

Luteinizing Hormone Releasing Hormone (LHRH)
(7:00 AM, 7:15 AM, 7:45 AM)
Diagnosis

Your son/daughter is scheduled for a LHRH diagnosis or suppression test.

You and your child need to be in Outpatient Registration 15 minutes prior to your scheduled time.

Please park in the South Parking Garage. Come in the South Entrance of the hospital. Go to the Outpatient Registration desk. After you are registered you will be escorted to the Pediatric Special Procedure Area where you will be greeted by one of the RN's.

Do not give your child anything to eat or drink after midnight.

Your child will be assessed by one of the nurses.

An IV line will be inserted and the baseline hormone levels will be obtained. Once the labs are obtained your child will be given an injection of Leuprolide acetate. Your child will have his vital signs and hormone levels drawn ever 30-60 minutes for a total of 180 minutes from the time the medication was given.

Once the test is completed your son/daughter will be given something to eat and drink and the IV line will be discontinued. Your child may return to school that day.

Any questions about the test or the results of the test should be directed to Dr. Bordini, Dr. Zeller, or Dr. Zimmer.

Your child need to return the next morning between 6:00AM and 8:00 AM for labs. Depending on your insurance and MD preference you may go to a Quest lab.

Please make sure you have an appointment to see the Doctor 2-4 weeks after the test to obtain the results. If you have any questions call 1-630-527-3027.

Thank You!