

HSG TECH PRE CALL QUESTIONNAIRE

Please call \geq 48 hours before exam

Patient Name _____

Called By (TECH) _____

Date(s) Called _____

What were the starting and ending dates of your last menstrual period? Start _____ End _____
(We cannot do the exam if the patient is actively bleeding red blood, trace brown spotting is ok)

Have you had sexual intercourse since the start of your period? _____
(If yes, pt. must wait until next cycle to have HSG)(Refrain from sexual intercourse until 24 hours after the HSG)

Have you had an IUD recently removed? _____ Date of removal? _____

Do you have an iodine contrast or soap allergy? _____
(Pts with iodine allergy must complete the 13 hour prep prior to exam)

Do you have a blood serum pregnancy test scheduled within 24 hours before HSG appointment? _____

Where are you having the blood serum pregnancy test? _____ (Please bring results with you to the exam, printed copy if possible) (If blood serum pregnancy test is to be done in the hospital prior to the exam, **pt must arrive 1 hour early**)

Technologist Reference Information

Indications:

- Infertility
- Confirmation of tubal occlusion

Contraindications:

- Pregnancy or possibility of pregnancy
- Active pelvic bleeding
- Allergy to iodinated contrast (requires 13 hour premedication)
- Signs and symptoms of infection including fever

Scheduling /Timing:

- HSG's are to be scheduled within the **first 10 days** of the menstrual cycle. Cycle day 1 is considered the first day of menstrual bleeding (1st red blood- not brown spotting). Use calendar to count, if start day is the 6th, the HSG cannot be performed on the 16th, because the 16th is **day 11**.
- Patient is instructed to refrain from sexual intercourse from the onset of the menstrual cycle (day 1) until 24 hours after the exam is performed.

Pregnancy Test Requirements:

- A negative blood serum pregnancy test is required within 24 hours before the exam, for all patients.
- Patients should bring the results with her on the day of the HSG. (*printed copy of results preferred*)
- **Site dependent:** If the patient arrives without results of a negative pregnancy test within the previous 24 hours, she will be sent to the hospital lab to have a blood serum pregnancy test. The HSG will not begin until a negative test is confirmed. The patient should arrive 1 hour prior to the scheduled HSG for hospital blood serum pregnancy tests.

IUD (Intrauterine Device) Considerations:

- If a patient had an IUD removed recently, they must wait at least 2 weeks before having HSG exam.
- An HSG may be performed with an IUD present.