

PATIENT INFORMTION
VASCULAR LABORATORY TESTING

Vascular Lab Exams are performed by appointment only.

To schedule, reschedule, or cancel an appointment **scheduled by Dr. Rice** please call **the office at (814) 238-2616**.

A signed physician order/request must be presented at the time of the examination. If an order/request is not available the test may be delayed.

No special preparation is necessary for extremity or carotid testing.

Do not eat, drink, chew gum, or use tobacco after midnight for renal artery, aneurysm, or other abdominal testing. Medications may be taken with a very small sip of water if needed. This avoids air entry into the abdomen that prevents acceptable imaging.

Needles and medications are usually not used during test performance.

The Vascular Lab will try to perform tests at the scheduled time. The staff is expected to be prompt and courteous. If you have complaints about your testing experience please let us know.

LOCATION

The office staff will provide the location of the test center where your test is to be performed.

QUESTIONS

Questions about study performance may be directed to the office staff at (814) 238-2616.

Philip L. Rice, M.D., F.A.C.S., R.P.V.I.
University Cardiothoracic and Vascular Associates
100 Radnor Road
State College, PA 16801
(814) 238-2616