

**PATIENT INFORMATION**

**Patient's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**You have an appointment in the Ultrasound Department on:**

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

Please arrive 15 minutes early. This gives you time to check in. Please bring with you photo identification and your CareCard (personal health number).

Please do not bring your children with you unless you bring someone to care for them while you are having the test.

If you are not able to keep your appointment, please call **604-806-8161** as soon as possible. Please give us at least 24 hours notice so we can use your time for someone else. When you call, we will give you another date and time for your test.

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**Things you need to know**

We give you this test right after ultrasound of your pelvis. You do not need to come in for extra visit.

**Before your test**

★ Please let us know if you are allergic to latex before this test. ★

Please let us know if you have had your uterus and ovaries examined by your doctor (This is called a 'pelvic exam'.) We also need to know if you are sexually active. One of us will ask you these questions before the test.

You may have a short wait before we can take you into the exam room.

**How to prepare for your test**

Please empty your bladder (go to the toilet or go pee) before the test. You can use one of the toilets in our department.

**What happens during the ultrasound test?**

- We ask you to help us insert an ultrasound probe (special camera) into your vagina. This camera looks like a small, thin tube. It is only slightly uncomfortable and should not cause pain.
- We then take more detailed pictures of your pelvic organs from inside your body.

**How to get your test results**

We send your ultrasound test results to your doctor as soon as possible. If your doctor does not have your results within two weeks, please ask your doctor to contact us.