

X-RAY

X-rays are a common form of diagnostic imaging using a small amount of ionizing radiation to diagnose and monitor a variety of bone, chest, abdominal and soft tissue disorders.

X-rays are offered at our Red Deer location.

Covered by Alberta Health Care

Referrals are necessary for all bookings

Exam Duration: 10 - 15mins

PATIENT PREPARATION

- ✔ **Appointments are not necessary;** we offer a walk in service.
- ✔ Bring your requisition and health care card with you.
- ✔ Wear loose comfortable clothing, free of metal or zippers if possible.

WHAT TO EXPECT DURING YOUR EXAM:

- ✔ After you check in at the front desk you will be asked to have a seat in the waiting room.
- ✔ A technologist will call you in for your exam on a first come first served basis.
- ✔ You may be asked to change into a gown and remove jewelry, depending on what kind of exam you are having.
- ✔ If you are **female** and between the **ages of 9 and 55** you will be asked about your menstrual status and the possibility of pregnancy. You may be asked to sign a pregnancy waiver.
- ✔ The technologist will position you for your exam and take the x-rays.

AFTER YOUR EXAM:

- ✔ You will be free to go.

CAMIS strives to have the results sent to your referring doctor **within 24 hours**. Sometimes exams require consultation which can delay reporting. If your doctor has **not received results in 7 days**, please email connect@camiscare.ca with the concern and include your Alberta Health Care number. An administrator will determine the cause of the delay and respond to you.

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