CT SCANNING at CAMC IMAGING

These are the preferred; however there can be exceptions to these. If at any time you have questions please feel free to contact one of the radiologists or CT departments.

All scans for follow up of disease, progression of disease, restaging

CT CHEST WITH
CT ABDOMEN/PELVIS WITH PO and IV
CT CHEST/ABD/PELVIS WITH PO and IV
CT NECK/CHEST/ABD/PELVIS WITH PO and IV
CT NECK WITH

The following are studies done with and without contrast

CT ABDOMEN FOR HEMANGIOMA - PO and IV
CT ABDOMEN FOR RENAL MASS (NEW DIAGNOSIS) - PO and IV
CT ABDOMEN FOR PANCREAS MASS (NEW DIAGNOSIS) - PO and IV
CT BRAIN (IF NO PRIOR WITHOUT)
CT IVP (will be scanned as CT Abd/Pel W/WO) - IV only for CT IVP

If patient is allergic to intravenous contrast, they still can receive oral contrast

CT IV Contrast Usage Guidelines (Adult & Pediatric)

1. Patients at Risk
   a. Patients >60 years of age are to have a recent (within 30 days CT & MR) serum Creatinine prior to contrast injection.
   b. Patients 60 years of age and under including pediatrics; DO NOT require labs, UNLESS the patient has one or more of the following:
      ➢ History of renal disease or surgery on the kidneys: Including dialysis, kidney transplant, single kidney, kidney surgery
      ➢ Diabetes mellitus
      ➢ History of Chronic Uncontrolled Hypertension
      ➢ Renal Cancer
      ➢ Recently (within 3 months) had chemotherapy
      ➢ If eGFR is less than 30, and the patient is NOT on hemodialysis; we will not administer CT IV contrast. We will notify ordering physician to discuss CT without contrast appropriateness.

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