

GROIN ULTRASOUND (Limited Pelvic Exam)

Purpose:

To evaluate the groin for a hernia.

How long will this procedure take?

This exam will take up to 30 minutes.

Preparation:

None

Procedure:

Gel will be applied to the groin. Using the transducer, the technologist image the area at rest and when you take deep breaths.

After the examination:

The radiologist will study your films and dictate a report which will be sent to your physician within 24 hours.