



# Instructions for a Liver Spleen Scan

ILLAWARRA Nuclear Imaging: WPH

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**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Appointment:**

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Time:** \_\_\_\_\_

Your doctor would like you to have a **Liver/Spleen Scan**. The test is to look at the size, shape and position of your liver and spleen.

Please report to the Illawarra Nuclear Imaging: Wollongong Private Hospital  
Suite 705, level 7, 360-364 Crown Street Wollongong NSW

**If you cannot attend on the day, please call the Department to make another appointment time.**



The phone number is: (02) 42 261755  
Or Bookings (Toll Free): 1300 136015

**Procedure:** You are given an injection of a radioactive tracer, and pictures are taken of your liver after the injection. The test takes up to 45 minutes.

**Preparation:** Nil

Bring any recent test results, such as **x-ray, CT scan or MRI.**

**An important note for women having Nuclear Medicine Scans:**

As with any test using radiation, you must contact us before your appointment if:

- you are or may be pregnant
- you are breast feeding