
Metals Liability Waiver/Consent for MRI

The purpose of this study is to obtain cross sectional images of your body using a technique called Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI) to help diagnose your condition. While there are no known side effects related to getting an MRI, there are screening procedures that are necessary to make sure your procedure is safe. VSON MRI techs reserve the right to refuse scanning any patient that has an unknown metallic object that is unremovable internally or externally based on the premise that it may not be safe.

The presence of anything external on your body such as, body piercing jewelry, rings, bracelets, tattoos, or other imbedded metallic objects may cause uncomfortable sensations from heat, movement or displacement that may be mild to moderate depending on the site. In extreme cases, serious injuries may occur. Because of these potential safety issues, any metallic body piercing jewelry, and the like, should be removed prior to entering the MRI environment.

If any uncomfortable sensations around the site of a tattoo or other imbedded metallic objects should be expressed to the MRI tech, it is possible that the MRI exam will end because of the unknown metal.

____ I confirmed I have removed all my metallic or magnetic objects, including but not limited to keys, hairpins, barrettes, jewelry, watch, safety pins, paper clips, money clips, credit cards, coins, pens, belt, pocketknife or anything to include metal.

____ I am aware and informed of the potential risks of having unknown ink in a tattoo while undergoing an MRI.

____ I have answered all the questions on the MRI Screening Form to the best of my ability and understand that a possible injury could be a result of me withholding vital information. I confirm with my signature below that I consent for an MRI.

____ Signature _____ Date.