



St. Louis Heart and Vascular, P.C.

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ABDOMINAL ULTRASOUND

Your doctor has scheduled you for an abdominal ultrasound at our Christian NE / DePaul / Granite City office on _____ at _____ am / pm.

DURING THE PROCEDURE:

You will lay down while ultrasound gel is placed on your abdomen and the technician will use a small hand held sound wave device to look at your arteries or organs.

The entire test may take up to 1 hour to complete.

YOU MUST:

Have nothing to eat or drink 6 to 8 hours prior to the test until after the test is completed.

You may take your morning medicines as usual with a small sip of water, unless they are required to be taken with food.