

Safe & Effective MiroCam®

During this simple procedure patients can go about their normal daily lives, while the MiroCam capsule naturally passes through the body taking high quality images of the GI tract.



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The procedure involves the patient swallowing the MiroCam capsule witch travels naturally through the digestive tract and is then excreted in a normal manner.

As the MiroCam capsule passes through the digestive device where the images are stored.

During the procedure the patient wears a convenient and comfortable belt or Data Cable / Recording Device while going about normal activities.

The patient subsequently returns the recording device to the office. At the office the physician will download the images for review.

Benefits

- 1 The MiroCam capsule is non-invasive
- 12 The MiroCam capsule requires no sedation.
- The MiroCam can visualize parts of the digestive tract not easily accessible to endoscopy.

Specification

- The capsule is the size of a large vitamin pill (11mmx30mm).
- Captures images at multiple frames per second.
- Contains color camera, batteries, and light source to acquire the highest quality pictures.

Procedure Overview

One week prior to the Procedure

- 1. Contact your physicians office to confirm instructions.
- Iron supplements are usually stopped one week prior to the capsule study.
 If you are on iron supplements contact your physicians office for instructions.

Day before to the Procedure

- 1. Patient can have a normal meal around noon followed by a clear liquid diet or as instructed by your physician.
- 2. Do not eat or drink any food or liquid after midnight on the day before the procedure.
- Sometimes a laxative preparation may be recommended by your physician to be ingested prior to the procedure. Your physician will provide the details and instructions.

Day of the Procedure

- 1. Wear comfortable and loose clothing and do not apply lotions or perfumes.
- Arrive at he hospital or office in the morning for placement of the sensor pads and ingestion of the capsule.
- Patient should drink 250 ml of water while ingesting the capsule to ensure it passes into the stomach
- 4. Four hours after ingestion of the capsule the patient may have a light lunch.
- 5. A normal meal can be eaten 8 hours after ingestion of the capsule.
- 6. Return the receiver promptly to the designated person or location.

After the Procedure

- 1. If possible confirm the excretion of the capsule and inform the physician.
- 2. If unsure whether or not the capsule has passed or there is some reason to be concerned an x-ray may be obtained to confirm the capsule has been excreted.
- 3. The physician will review the images and discuss the findings with the patient.

Indications

Intended for patients with:

- Iron deficiency anemia with or without obscure gastrointestinal bleeding.
- 2. Suspected early crohn's disease.
- 3. Detection of benign and malignant small bowel tumors.
- 4. Abdominal pain, severe diarrhea and weight loss.
- 5. Suspected malabsorption disorder such as celiac disease.
- 6. Indication may vary with local policies.

Not Intended for patients:

- With known or suspected gastrointestinal tract obstruction, perforation, strictures or fistula.
- 2. That have have difficulty swallowing.
- 3. That have slow or delayed digestion.
- 4. Who are pregnant.
- 5. That have epilepsy, heart disease, pacemakers and /or defibrillators.
- 6. With diverticulosis of the small bowel.

Side Effects

MiroCam capsule endoscopy is a well tolerated and safe procedure and side effects are rare. The main risk of the procedure is capsule retention, which is estimated to occur in less than 0.75% of cases.

In the rare case of capsule retention, further medical treatment or monitoring may be required.

Please discuss any concerns with your physician.