

Colonography for a child in New Childrens Hospital

This study examines the function and anatomy of the colon (large intestine).

During the examination, the abdomen is scanned with an X-ray machine.

Please reserve 2 hours for your visit. The examination takes 30–60 minutes.
Children who need urgent examination may be examined before your child.

Please see the arrival instructions for contact information if you have any questions about the examination.

Before the examination

You do not need to prepare for the examination.

During the examination

During the examination, the child will lie on an imaging table.

A thin tube will be inserted into the child's rectum. The tube is used to fill the colon with contrast medium. X-ray images will be taken in various positions.

The tube will be removed when the imaging ends.

After the examination

You will receive the results of the examination from your child's attending physician.

If you do not know how to find out the results, please contact the outpatient clinic or ward that referred your child to this examination.

Other things to note

Please bring with you the child's Kela card or ID.

One adult may accompany the child during the examination. However, you cannot be present for the examination if you are pregnant or suspect that you might be pregnant.

You will not be charged for the examination separately.

Cancel the appointment if you cannot come.