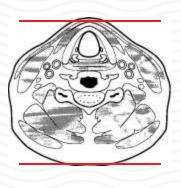


MRI NECK WITHOUT & WITH CONTRAST

Use this protocol for the following:			THYROID/CERVICAL TRACHEA AND CERVICAL ESOPHAGUS					
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					
PLANE	SEQUENCE	FAT SAT	MODE	SLT/SP	FOV	NOTES		

Axial	T1	No	3.0 / 0	240 mm	
Axial	T2	No	3.0 / 0	240 mm	
Coronal angled	T2	Yes	3.0 / 0	240 mm	
Axial	DWI	No	3.0 / 0	240 mm	
Sagittal	Т2	No	3.0 / 0	240 mm	
Axial	T1	Yes			
Inject contrast					
Axial + C	T1	Yes	3.0 / 0	240 mm	
Coronal angled + C	T1		3.0 / 0	240 mm	
Sagittal + C	T1	Yes	3.0 / 0	240 mm	





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