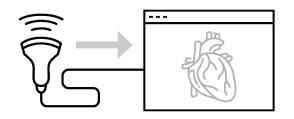
FACTS: Cardiac Imaging

At Lime Radiology, we offer a range of cardiac imaging services in a caring and compassionate environment, to assist your GP or Specialist in accurately providing a diagnosis and developing a treatment plan.

A REFERRAL IS REQUIRED FOR ALL EXAMINATIONS FROM YOUR GP OR SPECIALIST.

Our cardiac medical imaging services include:



Echocardiography

An echocardiogram (echo) is a non-invasive exam that uses ultrasound to image the heart. It is used to provide real time and accurate images of the heart chambers and muscles as well as other structures within the heart.

An echocardiogram may be carried out under stress where images are taken both before and after exercise.

Your doctor may refer you for an Echocardiogram to determine if your symptoms may be attributed to your heart, to look for any abnormalities, monitor effects of treatment or for screening purposes if you have a family history of cardiac issues.



Myocardial Perfusion (MIBI)

A Myocardial perfusion scan is used to show how well blood is flowing through the heart, and to determine if and where there may be any major blockages to blood supply that may cause coronary artery disease. This scan puts your heart under stress to better see blood flow through the heart, either by exercise or injection of medication.

Your doctor may refer you for a myocardial perfusion if you are suffering from chest pain, to diagnose coronary artery disease or to assess heart muscle damage if you have suffered a heart attack.



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