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STAT Report? ☐ Yes ☐ No

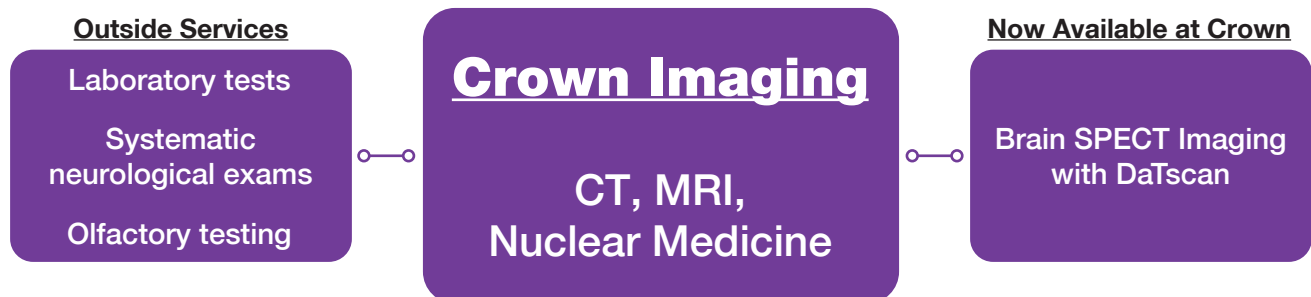
PATIENT REFERRAL

Patient Name _____		Referring Physician _____
Date _____		
Best Contact # _____	Date of Birth _____	SS# _____
Follow-up Scheduled <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No If yes, when _____		
<input type="radio"/> Brain SPECT Imaging with DaTscan		
Ordering Physician's Signature (Legally Required) _____		

INTRODUCING SPECT Imaging with DaTscan

Add Brain SPECT Imaging with DaTscan to your diagnostic procedure

There are a variety of exams and tests used to evaluate symptoms and rule out other conditions:



Brain SPECT Imaging with DaTscan is a Nuclear Medicine diagnostic test that is conducted for the purpose of evaluating the brain's ability to transport a chemical that is naturally produced and used in the brain called dopamine which helps to control body movement. When insufficient dopamine is present in the brain, symptoms of a parkinsonian syndrome such as tremors, stooped posture, slowness, and shuffling gait may appear. By evaluating this function in the brain, physicians are able to collectively use this test in addition to other diagnostic evaluations *to help differentiate a parkinsonian syndrome from other abnormal conditions that mimic parkinsonian syndromes*. Consequentially, this aids in a more definitive diagnosis, thereby giving the physician the ability to more effectively treat the patient being cared for.

Prior to your appointment, our office will contact you by phone In order to help you prepare for this test.

Please tell the Nuclear Medicine Technologist If you:

- Have a known allergy or sensitivity to iodine.
- Have a known allergy to DaTscan.
- Have a known allergy to any other medication.
- Are pregnant or breast **feeding**.
- Have reduced kidney or liver function.

Please tell the Nuclear Medicine Technologist If you are currently taking or have taken any of the following drugs within the past 45 days:

Citalopram	Ephedrine, Epinephrine
Fluoxetine	Phenylephrine
Paroxetine	Pseudoephedrine
Venlafaxine	Xylometazoline
Oxlosetine	Cocaine
Escitalopram	Amphetamine
Fluvoxamine	Methylamphetamine
Sertraline	Methylphenidate
Imipramine	Dexamphetamine
Clomipramine	Mazindol
Pimozide	Phentermine
Ziprasidone	Modafinil
Memantine	Bupropion or Amfebutamone
Amantadine	Benzotropine
Antipsychotics	Weight-loss medications or appetite suppressants
Antidepressants	Smoking cessation medications
Budipine	
Drugs for the treatment of ADHD or ADD (Adderall, Ritalin)	

A 72 hour notification is also required for any change in appointment time and/or cancellation for Brain SPECT Imaging with DaTscan.

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