

# Northwest Georgia Oncology Centers, P.C.

## Diagnostic Test Results

To assist the physician in managing your care, diagnostic testing may be ordered for you.

Results of diagnostic tests (such as CT scans, PET scans, MRI's, x-rays, bone scans, etc) are generally not available for about 3-4 days following the completion of the test.

If you have an appointment to return to the office for your test results, it is important to keep that appointment. Not only will your provider discuss the results of the test(s) with you, but will discuss how the results affect your care going forward. The physician will recommend your plan of care based on the results and requests your participation in that discussion and decision-making going forward.

Phone calls to the office for diagnostic test results will not provide you with all the information you need to understand and participate in your care.

If you DO NOT have a return visit scheduled for your results and have not heard from someone about your results in 3-4 days, please call the office.

Your physician strives to provide the best care possible for you. Keeping your follow up appointment is important to your care.

Thank you.

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