



## **RETINAL IMAGING USING FLUORESCEIN DYE**

## **Procedure:**

It's performed by injecting fluorescein dye into a vein, followed by capturing a series of images of the retina using an imaging device.

> Potential side effects of the procedure may include:

Nausea and vomiting

Rash and itching

In very rare cases, a severe allergic reaction may occur.

## **Pre-procedure instructions:**

- Fast for 5 hours before the procedure, and continue taking medications as usual.
- Inform the doctor and medical team about any previous allergies to any substances, medications, or foods.
- Inform the doctor and medical team about any chronic diseases, especially kidney-related issues.
- Notify the doctor and medical team if you are pregnant or breastfeeding.

## **Post-procedure instructions:**

After the procedure, you may notice a change in urine color to yellow for up to 24 hours.

Increase water and fluid intake during the first 24 hours.
Please attend the scheduled follow-up appointment with the doctor to discuss the imaging results.

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