



APPOINTMENT DETAILS

Date: Time: Location: Brighton Moorabbin Mulgrave Warragul

PATIENT IDENTIFICATION

Name: Date of Birth:

Address: Telephone (H/M):

..... Medicare No:

REFERRING DOCTOR INFORMATION

Name: Signature:

Address:

Provider No: Tel: Email:

CLINICAL NOTES AND REASON FOR TEST:

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REQUEST FOR

Date of request:

Transthoracic Echocardiogram (TTE)

- Adult (55126)
- Paediatric (<17 years in consultation with paediatric cardiologist) (55132)

Previous scan in last 24 months

- No (Medicare rebate available)
- Yes (Medicare rebate restricted to specialist referral or rural GP)
- Date of last scan: Unknown

Rural / Remote GP Valve Disease (55128) (MMM 3-7)

- Specialist Referrals: Valve Disease (55127)
- CCF / Structural Heart Disease (55129)
 - Adult Complex Congenital Heart Disease (55132)
 - Paediatric (55132) (<17 years) in consultation with paediatric cardiologist

- Exercise Stress Echocardiogram with comprehensive baseline assessment (55141+55126)
- Exercise Stress Echocardiogram with limited baseline assessment (55141)

Previous study within last 2 years

- No (Medicare rebate available)
- Yes (Medicare rebate restricted to specialist referral)

- Approved Indications:
- Typical or atypical angina
 - Known CAD - Ischaemia
 - SOBOE
 - Valve Haemodynamics
 - Silent Ischaemia
 - Abn ECG
 - Pre-op: Risk

ECG Exercise Test

- 17 years or older (11729)
- Younger than 17 years (11730)

12 Lead ECG (tracing and report) (11704)

Holter Monitor (24 hours) (11716)

Event Monitor (7 days) (11723) (>7 days) (11717)

Indications:

- (Pre) Syncope
- Palpitations*
- Suspected asymptomatic arrhythmia*
- Other (describe in notes)

*Episodes at least weekly?

- Yes (Holter or Event)
- No (Event only)

Ambulatory BP Monitor (24 hours)

Pacemaker Check

Pacemaker Model: Unknown



OUR TESTS:

12 LEAD ECG

A 12 lead ECG is a simple test that records the electrical activity of your heart and will take about 10 minutes to perform. Adhesive electrodes are placed on your chest, arms, and legs. You will need to remove your shirt/blouse for this test.

ECHOCARDIOGRAM

This non-invasive test uses ultrasound waves to give us detailed images of your heart in motion, allowing us to assess your heart's structure and function. Allow 40-50 minutes for this test.

EXERCISE STRESS TEST

An Exercise Stress Test measures the performance of the heart, lungs, and blood vessels. In most cases, the test is carried out to assist in making a diagnosis of coronary artery disease. The test can also be used to evaluate a patient's capacity to undertake certain physical activities and in the planning of an appropriate training program. This test usually takes 30 minutes. You will be required to walk as long as you can on a treadmill that increases in speed and slope every three (3) minutes. Wear comfortable clothing such as a tracksuit, shorts or slacks, and a pair of comfortable walking shoes.

STRESS ECHOCARDIOGRAM

This test combines the Exercise Stress Test with echo images of the heart to make the test more informative and accurate. You should allow 30-40 minutes for the test, avoid a heavy meal beforehand, and wear comfortable walking shoes.

HOLTER MONITOR

A Holter Monitor is a 24 hour recording of your heart rate and rhythm. This monitor usually takes 10 minutes to apply and 5 minutes to remove the next day. Five wires are connected to adhesive electrodes on your chest, and connected to a small recorder which you will carry for 24 hours. You will need to remove your shirt/blouse for this test and it is recommended that you wear a loose fitting top. You will be given a diary to record any symptoms you may have, and you will not be able to shower until the completion of the test.

BLOOD PRESSURE MONITOR

A Blood Pressure Monitor records your blood pressure at regular intervals over 24 hours. This monitor usually takes 10 minutes to apply and 5 minutes to remove the next day. A blood pressure cuff is placed on your arm and connected to a small monitor that you carry with you on a shoulder strap or on your belt.

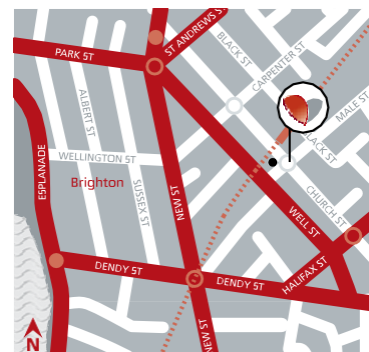
PACEMAKER CHECK

A 15 minute procedure that wirelessly checks the pacemaker function.



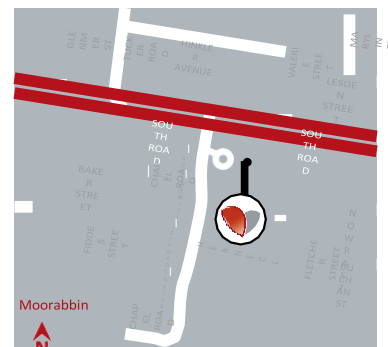
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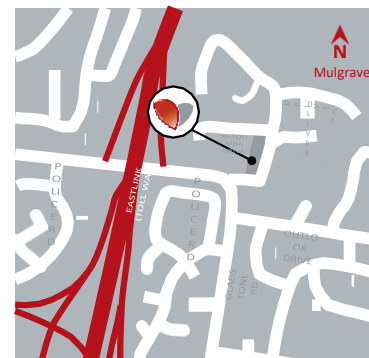
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