

You are advised to be present **45 minutes earlier** at the Biomedical Imaging Counter than the given appointment time to you for registration and preparation of the procedure.

- If you are late for your appointment, it may be rescheduled to a later date.
- To ensure you are early, kindly make allowances for traffic delay, parking, etc.
- Please bring your identity card/ passport for verification purposes.
- Please bring this appointment slip and previous scans, should there be any, performed at other hospitals. such as MRI, CT Scan, Ultrasound etc.

If you are unable to attend your appointment, please call us at:

Tel: 03-79496771 (Ultrasound Appointment Counter)

- Please notify us as soon as possible if you are unable to attend your appointment.
- You will be contacted should there be any postponement of your procedure.
- If you change your contact number, please call the above number to notify us.
- Please save the above number in your hand phone so that you can recognise any call from the hospital with regards to your appointment.

DEPARTMENT OF BIOMEDICAL IMAGING
UMMC

APPOINTMENT & EXAMINATION INFORMATION
ULTRASOUND

EXAMINATION PART:

NAME:

REGISTRATION NUMBER:

DATE OF APPOINTMENT:

TIME OF APPOINTMENT: AM/PM

PROCEDURE FEE: RM DEPOSIT:RM.....

CHARGE OF ITEM: (PharmUMMC Counter): RM:

NAME OF MEDICAL ITEM:

ALLERGY/ ASTHMA : NO/ YES

LAST MENSTRUAL PERIOD:.....

APPOINTMENT GIVEN BY:

DATE:

Reminder: Please read all the information in this leaflet carefully

What is ultrasound?

- An examination that uses sound waves to create images of organs and structures inside our body.
- Allows better visualization of muscles, tendons, and many internal organs, their sizes, structure and any abnormalities.

How is it done?

An ultrasound machine which has a hand-held probe is used to send the sound waves through the skin via water-based gel which is applied on the skin and images are taken.

Any risks involved during the procedure?

- It is non ionizing radiation procedure, hence, it is thought to be harmless.
- Possibility of allergy to the water-based gel.

How should I prepare ?

- **Neck/ limbs:**
No preparation required.
- **Abdomen (stomach/ liver/ gall bladder, spleen):**
Fasting required
- **Kidney/ urinary bladder/ pelvis:**
Full bladder required before the examination.

Patient preparation before ultrasound procedure**Morning appointment:**

You are required to fast at least 6 hours before the appointment time. You may consume plain water or tea/ coffee (without milk).

Afternoon appointment :

Take light breakfast. You are required to fast at least 6 hours before the appointment time. You may consume plain water or tea/ coffee (without milk)

Children:

Patient is required to fast 4 hours before the appointment time (plain water is allowed).