

Knowledge is power, especially when it comes to health. That is the philosophy behind Mayfair Diagnostic's whole body MRI.

Hello.

I'm Dr. Bijal Patel, one of the partners at Mayfair Diagnostic and a subspecialty trained radiologist in neuroradiology and abdominal imaging. One of the central focuses of my work is our whole body MRI. Introduced at our Mayfair Place clinic in 2024, this exam has become an important component of many patients' health journeys, allowing them to achieve peace of mind and better manage their health.

The whole body MRI offers a detailed view of the brain, spine, and major organs in a single, hour-long session for the patient. The exam can detect hundreds of different conditions including many types of early-stage cancers, neurological and vascular conditions, degenerative changes, and a wide range of other internal abnormalities. Optional add-ons including lung, bowel, or joint imaging are available based on individual needs.

This scan has helped identify meaningful findings that may not otherwise come to light. It has been particularly useful for patients with higher risks of hereditary diseases. The whole body scans are interpreted by Mayfair radiologists with subspecialty training in areas such as oncologic, neuroradiology and body imaging. We work collaboratively with referring providers including many oncologists to support comprehensive patient care.

Enclosed you will find a detailed package about the exam including the patient fees, as this exam is not covered by Alberta Health Care. We have also included contact information for our Strategic Partnership Manager who is available to answer any of your questions.

Thank you for your continued partnership with Mayfair Diagnostics. Sincerely,

Dr. Bijal Patel, MD, FRCPC Executive Partner







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Whole Body MRI: Clarity, Confidence, Control

nowledge is power, especially when it comes to your health. That's the philosophy behind Mayfair Diagnostics' whole body MRI (magnetic resonance imaging), a comprehensive, radiation-free scan designed for those seeking a deeper understanding of their current health and greater peace of mind for the future.

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"Whole body MRI is particularly valuable for people with a family history of certain conditions or those who want to take a more proactive role in their health," says Dr. Bijal Patel, a subspecialty-trained radiologist in neuroradiology and abdominal imaging.

A partner at Mayfair since 2012 and Medical
Director of Diagnostic Imaging at South
Health Campus, Dr. Patel has played a leading
role in bringing this service to patients.

"We are seeing more cases where the scan identifies meaningful findings that may not have otherwise come to light," he explains. "For patients at higher risk of hereditary diseases, having that clarity can be incredibly reassuring. We also work closely with oncologists and other specialists to support comprehensive patient care."

All scans are interpreted by Mayfair radiologists with subspecialty training in areas such as oncologic and body imaging. While whole body MRI is not a replacement for established screening tools such as mammograms, colonoscopies, or low-dose chest CTs, it serves as a valuable complement for individuals seeking a broader view of their internal health.

17 Locations in Alberta & Saskatchewan

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"At Mayfair, we are focused on providing access to leading medical imaging in a way that supports informed and confident health decisions," says Dr. Patel. "Whole body MRI is one more way we help patients take charge of their health story."

With 17 locations—including 14 in Calgary and additional centres in Cochrane, Saskatoon, and Regina—Mayfair Diagnostics serves over 600,000 patients annually in clinics, hospitals and oncology centres. As the official imaging provider for all eight of Calgary's professional sports teams, including the Flames and Stampeders, Mayfair also plays an active role supporting numerous community programs and partnerships.

"Contributing actively to the communities we serve is a source of great pride here," says Dr. Patel. "We're committed to supporting efforts that promote healthier communities."

Note: The whole body MRI exam is not covered by Alberta Health Care. Fees may be reimbursable through private health insurance including health spending accounts.





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State-of-the-art whole body MRI may lead to early diagnosis of cancer and a range of other internal abnormalities, allowing patients to achieve peace of mind and better manage their health.

Whole body imaging takes approximately one hour and evaluates:

- The **brain**, including its major blood vessels.
- The spine and spinal cord.
- The major organs of the body, including the salivary and thyroid glands, lymphatic system, liver, gallbladder, biliary system, pancreas, spleen, adrenal glands, kidneys, bladder, uterus, ovaries, prostate, and testes.
- The lungs and bowel are not optimally assessed with MRI but supplemental low-dose CT of the lungs and colon can be obtained as an add-on.
- Dedicated evaluation of the major joints of the body is also available as an add-on.

Whole body imaging screens the body and has the ability to detect hundreds of different conditions including many types of early-stage cancer, multiple sclerosis, brain aneurysms, narrowing of the arteries, ischemic injury, vascular malformations, various metabolic disorders, dischemiations, endometriosis, neurodegenerative disorders and spinal degeneration.

Mayfair whole body scans will be interpreted and reported by sub-specialty-trained radiologists with extensive oncologic-imaging interpretation experience.

We invite you to update your EMR. Up-to-date requisitions are available at your convenience.

- Email BD@radiology.ca
- Download at: physicians.radiology.ca/requisition-forms

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Whole body imaging supplements but is not intended to replace other established evidence-based screening practices for the early detection of specific malignancies (e.g., breast imaging, colonoscopy, Pap-smear screening for cervical cancer, low-dose chest CT). As with any medical exam or test, whole body imaging is not guaranteed to detect all malignancies and diseases.

Typically, solid lesions of one centimetre or more within the neck, head, chest, abdomen, and pelvis can be effectively visualized with whole body imaging. Also, the test is generally sensitive for the detection of cerebral artery aneurysms larger than three millimetres.

Whole body imaging does not evaluate the heart or heart vessels and cannot assess lung microarchitecture or pulmonary micronodules. It does not replace mammography, breast ultrasound and dedicated contrast-enhanced breast MRI for screening or diagnostic evaluation. Whole body imaging is limited in the evaluation of the gastrointestinal tract, does not replace endoscopy or colonoscopy, and cannot detect bowel polyps. Assessment of the large joints is limited as the exam is not designed for detailed evaluation of ligaments, cartilage, menisci, and labra. The exam is unable to meaningfully assess the skin, which is best evaluated by direct physical examination.





CT & MRI Pricing

MRI PRICING

One body area	\$730
Additional body areas	\$550 per area
Contrast	\$250
Arthrogram (includes contrast and one body area)	\$980
Body composition profile - first/single scan	\$980
Body composition profile - follow-up scans* (max. of 4 total)	\$850 per scan
Prostate	\$980
Whole body imaging	\$3,600

Seniors (65+) discount of 10% can be applied to the first MRI exam.

*Pricing for body composition profile follow-up scans applies only if additional scans are booked at the same time as the first scan. All scans must be completed within 12 months of the first scan.

CT PRICING

One body area	\$490
Additional body areas	\$330 per area
Contrast	\$125
Arthrogram (includes contrast and one body area)	\$740

CT Health Screening Scans

HEART

Calcium score	\$490
LUNG	
Cancer screen scan	\$490
VIRTUAL COLONOSCOPY	
Scan of the large bowel	\$930
CORONARY CT ANGIOGRAPHY	
Scan of coronary arteries with contrast	\$1,400

CT Health Assessment Packages

ASSURANCE

Heart, lung, and virtual colonoscopy	\$1,725	
PREMIER		
Heart, lung, diagnostic CT of abdomen/pelvis, and contrast	\$1,725	
ESSENTIAL		
Coronary CT angiography, virtual colonoscopy, and contrast	\$1,925	
COMPREHENSIVE		
Includes PREMIER package (heart, lung, diagnostic CT of abdomen/pelvis, and	\$2,150	
contrast), plus virtual colonoscopy		

Seniors (65+) discount of 10% for CT will be applied to total exams.

Prices subject to change without notice.

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