# Frequently Asked Questions

- Q. What qualifications does your staff of professionals have?
- A. Our staff is comprised of Board Certified Radiologists, American Registry of Radiologic Technologists and American Society of Radiologic Technologists. In addition to certification in imaging, our staff has advanced training in various medical subspecialties.
- Q. Is your screening and diagnostic equipment regulated by anyone?
- A. Our screening and diagnostic equipment meets top national standards including guidelines set by the Food and Drug Administration and American College of Radiology. In addition, we are fully compliant with the Mammography Quality Standards Act.

# **Contact Information**

#### Office hours:

Monday - Friday, 7:00 AM - 5:00 PM

# To schedule an appointment or for more information call:

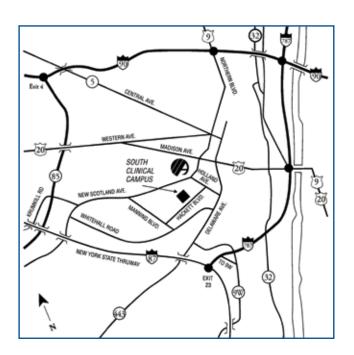
(518) 262-1244

Same day appointments are available.

#### Located at:

25 Hackett Boulevard Albany, NY 12208

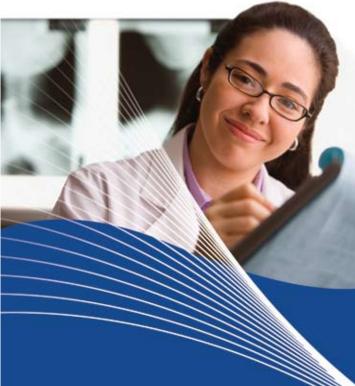
Free, ample parking is available in our private lot.





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South Clinical Campus Outpatient Imaging Services



# Convenient, Superb, Personalized Care

Albany Medical Center's South Clinical Campus offers outpatient imaging services in the most comfortable environment possible. Equipped with cutting-edge technology, our medical professionals provide quality, personalized care for patients of all ages in an environment designed to meet their needs.

# The Albany Medical Center Advantage

Because we are part of a Level-1 trauma medical center, our patients have access to specialty services that are unavailable elsewhere in the Capital Region. All images are read by subspecialty radiologists, resulting in the most accurate diagnosis, with a rapid turnaround time. For example, a CT scan of the brain is read by a skilled radiologist with additional training in neurology.

We house the most advanced imaging technology available in a warm atmosphere that can help ease the anxiety sometimes associated with medical exams. As an outpatient facility we offer many conveniences for patients including free parking just a few steps away from our front door, as well as private waiting areas and comfortable consultation rooms.

# Offering the most advanced technology available to better meet your needs

## The Lorad Selenia – Digital Mammography

This full-field digital mammography system combines the latest advances in technology with sophisticated information management capabilities to provide highly accurate and efficient mammography exams. Our version utilizes the most recent Digital Mammography – Second Generation, which does not require light, but rather a direct transfer of information, resulting in clearer images. This unique capability exposes areas of breast tissue that can sometimes be too dense for viewing.

### Computed Tomography (CT) System

Our new advanced LightSpeed Pro 16-slice CT scanner (also known as "CAT scanner") offers extremely fast, high resolution imaging that results in improved image quality and diagnostic capabilities. This modern technology allows us to offer improved neurological, renal, abdominal, pelvic, chest and lung studies as well as new procedures such as CT Angiography. Additionally, we are able to accommodate specific pediatric cases.

## Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI)

Including both integrated Breast MRI as well as MRI Guided Breast Biopsy, this latest technology allows a Digital Stereotactic Breast Biopsy to be performed. Such technology enables the radiologist to perform a biopsy during the MRI, thereby streamlining the diagnostic process and making it possible to biopsy suspicious tissue that may have been otherwise difficult to target. Also available are Chest, Abdominal, Cranial, Lumbosacral Spine and Spine MRI.

## New Digital Fluoroscopy Unit

Our advanced digital fluoroscopy unit enables us to make a moving X-ray of internal organs while facilitating a faster diagnosis translation.

### **DEXA Bone Densitometry**

This enhanced form of X-ray technology is used to measure bone loss in our patients and is most commonly relied upon for measuring osteoporosis.

## State-of-the-art Ultrasound Suites

Our private and modern ultrasound suites offer patients extreme comfort while high frequency sound waves evaluate their first-trimester pregnancies, vascular, blood clots and other medical conditions.

#### Computed Digital Radiography

Our digital capabilities allow for films to be electronically transferred between sites, resulting in a quicker reading by eliminating the need to handdeliver film from one location to another.

#### **R2** Checker

The checker uses a computer system to identify and mark "regions of interest" for the radiologist. This scanning technology enables our radiologists to get the most precise read of films.