



At PET Imaging Institute of South Florida, our foremost priority is, and has always been, the health and safety of you, our patients and our team. At the present time, our offices are all open. We are closely monitoring the coronavirus (COVID-19) following the recommendations of the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) as well as local and national government agencies as the situation evolves.

As a medical facility, we have always utilized “Universal Precautions” as outlined by the United States Occupational Safety & Health Administration (OSHA). These include the obvious sanitization procedures, hand washing before and after patient contact, gloves, sterile injection procedures, and disposable items that you see, as well as a multitude of other procedures and materials that are utilized behind the scenes, including sterilizing all instruments and disinfecting all contact surfaces.

These rigorous procedures ensure the health and safety of all of our patients, our team members and our families. By utilizing these protocols, we have always provided protection from HIV, tuberculosis, norovirus, H1N1 virus, hepatitis, Strep and staph infections, influenza virus and a myriad of other pathogens.

In addition to this, we have increased the daily frequency of disinfecting all reception areas and common areas. We have also taken other even more rigorous measures to ensure your health and safety when visiting our offices. We are conducting ongoing team meetings to reinforce and update our protocols as we gain any additional information going forward. All of this is to continue to ensure that your health and wellbeing are of paramount importance to us.

When scheduling your appointment, or when we confirm with you, you will be asked a few screening questions in order to maximize your safety and those around you. Your answers will help us protect our other patients and our staff. Rest assured we will be ready to quickly perform your PET scan once you receive the care you need from your physician.

The CDC has advised that in the event that you are significantly Immunocompromised or have a fever, cough, shortness of breath or flu-like symptoms, you should stay at home and call your physician to arrange for medical screening with your medical provider. We will reschedule your visit with our office.

Additional information about COVID-19 is available at:

www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html

www.who.int/health-topics/coronavirus

www.siriusxm.com/doctorradio

If you have any questions about this or any other matter, please contact our office so that we can assist you.

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