

MRI GENERAL EXTREMITY WITHOUT & WITH CONTRAST

Scan Range	Variable according to area of interest/ body part.	
FOV	Fits to patient/ body part	
Notes	Use skin marker over area of tenderness if no palpable mass and above / below area of mass	
Localizer	Large FOV Coronal - cover joint to joint of ROI, body coil may be necessary. 2 LFOV scans for long bones may be needed depending on body part/ anatomy ordered.	

PLANE	SEQUENCE	FAT SAT	MODE	SLT/SP	FOV	NOTES
Coronal	STIR	Y			Large FOV	Depending on lesion / ROI location
Axial	T2	γ			small FOV	
Axial	T1	Ν			small FOV	
Coronal	PD	Y			small FOV	
Sagittal	STIR	Y			small FOV	
Axial	T1	Y			small FOV	
Coronal + C	T1	Y			small FOV	
Axial + C	T1	Y			small FOV	

Any deviation from protocol MUST be Radiologist approved. Rad Director will be notified if this occurs without prior approval.