

### 3T MRI Checklist for Nurses

Complete Children's Pre-Sedation Powerform (Age > or = 12 or menstruating complete pregnancy test)	
Complete MRI Compatibility Powerform. Call 3T MRI tech and let them know any "yes" answers (such as metal implanted device, etc.) 3T MRI - 67125	
Needs a Creatinine if contrast is ordered; Result is needed within 24 hours of scan Obtain a weight within 24 hours of scan if contrast is ordered	
Check if PIV is needed	

#### Helpful tips for 3T MRI

- See UOC book for scheduling 3T MRI and/or sedation.
- UOC will help to coordinate sedation and scan time with 3T.
- Coordinate time with EEG tech for removal of wires prior to MRI.
- Wash and dry hair. Patient cannot have wet hair for scan.
- Put scheduled time for MRI and sedation in nursing communication if not already done so.
- Scan takes from 30 minutes to one hour.
- 3T MRI order that states: "w/wo contrast" means with AND without contrast, therefore the patient requires a PIV.