

## **PET AMYVID BRAIN SCAN (ALSO CALLED FLORBETAPIR BRAIN SCAN)**

All patients must arrive 30 minutes prior to exam  
Amyvid scans must be scheduled a minimum of four full working days in advance.  
Scans are done at Somers Point and Wall  
Scan is covered by Medicare or Self Pay.

### **PET AMYVID Brain Scans:**

- Script must say PET Amyvid Brain or Florbetapir Brain.
- Need script to order the dose for the test.

### **Prep: None**

- Patient is allowed to eat and drink.
- Patient is allowed to take their medications.

### **Procedure:**

- Approximate time for the test is 2 hours.
- A radioactive isotope is injected thru an I.V. catheter in the arm.
- Patient relaxes in a quiet room for 1 hour.
- Patient's head is scanned for 30 minutes.

### **Interactions:**

Schedule all NM exams 48 hours or more after PET scan.

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