



PATIENT DETAILS

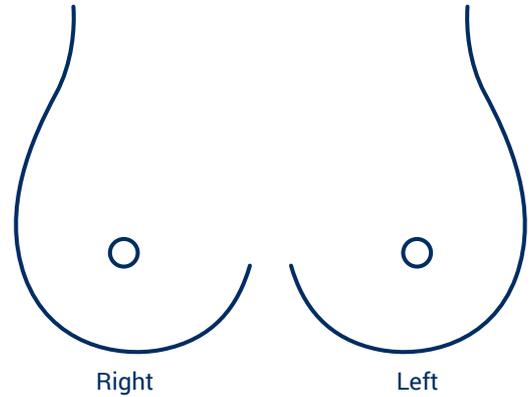
Name
Address
Medicare No.

D.O.B.
Phone No.

INVESTIGATIONS REQUIRED – MRI BREAST

- 63533** Diagnosed with breast cancer, discrepancy exists between clinical assessment and conventional imaging assessment
- 63464*** Asymptomatic, high risk patient < 60 years of age
- 63467** Follow-up within 12 months for abnormality detected as a result of a 63464 service
- 63531** Results of conventional imaging examinations are inconclusive for the presence of breast cancer, and biopsy has not been possible
- 63487** Diagnosed metastatic breast cancer localised to the lymph nodes where primary has not been identified on previous conventional imaging
- 63547** Anaplastic large cell lymphoma with breast implants in situ
- Screening (no Medicare rebate)
- Assessment of known pathology (no Medicare rebate)

CLINICAL NOTES



Breast implants?
 Yes No

REFERRING DOCTOR DETAILS

Doctor
Address
Provider No.
Phone No.

COPY OF REPORT TO

REFERRING DOCTOR SIGNATURE

(Doctor's Name, Provider Number and Date are a legal requirement)

REFERRAL DATE

Additional Clinical Information

- *Asymptomatic, less than 60 years of age and the patient is at high risk of developing breast cancer, due to 1 or more of the following;
 - Genetic testing has identified the presence of high-risk breast cancer mutation in patient or in a 1st degree relative
 - 1st or 2nd degree relative diagnosed with breast cancer at age 45 years or younger, plus another 1st or 2nd degree relative on the same side of the family was diagnosed with bone or soft tissue sarcoma at age 45 years or younger
 - Patient has a history of breast cancer before the age of 50 years
 - Patient has a history of mantle radiation therapy
 - Patient has a lifetime risk estimation greater than 30% or a 10-year absolute risk estimation greater than 5%.

Note: this service cannot be performed in conjunction with Breast ultrasound (55076 or 55079)

For patients who may require intravenous contrast and the patient is over 70 years old, or has suspected or known renal impairment please supply the serum levels within previous: 3 months for stable out-patient | 7 days for stable in-patient.

Creatine: _____ " eGFR= _____ Date of test: _____

Please bring this referral form at time of examination

Thank you for choosing South Coast Radiology"

For Appointments: 1300 197 297 bookings@scr.com.au scr.com.au

① How to Book?



Booking your appointment is quick and easy.

1. Scan the QR code or,
2. Visit scr.com.au to book online

OR

1300 197 297

Call one of our friendly team members to schedule your appointment.

② Your Appointment

Date: _____

Time: _____

Clinic location: _____

Please arrive 15 minutes prior to your appointment time.

You will receive detailed preparation instructions for your appointment at the time of booking.

③ Accessing your Images

South Coast Radiology offers iVue – our free Patient App and secure digital portal giving you convenient access to your medical imaging performed at South Coast Radiology. View your images anytime from your smartphone, tablet, or web browser. Share them with your healthcare providers or family, and easily request appointments when needed. Download our free iVue Patient App via the App store on your smart phone.

Please Note: Your images will reach your account 7 days after your appointment.

④ Clinic Locations

South Coast Radiology proudly operates clinics across the Gold & Tweed Coast – including our dedicated Women’s Imaging Centre and two regional locations.



To find the clinic most convenient to you, scan the QR code to view our full list of locations.

Important Medicare Advice: Your referrer has recommended you use South Coast Radiology. You may choose another provider, but please discuss this with your referrer first.

Scan Preparation:

Routine Breast MRI scans are ideally performed between days 6 and 16 of your menstrual cycle. This timing helps minimise hormonal effects on breast tissue density.

If you do not have a menstrual cycle or require an urgent scan, it can be performed at any time. Day 1 of your cycle is the first day of your period.

No special preparation is required. You may take your regular medication and eat or drink as usual.

Please bring along any previous mammograms, breast ultrasounds, and biopsy reports, as these assist our radiologist in comparing your current and prior imaging.

Do you have any of the following?

- Metal in your eye
- Cardiac pacemaker
- Epicardial wires
- Brain aneurysm clip
- I.V.C. filter
- Inner ear implant
- Claustrophobia
- Neurostimulator
- Brain shunt
- Continuous glucose monitoring devices
- Are you currently pregnant?

What to Expect:

Before Your Scan:

You'll be asked to complete an MRI Safety Questionnaire and a Breast MRI Worksheet.

Our MRI radiographer will review these with you and explain the procedure in detail.

You'll need to remove any jewellery and change into a patient gown.

A small plastic tube (IV cannula) will be inserted into a vein in your arm so we can administer contrast during the scan. The contrast helps enhance the MRI images and provides our radiologist with more detailed information.

During Your Scan:

You'll lie on your stomach with your arms positioned above your head, and your breasts will be placed into a dedicated MRI coil (camera). Your breasts will remain covered during the scan.

It's essential that you remain perfectly still throughout the scan. Movement can impact image quality. If you require pain medication to comfortably lie on your stomach, please take it before arriving.

The MRI makes loud noises, but you'll be given protective headphones. We can also play music of your choice—just let our staff know.

Some patients may feel claustrophobic during the scan. If this is a concern, please let us know at the time of booking so we can assist accordingly.

While you'll be alone in the room, our technician will be monitoring you the entire time. You'll be able to communicate via intercom and will be given a buzzer in case you need assistance.

After the initial images are taken, the contrast will be injected through your IV cannula. You may feel a cool sensation or slight nausea briefly. More scans will be taken following the injection.

The full scan usually takes 20–30 minutes.

After Your Scan:

You can return to your usual daily activities immediately.

A specialist radiologist will prepare a detailed report and send it to your referring doctor. You can also view your results and images through our secure online patient portal, which you can register for during your visit.



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