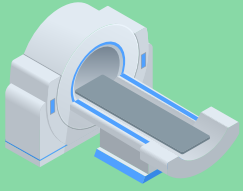




CT Scan



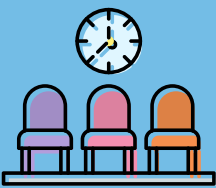
A Computed Tomography (CT) scan takes x-ray images taken from different angles of the body.



CT scans are carried out at your local hospital.



You need to tell the receptionist your name and hand in your referral form.



You may need to sit in the waiting room until staff call out your name.



For some CT scans you may need to change into a hospital gown.



You will go from the changing room to the scanning room.



You will be asked to lie down on the bed.



You will be told how long the CT scan will take.



You will be given step by step instructions to follow.



Staff can see you at all times while the pictures are being taken.



Staff will tell you when the CT scan has finished.



The results will be sent to your GP.