

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, Ultra-sound etc.

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

**Tel: 03-7949 6688 (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

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### APPOINTMENT & EXAMINATION INFORMATION

#### INTRAVENOUS UROGRAPHY

(IVU)

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**

### **1.What is IVU?**

It is a radiological procedure using X-rays and a contrast medium injection to study and visualize abnormalities of the urinary system, including the kidneys, ureters and bladder.

### **2. How long is the procedure?**

Approximately 45 minutes to 1 hour, may be longer if contrast excretion is delayed.

### **3. Is there any risk involved during the procedure?**

IVU is commonly performed and is generally safe. Patient with a possible iodine/ medication allergy or has previous reaction to the contrast media must be particularly careful and inform the x-ray personnel.

- For female patient of child bearing age, IVU will be done 10 days from their 1st menstrual day.

### **Patient Preparation Before IVU Procedure**

- Fast 6 hours before the procedure. If your appointment is in the afternoon (2-5pm), fast after you had a light breakfast before 8am.
- You are asked to follow strict diet for 2 days prior to the procedure. (Please refer to the diet menu)
- Consumed 2 tablet of Dulcolax which has been prescribed.
- If you have any allergies towards medication, seafood or have history of asthma, please inform the appointment staff.
- If you have a steroid (prednisolone) prescription please remember to take your dosage as advised.
- Empty your bladder before the procedure.

### **Low Residue Diet Menu Before IVU Procedure**

**Breakfast** - Boiled eggs with white bread and any drinks without milk.

**Lunch** - Oil free steamed meat / soup with white rice / bread.

**Night before the IVU examination** - Plain water can be consumed.