



Protocol: WAND Pituitary

Adult Neuro Department

Charge: 1006

Time Out

- Patient ID verified with two identifiers/ Wristband
- All required screening forms completed and signed
- Verify correct Patient and exam on scanner and RIS
- Correct Protocol confirmed
- Ordered under correct dept. (i.e. MBV, MKM, etc)
- Images Sent
- Confirm Patient tracked in RIS and ICD-9 Coded

Tech Hand Off

- Confirm Patient, exam, and special instructions
- Relay info such as location of Pt. family/ valuables

Technologist Signature/ Date and Time

Contrast : 0.1 mmol/kg of contrast

Agent:

Dose (cc):

Comments

Patient Identification:

Accession #:

Scanning
Technologist:

Reviewing
Radiologist:

Protocol Information

Plane	Sequence name	Vendor name
1. 3-Plane	Scout	Gre
2. Sagittal	T1 Sag	tse
3. Axial	T2 Flair Ax	T2 dark-fluid
4. Axial	Diff	epse
5. Coronal	T1 Coro Thin Pre	tse

- Contrast 0.1 mmol/kg dose: 1 cc / sec

6. Axial	T2 Ax	tse w/
5. Coronal	T1 Coro Thin Post	tse
7. Axial	3D Ax Post	mprage
8. Coro	T1 Coro Post	SE w/FS
9. Sagittal	T1 Sag Post	tse

Note:

T2 Ax and **3D Ax Post** cover entire brain and skull (needs air above head, face and side of head). Also do not angle the T2 or the 3D

*Immobilize Head with sponges/tape as long as you do not disturb the fiducials

*Pay attention to various obliques need to get True Ax/Sag/Cor images.