



**POST PROCEDURE INSTRUCTIONS for outpatients after a CT scan with intravenous contrast.**

You have had an exam that required the use of an injection of a contrast agent. This contrast is clear and will leave your body during normal urination.

You may resume your normal diet and medications after the exam.

Please call your primary physician or the nearest emergency department if the injection site becomes red, swollen or hot or if you develop unusual symptoms you did not have before your procedure.

Diabetic patients taking Metformin (also known as Avandamet, Glucophage, Glucovance, Glucometz, Janumet, Glumetza) must stop taking their Metformin for 48 hours after the injection.

**Please drink plenty of fluids**