Scheduling An Appointment

To schedule an appointment at any of our five imaging locations, please call:

**Stanford Radiology Scheduling Center**
Phone: 650-723-6855
Fax: 650-723-6036

Appointments are available Monday thru Saturday.

For maps and directions, go to: http://imaging.stanfordhospital.org

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**Redwood City**
**Stanford Medicine Outpatient Center**
450 Broadway Pavilion B, Redwood City, CA 94063
**Services:** MRI, CT, Diagnostic X-Ray, US, Bone Density

**Directions:** From South (San Jose)- Take US-101 North toward San Francisco. Exit CA-84/Woodside Road West (18 miles). Take Woodside Road to Broadway Street (.7 mile). Turn left on Broadway Street. Stanford Medicine Outpatient Center will be on the left (.6 mile).

**From North (San Francisco)-** Take US-101 South toward San Jose. East CA-84/Woodside Road West (25 miles). Take Woodside Road to Broadway Street (.3 mile). Turn left on Broadway Street. Stanford Medicine Outpatient Center will be on the left (.6 mile).

**Palo Alto**
**Stanford Medicine Imaging Center**
451 Sherman Avenue, Palo Alto, CA 94306
**Services:** MRI and CT

**Directions:** From 280 Exit Page Mill Road East and turn left/North on El Camino Real. Drive 3 blocks and turn right on Sherman Avenue, just after the Olive Garden Restaurant.

From 101 Exit Oregon Expressway West and turn Right/ North on El Camino Real. Drive 3 blocks and turn right on Sherman Avenue, just after the Olive Garden Restaurant.

Valet parking is available. Public parking is also available in lots located opposite the center and along Sherman Avenue.

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**Stanford Hospital**
300 Pasteur Drive, Stanford, CA 94305
**Patient Admitting Registration** – First Floor
**Services:** Diagnostic X-Ray, Cath Lab, IR, CT, US, & GI

**MRI Service/Registration** – Ground Floor
**Nuclear Medicine & PET/CT Service/Registration** – 2nd Floor H220

**Blake Wilbur Outpatient Clinic**
900 Blake Wilbur Drive, Stanford, CA 94305
**Patient Registration** – First Floor
**Services:** Diagnostic X-Ray, CT, US, MRI, and Mammography

**Advanced Medicine Center**
875 Blake Wilbur Drive, Stanford, CA 94305
**Patient Registration** – First Floor CC 1227
**Services:** Diagnostic X-Ray and Mammography

**Parking:** Please use the Patient & Visitor parking Structure in front of Stanford Main Hospital when coming for services at either Blake Wilbur Clinic or the Stanford Advanced Medicine Center. Valet parking is available at Advanced Medicine Center.
Stanford Medicine Imaging is committed to providing outstanding care, utilizing state-of-the-art technology, and offering the subspecialty expertise of Stanford’s world-renowned Department of Radiology. Our team of medical professionals conduct more than a quarter of a million studies each year, maintaining the highest standards of clinical excellence provided in a compassionate, caring environment.

■ Comprehensive Breast Imaging Services:
  • Accredited by the American College of Radiology Mammography Accreditation Program
  • Digital Mammography — Screening & Diagnostic
  • Breast Ultrasound & Ultrasound-Guided Core-Needle and Stereotactic Biopsy
  • Breast MRI & MRI-Guided Interventions
  • PET-CT — used in the initial staging or re-staging of cancer, and in its response to treatment

■ Gynecological Imaging and Intervention — valuable tools for evaluating pregnancy, fetal and maternal health, and a variety of treatments for conditions affecting the female reproductive tract
  • 4D Ultrasound
  • Pelvic MRI
  • HSG (Hysterosalpinography) and FTR (Fallopian Tube Recanalization)
  • UFE (Uterine Fibroid Embolization)
  • Treatment of Pelvic Venous Congestion Syndrome
  • Bone Densitometry

■ State-of-the-Art Technology:
The Stanford Outpatient Imaging Centers have the state-of-the-art MRI (1.5 T and 3T MRI) scanners, Digital Mammography, Ultrasound and Bone Density, offering referring physicians and patients easy access to the latest imaging advances

■ National experts with specialty training in Women’s Imaging & Intervention

  Director of Breast Imaging
  Debra Ikeda, MD
  Professor of Radiology

  Director of Breast MRI Service
  Bruce Daniel, MD
  Associate Professor of Radiology

  Diagnostic Radiology
  Sunita Pal, MD
  Clinical Assistant Professor of Radiology

  Diagnostic Radiology
  Jafi Lipson, MD
  Assistant Professor of Radiology

Digital Mammography
Digital mammography, also called full-field digital mammography (FFDM), uses a low-dose x-ray system to take pictures of the breasts electronically rather than with film. Radiologists read the mammograms for early detection and diagnosis of breast diseases in women. Stanford also uses computer-aided detection (CAD) on the mammograms, which uses a computer program and neural networks to find cancer.

MRI
Magnetic resonance imaging (MRI) is a non-invasive medical examination that does not use ionizing radiation (X-rays). The MRI machine uses a large magnet and a computer to take pictures of the inside of your body. Each image shows only a few layers of body tissue at a time. The images can be seen on a computer monitor and help radiologists detect problems in your body. The scan usually takes between 15 to 90 minutes.

The Stanford Breast MRI Advantage:
• High-Resolution MRI with 3D Imaging
• Pioneering the development of Ultra Rapid Dynamic Imaging & High Spatial Resolution Images
• Uniform suppression of signal from fat in the breast
• Silicone Augmentation Specific Imaging

MRI of the breast offers valuable information about many breast conditions that may not be visible by other imaging modalities, such as mammography or ultrasound. It is also used to evaluate the integrity of silicone implants.

Breast MRI scans should be scheduled within 7-12 days of the onset of one's menstrual cycle unless the request is urgent.

Ultrasound
Ultrasonography, which is sometimes called sonography, uses high-frequency sound waves and a computer to create images of blood vessels, tissues, organs, or the breasts. In women, ultrasonography is often used to examine many parts of the body such as breasts, uterus and ovaries. Ultrasound is used to view internal organs as they function, to assess blood flow through various vessels, or to evaluate breast masses.

Bone Densitometry
Bone density scanning, also called dual-energy x-ray absorptiometry (DEXA) or bone densitometry, is an enhanced form of x-ray technology that is used to measure bone loss (osteoporosis) that may occur after menopause. DEXA is effective in tracking the effects of treatment for osteoporosis and other conditions that cause bone loss. DEXA can also assess an individual’s risk for developing fractures.