

BARIUM ENEMA

Children



X-rays allowing a view of the large intestine are carried out through the rectal administration of a barium sulphate product.

IMPORTANT!

Do not stop taking your prescribed medication before this procedure .

Diabetic patients :

- Please advise personnel when making an appointment.
- Have a snack the night before your examination: apple juice, soda crackers, mild cheddar cheese.
- Bring your medication with you when you have to fast the morning of your examination.

RENDEZ-VOUS

Telephone : 418 986-2121

Extension 8143



Make sure to note the time of your appointment and to arrive at the medical imaging department at the Archipel Hospital, 10 minutes before your appointment time.

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APPOINTMENT

Date : _____

Time : _____

**In the event you cannot be present, please cancel your appointment by calling:
418 986-2121, ext. 8143**

PREPARATION

CHILDREN 0 TO 2 YEARS OLD

- ◆ Liquid breakfast, no milk products.

CHILDREN 3 TO 15 YEARS OLD

The night before the procedure:

- ◆ Residue-free supper
- ◆ Suggested foods:
 - ◇ Soup (chicken or beef and rice or noodle soup);
 - ◇ Soda crackers;
 - ◇ Chicken breast, lean ground beef or fillet of sole with rice (no sauces);
 - ◇ Toasted hearth bread with butter;
 - ◇ Jell-O and 2 dry biscuits or angel food cake;
 - ◇ Apple juice

For children 7 to 15 years old only

- ◆ 1 DULCOLAX suppository (10 mg.)

PRÉPARATION

CHILDREN 3 TO 15 YEARS OLD

THE MORNING OF THE PROCEDURE

- ◆ Liquid breakfast, no milk products.



For children 3 to 6 years old

- 1 DULCOLAX suppository (5 mg.) approximately 3 hours before the procedure.

For children 7 to 15 years old

- 1 DULCOLAX suppository (10 mg.) approximately 3 hours before the procedure.

**LENGTH OF THE EXAM:
About 30 minutes**

AFTER THE EXAM



- ◆ Be sure to drink plenty of liquids for the next 24 hours.

- ◆ **Patients with impaired renal function or patients with heart failure** must follow their doctor's advice regarding hydration.