

## MR Wrist without Contrast, Left

Anatomical Region	Laterality	Modality
Arm	—	Magnetic Resonance

### Impression

Ulnar negative variance with radial inclination of the distal ulna without classic anatomy of Madelung deformity. In particular there is no evidence of Vickers ligament or an anomalous volar radiotriquetral ligament.

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### Narrative

**EXAMINATION DESCRIPTION:**  
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**INDICATION(S):**  
Left wrist pain, evaluate for Vicker's ligament

**SEDATION:**  
None.

**PROCEDURE:**  
MRI examination of the left wrist performed on a 3T system. The following imaging sequences were acquired:

1. Coronal T2 Dixon
2. 3D CS PD FS with 3 plane re-formation for high-resolution in standard thickness
3. Coronal T1 Dixon

**COMPARISON:**  
No previous study is available for comparison.

**FINDINGS:**  
**OSSEOUS STRUCTURES:** There is mild negative ulnar variance and there is slightly increased radial angulation of the distal ulna. There is normal congruity of the sigmoid notch at the level of the radius. Marrow signal is diffusely within normal limits. No bone contusion or cortical fracture. No evidence of osteonecrosis of the carpal bones.

**LIGAMENTS, TENDONS, & THE TRIANGULAR FIBROCARTILAGE:** There is no evidence of Vickers ligament (anomalous volar radiolunate ligament post or anomalous full volar radiotriquetral ligament). The triangular fibrocartilage, scapholunate, lunatotriquetral and scaphotrapezio-trapezoid ligaments are intact. Volar and dorsal extrinsic ligaments are intact. 1st through 6th extensor compartments and flexor tendons are intact.

**CARPAL TUNNEL:** The contents of the carpal tunnel are normal. Specifically, there is no evidence of extrinsic mass effect involving the median nerve. No evidence of mass effect on the ulnar nerve in Guyon's

canal.

**ADJACENT SOFT TISSUES:** No ganglion cyst or soft-tissue mass identified surrounding the left wrist. Punctate ganglion volar to the scapholunate joint.

**Procedure Note**

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