

Pediatric Imaging

Facility Recommendations Test Request Tip Sheet



- Ensure the decision to order imaging in a child will significantly affect the treatment or aid in the diagnosis of a condition.
- Realize that some children will require sedation or other medications in order to perform the requested study. Look for facilities with established pediatric protocols and pediatric anesthesia capabilities.
- Ensure the facility practices the imaging gently or as low as reasonably achievable (ALARA) approach for children.

For more information, visit www.RadMD.com or call **1-888-864-7237**. You can also contact your AmeriHealth Caritas Iowa Provider Network Account Executive or Provider Services at **1-844-411-0579**.

Radiation exposure

Women and children are more sensitive to the harmful effects of radiation.
