



Advanced Imaging Center

Patient Name: _____

Consent to Undergo MRI During Pregnancy

I hereby acknowledge that Advanced Imaging Center, LLC., (“AIC”) through one of its representatives has discussed with me the issues concerning an MRI during my pregnancy. Specifically, it has been explained to me that:

1. MRI is a technique to look inside the body without using ionizing radiation. I will lie on a table for 60-90 minutes while pictures are being taken using magnetism and radio frequency waves. The MRI study will not require any injections or anesthesia, but if sedation is needed, I will be informed and allowed to consent.; and
2. Because an MRI uses magnetism and radio frequency waves, known risks include, damage to heart pacemakers and injury due to the presence of metal objects inside a persons body or in the examining room. Because MRI imaging is so new, the effects of an MRI on pregnant women, either to the mother or her fetus are NOT KNOWN. No conclusive research has been performed. Therefore, neither AIC and or any person acting on behalf of AIC, can exclude the possibility that there may be short-term or long-term hazards. In other words, AIC and persons acting on behalf of AIC do not know whether either my baby or myself will be damaged by an MRI.

AIC and/or persons acting on behalf of AIC have answered ANY AND ALL questions that I may have had. My risks and the risk to the fetus have been fully explained so that I may make an informed decision with regard to the MRI procedure. I further understand that I may contact AIC for any future questions I may have about this test.

After being given sufficient time to consider the benefits and risks of the MRI, specifically considering my pregnancy, any other medical condition that I may have and the unknown possibility of damage to me or my baby, I hereby consent on behalf of myself and my fetus to undergo the MRI procedure. I do not have a pacemaker or any dangerous implanted metal objects.

Dated:

Patient

Witness

AIC Representative