand
Lateral Vertebral Assessment/Vertebral Fracture assessment
Total Body Composition

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IN GENERAL

- 1. Please notify us 24 hours in advance if you are unable to keep your appointment.
- 2. Please come to your appointment 15 minutes early to allow for the completion of necessary paperwork,
- 3. Tell your doctor and the technologist if you are pregnant or think you might be.
- 4. Bring Insurance cards and a picture ID.

Bring previously completed related studies, such as X-Rays or CT scans.

CT & MRI with Contrast

If a patient is 60 years or older, diabetic, has a history of a kidney disease, lupus, or sacoidosis and the exam is ordered with IV contrast lab results dated within one month are needed prior to scheduling for: BUN & Creatinine

MRI

You cannot be examined by MRI if you have:

- 1. Pacemaker
- 2. Cochlear implants
- 3. Metallic fragments in one or both eyes

Please inform falcility in advance if you have:

- 1. Aneursm clips
- 2. Implanted stimulator or medication pump
- 3. Implants in your eyes or ears

CT

If you are allergic to iodine (X-Ray dye) or diabetic, please inform our office before your appointment. Abdomen and Pelvis patients should pick up oral contrast from our office at least 1 day prior to the appointment. Directions will be given to you at that time.

