## ABDOMINAL ULTRASOUND (ADULTS)

- A- 24 hours before the test:
  - 1- Do not drink fizzy drinks.
  - 2- Do not eat flours, vegetables or legumes that produce gases (e.g. beans, lentils, corn, sweet potato, cauliflower, cabbage, broccoli, chard).
  - 3- Do not drink mate or chew gum; avoid smoking.
- B- The day of the test:
  - 1- 7 hour fasting.
  - 2- If you are diabetic, you can eat some jelly 4 hours before the test.
  - 3- You can drink still water up to 2 hours before the test.

## **ULTRASOUND OF THE URINARY SYSTEM – PELVIS (ADULTS)**

- C- The day of the test:
  - 1- Empty your bladder 2 hours before the test.
  - 2- Immediately start drinking 700 cc of still water (finish drinking it 1 hour before the exam).
  - 3- If you have prostate problems and usually hold urine, drink 600 cc
  - 4- You should go to the appointment with a desire to urinate.

## **ULTRASOUND OF ABDOMEN AND URINARY SYSTEM - PELVIS (ADULTS)**

- A- 24 hours before the test:
  - 1- Do not drink fizzy drinks.
  - 2- Do not eat flours, vegetables or legumes that produce gases (e.g. beans, lentils, corn, sweet potato, cauliflower, cabbage, broccoli, chard).
  - 3- Do not drink mate or chew gum; avoid smoking.
- B- The day of the test:
  - 1- 7 hour fasting.
  - 2- If you are diabetic, you can eat some jelly 4 hours before the test.
  - 3- You can drink still water up to 2 hours before the test.
- C- The day of the test:
  - 1- Empty your bladder 2 hours before the test.
  - 2- Immediately start drinking 700 cc of still water (finish drinking it 1 hour before the exam).
  - 3- If you have prostate problems and usually hold urine, drink 600 cc.
  - 4- You should go to the appointment with a desire to urinate.

#### **ULTRASOUND OF RENAL ARTERIES – ABDOMINAL VESSELS (ADULTS)**

#### 48 hours before the test:

- Do not drink fizzy drinks.
- Do not eat flours, vegetables or legumes that produce gases.
  (e.g. beans, lentils, corn, potato, sweet potato, cauliflower, cabbage, broccoli, chard)
- 3. Do not drink mate or chew gum; avoid smoking and eating sweets.
- 4. Take 1 tablet of Meteofar every 8 hours. Start 48 hours before the test.

#### B- The day of the test:

- 1. 8 hour fasting prior to the test.
- 2. (You can drink still water up to 2 hours before the test).

## ABDOMINAL ULTRASOUND (CHILDREN)

Do not drink fizzy drinks 24 hours before the test.

Newborns up to 3 months old: No preparation.

Babies 4 months up to 24 months old: 4 hour fasting.

Children 2 to 7 years old: 5 hour fasting.

Children 8 to 12 years old: 6 hour fasting.

Children aged 12 and older: 7 hour fasting.

You can drink still water up to 2 hours before the test (you can eventually drink non-carbonated, sugar and lactose-free juices).

#### **ULTRASOUND OF THE URINARY SYSTEM AND PELVIS (CHILDREN)**

Newborns up to 3 years old: 30 minutes before the exam drink water or non-carbonated juices on demand.

Children 4 to 7 years old: 1 hour before the exam drink 400 cc of non-carbonated water or juices on demand and do not urinate until the test is performed.

Children 8 to 12 years old: Empty your bladder 2 hours before the test and immediately start drinking 500 cc to 700 cc of still water. You should go to the appointment with a desire to urinate.

Go to the exam wearing a T-shirt.

# SOFT TISSUE AND OBSTETRIC ULTRASOUND

Do not apply cream to the area to be studied.