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Q1:

1A8: Triphasic Liver

The Triphasic computed Tomography Scan is a good and use the first line imaging modality for differentiating the benign and malignant focal liver lesions.

Indication or OR Circumstances

The rule of out follow liver of hypervascular metastasis from the following.

Primary liver tumors,
Renal cell carcinoma, Leiomyosarcoma, thyroid tumors, carcinoid tumors and the other neuroendocrine tumors, Melanoma and breast (may be hypovascular), pancreatic islets cell tumors, GIST (Gastro Stromal cell tumors)

Patient Preparation:

The patient must have the 4 hours of fasting.

Gives the positive oral contrast 15, 30, 45 and 60 min prior must be remember the time and health of patient immediately prior the scan.
H₂O may be suitable alternative 750ml

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30 min prior. The 250 ml of contrast immediately given to the prior scan. Scanning the patient should be guided properly and not working or overthinking about it. Proper monitoring the patient.

Protocol

The 2 phase of liver 5mm (0.5mm)

Large two phase 5mm to 1mm -

Scan slice thickness

0.5mm x 64 (1mm 132)

pitch

Standard

kV

120

mA

^{50%} Exposure 3D Standard

Rotation time

0.5 = (0.75 sec)

Scan Range is

Start	Arterial phase	Portal venous phase
start	Top of higher hemidiaphragm	Top of higher hemidiaphragm
end	iliac crest	Below ischium
Plane	Straight gantry	Straight gantry.

Contrast is

Volume	70 - 120 ml (Depending on present weight)
Rate	2 ml/s
Delay	start 180HU in abdominal aorta + 40 sec portal venous 65 sec fixed delayed.

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Image Reconstruction:-

S/S Volume	Body Standard axial Body Standard volume.
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Reformation:-

Multiview	coronal	Sagittal
Start	Posterior	Left
End	Anterior	Right
Thickness	4mm	4mm
Spacing	4mm	4mm

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Q28

Ans: Anosmia:

There are the three most common causes for a smell disorder are sinonasal disease after a URTI and also include the head or facial injury. The passage of air may be affected after any trauma the area can reduce the sense of smell.

Indications:

Sinusitis, sinusitis, polyps, facial bone, and anosmia.

Patient preparation:

First guide the patient about the whole procedure and after that you say it to the patient kindly cooperate during the examination.

Remove the unnecessary items because the scan not properly done it may cause the artifacts.

Patient should be try to no movement during the scan.

The patient supine head first

Take care for the patient and also their head while doing the position

Always ask from the patient

In his previous history about surgery confirmed and also keep in record.

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Protocol:

Sinuses HCT	5mm to 0.5mm
Slice thickness	0.5mm to 64x
pitch	Detail
Kv	120
mA	150
Rotation time	0.5sec

Scan range

Start	Below the maxillary sinuses.
End	Above the frontal sinuses
plane	parallel to hard palate.

Image reconstruction.

5/5mm	Bone Sharp
volume	Bone Sharp

Reformatting.

Multi view	Coronal	Sagittal
Plane	perpendicular to hard palate	perpendicular to hard palate
Start	Anterior to frontals	Medial wall of left orbit.
End	Posterior to Sphenoids	Medial wall of Right orbit
Thickness	2mm	2mm
Spacing	2mm	2mm

The reformatting may need to be performed manually to ensure the correct anatomical positions.

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Q3:-

Ans: Lumber spine

Indications:-

Lower back pain, Sciatica, femoral neuralgia
Spinal cord stenosis,

Procedure:-

Patient should be guided before the procedure and also mentally prepared for the scan.

Patient remove all unnecessary things before the scan.

Take the history from patient. And also include the surgery history.

The technician may use the pillows or straps to ensure that you stay in the correct position in long enough.

During the scan should tell the patient do not move during the scan.

Supine feet first.

patient lies in supine position

Sponges placed under the knee for comfortable and non movement.

Scan in lateral decubitus or prone position if unable to be supine
up to your patient's sickness.

Do the patient proper position and tell the patient don't set it while any one not come.

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Protocol in

lumbar spine 3mm (0.5mm)

Scan slice thickness

0.5mm x 64

pitch

Detail

kV

135

mA

(sure) Exposure 30 High quality.

Rotation time

1.0 sec (1.5 sec)

Scan range in

Levels specified otherwise routinely L2-S1

If patient < 30 y.o then L3-S1 unless

Specific symptoms L2 to L3

Start

Above the pedicle of L2

End

Below the S1 increasing the scan range to

obtain the sufficient data for MPRs for L5-S1 Disc.

Image Reconstruction:

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Spine thoracic lumbar

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Bone Standard

Volume

Spine thoracic lumbar.

Reformatting:

Use the spine program in multiple plane reformations. The multiple plane reformation may give us to deep information about the lumbar vertebra with the help of that option we can see the lumbar in different angle and easily detect the abnormality and problems.

Q4:

Ans: Tarsal coalition:-

Tarsal coalition is an abnormality of connection the back foot tarsal bone. This abnormal connection which can be composed of the bone cartilage or fibrosis in tissue. It may lead to limited motion and also cause the pain.

Indication:-

Tarsal coalition, talar and calcaneal pathology ankle joint pathology, loose bodies

Patient Preparation:-

Patient Place the supine position.
Patient should be guided about their examination.
Tell the patient don't movement while scan is started.

Remove the unnecessary things.
Take the history of patient and also previous surgery and health history also may take it.

Place the patient in proper position
Ankle of interest at center of FOV or field of view.

Bent the leg UP to may comfort and less chances of movements.
 Try to ankle and foot Immobilize because while during Scan it may cause the Artifacts.

Protocol

Ankle foot	2mm	to	0.5mm
Scan slice thickness			0.5mm x64
pitch			Detail
kV			120
mA			100
Rotation time			0.5 sec

Scan range:-

Start	Above the ankle joints
End	Below the calcaneum
Plane	Straight Santry.

Reformatting:-

	coronal	Sagittal
Plane	True coronal	True Sagittal
Start	posterior to calcaneum	Lateral to fibula
End	Anterior to navicular	Medial to tibia
Thickness	2mm	2mm
Spacing	2mm	2mm

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Q5:

Ans: Investigation of coronary artery disease (CTA)

Indication:-

The investigation of coronary artery disease the assessment of coronary stents we recommend to 10 step guide ~ the coronary (CTA) for detailed proper instruction and performing the following studies.

Patient positioning:-

The patient place the supine and if may any problem you can change the position to feel first. Patient Guide the properly about their examination.

Take the proper and deep history before the exam start. of pregnancy, past surgery etc.

Tell the patient do not move during the examination also cooperate the patient

proper monitoring the patient and their ecg rating during the exam.

The ecg dots placed at the chest arm and above the heads.

Tell the patient don't takes a deep breathing during scan.

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Protocol:

cardiac CTA	0.5mm
Scan slice thickness	0.5mm x 64
pitch	Determined by ^{sync} cardio™
kV	120
mA	400
Rotation time	Determined by ^{sync} cardio.

Scan range:

Start	Carina
End	Below apex of heart
Plane	Straight Caudry

Contrast:

Single phase contrast is injected to the protocols	
Phase I	XX ml 4-5 ml/s
Phase II (saline)	4-5 ml/s

XX = Scan time + 10 x injection rate

^{sync} Starts on descending aorta at level at the level of pulmonary trunk trigger at 180 HU.

Image Reconstruction:-

Use the image set to determine the optimal phase for motion-free images
Volume cardiac CTA.