

Diagnostic Radiology Parking Instructions and Directions To:

Smilow Nuclear Med/PET

Thank you for choosing Yale New Haven Hospital

We are looking forward to providing you with exceptional care.

(If you have recently rescheduled or canceled this appointment, please disregard this message.)

We would like to provide the following information to help you find your way around.

If you need to reschedule, please contact our Central Scheduling department at: 203-688-1010.

You (initials: A. B.) are scheduled for an appointment on:

Monday, October 15, 2018

Quick Links

ACR Accreditation

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YNHH Radiology

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(Please provide us with you mobile number)

Appointments and Preps

12:30 pm Smilow Nuclear Med/PET (Please arrive 15 minutes early to check in.)

Prep:

- > You will receive a call from the Nuclear Medicine Department confirming your arrival time.
- > No food, sugar containing drinks, candy or gum for 6 hours prior to your scan.
- If you eat, it may cause your blood glucose (sugar) level to increase which will result in your PET scan being rescheduled.
- > You may only drink water prior to your scan.
- If you are DIABETIC, please consult with your physician about adjusting your blood sugar control regimen to maintain a blood glucose level below 200 mg/dl for the arrival time of your appointment. Insulin CANNOT be taken 6 hours prior to your appointment.
- > No strenuous/physical exercise 24 hours prior to your scan
- > The exam takes approximately 2 to 2.5 hours.
- > Wear dothing that has no metal on it and jewelry should not be worn.
- > After your injection of the radioactive tracer, you will be required to relax in a dimly lit room for 45-60 minutes.
- > The radioactive tracer is specifically ordered for your exam time and will expire shortly after injection time, being late may result in your exam being rescheduled.
- > If you have issues with claustrophobia, please speak with your physician so he/she can prescribe a relaxant if necessary.
- > If you are unable to keep your appointment or have any questions, please call us at 203-688-1010.

4:00 pm Fitkin MRI (Please arrive 30 minutes early to check in.)

Prep:

- > You will need to change into hospital attire.
- > If you have any implants, please bring card, or information on implant.
- > If contrast was ordered, an IV will need to be placed.
- > Exam will take 45 mins.

LOCATION

Smilow Nuclear Med/PET

35 Park St New Haven, CT North Pavilion 2nd Floor

PARKING

Smilow Valet (*Recommended)

17 Park St, New Haven Cost: \$4 with Voucher

Air Rights Garage (ARG)

Oak Street Connector (Route 34) \$4 with Voucher

DIRECTIONS TO THE DEPARTMENT

From: Smilow Valet (easiest)

- Enter through the Smilow Cancer Hospital entrance.
- Once you have entered, you will find the North Pavilion elevators to the left.
- · Take the elevator to the second floor
- Turn left from of the elevator area and Radiology Reception will be just down the hall
- * Make sure to bring your parking ticket in and present it to the department receptionist or technologist to receive a voucher for discounted parking.

From: Air Rights Garage/4th Level

- · Take the walkway from the fourth level into the 55 Park Street building.
- Take the elevator or stairs to the 3rd floor.
- Cross the bridge to the Smilow Cancer Hospital.
- · Radiology is located in the North Pavilion- second floor.
- * Make sure to bring your parking ticket in and present it to the department receptionist or technologist to receive a voucher for discounted parking.

Smilow Valet (*Recommended)

17 Park St, New Haven



Air Rights Garage (ARG)

Oak Street Connector Entrance (Route 34)

If you are coming from route 95 or route 91, stay in the extreme left lane while on the Oak Street Connector and take the left exit to Parking Garages.



Or,

Martin Luther King Boulevard (South) Entrance



Report / Image Request

To request medical records or copies of images on CD, please visit the following link: <u>Medical Records</u>

MyChart

Diagnostic Radiology Imaging results are automatically loaded into <u>MyChart 10</u> days after the report has been completed by the Radiologist, some referring doctors may release these results sooner. Biopsy results take up to 18 days to be released to MyChart.

- MyChart provides secure access to your health information whenever you need it, wherever you may be, from your home computer or smartphone.
- With MyChart you can communicate with your doctor's office, request an
 appointment, view test results, request prescription renewals, view upcoming
 and past appointments, so much more and it is free!

Need a MyChart Account?

If you have a smartphone and would like to receive a link to activate your MyChart account, Click the following link and provide your Mobile Number: MyChart Activation

Notice to Patients

Regarding Billing and Hospital Based Facilities

You may receive a notice from YNHH titled "Notice to Patients Regarding Billing and Hospital Based Facilities" This letter is mandated by the state of Connecticut to inform patients of fees and charges concerning their visit.

If you are only being seen by the Radiology Department during your visit, you <u>WILL NOT BE CHARGED</u> a Facility Fee.

There is no facility fee for radiology exams.

These fees may be applied if you are seen for another appointment, outside of the Radiology department.

Any questions concerning fees, please call: 203-688-8860

