

One-stop screening facilities conveniently located in **Tampines Central** and **Orchard Road**



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HEALTH SCREENING PREPARATION

To bring

• NRIC/FIN/Passport

To prepare

- Fasting is **optional** please avoid heavy foods and alcohol before your appointment. However if you are selecting a liver ultrasound, fasting will be required.
- Omit your diabetic medication till after your appointment unless advised not to skip by their regular doctor.
- You may consume all other chronic medication as required.
- Please postpone your appointment if you are unwell.
- Expectant mothers are advised to refrain from participating in the health screening.



- Please be in comfortable attire to facilitate clinical testing if applicable (blood test, ECG, scanning, treadmill). Further preparations may be required depending on the individual tests (please see next page).
- Changing rooms, disposable slippers and lockers and body wipes are available upon request, feel free to approach our service associates for assistance.

GETTING READY FOR YOUR TESTS

Blood Test

 Fasting is optional - please avoid heavy foods and alcohol before your appointment.

Urine Test

- At least $\frac{1}{2}$ of the bottle
- Take Mid-stream portion
- No fasting required
- No overnight urine

For Ladies

• Urine/Stool to be done at least 5 days after your menstruation

Stool Test

- No fasting required
- Overnight stool is acceptable
- Avoid contact with urine or water
- Using the stick provided, scoop a small amount of stool
- Avoid red meat and iron supplements
 3 days before collecting the sample



Ultrasounds

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- Liver (HBS) Ultrasound
 - Fast for at least 8 hrs
 - Avoid smoking at least 2hrs before examination
- Prostate / Pelvis Ultrasound
 - Drink 5 to 6 glasses of water 1 hr before your scan
 - Avoid urination, full bladder is required
- Please bring your previous scan results from other healthcare institutions if available.



X-Ray

- If you are pregnant, please avoid this test
- Please inform us if you had a chest x-ray in the preceding 6-months.

Spirometry

- If you are on inhalers, please call the medical centre one day prior to your appointment to check if any preparation is needed.
- Avoid smoking 1-hr before test.

Treadmill ECG

- Avoid caffeinated food and drinks on the day of your test.
- Bring along your sports attire and running shoes.
- You are encouraged to bring a spare set of clothes to change after the test. (There are no shower facilities available on site but body wipes can be provided on request)
- If you have any known heart conditions or on any heart or blood pressure medications, please consult a physician before the test.
- Bring your latest medical records if available as you may need a medical review before being allowed to perform this test.



Resting ECG

- Please wear a 2-piece outfit as electrodes will be placed on your chest.
- Shave chest hair (if any)

Pap Smear (Ladies)

- To be done at least 5 days after your menstruation
- Avoid sexual intercourse, use of creams, medication, spermicides or tampons 2 days prior to your appointment.
- If you are only comfortable with female staff performing your test please inform us before coming for your appointment.

Mammogram (Ladies)

- If you are pregnant, please avoid this test.
- Examination should be done at least 1 week after your menstruation.
- Avoid perfumes, powders, deodorants and creams at your chest or underarm areas.
- Wear a comfortable 2-peice outfit.
- Gowns available upon request.
- A mammogram is recommended for ladies 40yrs and above.

Tonometry

- Bring along your spectacles (if applicable)
- Remove contact lens 30mins before tonometry





NON-FASTING HEALTH SCREENING LEARN MORE

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Q: What is non-fasting Screening?

A non-fasting screening means that you can get your health screening done without the need to fast. Choose to screen either in the morning or afternoon

Q: Will my results be accurate?

Yes! Your results will be accurate as HbA1c is done to assess a person's diabetes status regardless of fasting. A Direct lipid will also be conducted to ensure results accuracy.

Q: What is HbA1c?

HbA1c tells us your average blood glucose level over the past 3 months by measuring the glucose levels that is bound to your blood cells.

Q: What is a direct lipid?

A direct LDL cholesterol test is distinct in that it directly measures LDL cholesterol in the blood accuracy.

Q: What test cannot be done under a non-fasting screening?

A HBS (liver) ultrasound cannot be done under a non-fasting screening.

Q: Who is not suitable for a non-fasting screening

Individuals with known anaemia are not suitable for a non-fasting screening as it may affect the HbA1c results.

Q: Any preparations to take note of?

Please try to avoid heavy food and alcohol before your appointment.



POST SCREENING

- Your health screening report will be sent to you within 7 working days. (excluding weekends, PH and eve of PH).
- Contact us for a post screening review with our Doctor

THINGS TO TAKE NOTE

- Corporate discount can be extended to employee's family members. Call 6589 0009 (Orchard) or 6589 0002 (Tampines) to find out more.
- Kindly arrive on time for your appointment. Rescheduling of appointments to be made at least 48 hours in advance us via 6589 0009 (Orchard) and 6589 0002 (Tampines)
- O Depending on your selected package, your screening may tak**between 1 to 3 hrs**.
- A **time chit** can be provided for your screening appointment.