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Preparation Instructions for Ultrasound (Sonography) Examinations

Abdominal, Abdomen Limited and Renal/Kidney Ultrasound-----
Nothing by mouth 8 hrs before examination

Gallbladder Ultrasound----- Nothing by mouth 6-8 hours before
examination

Fetal Age, Ob/Gyn Female Pelvis, and Urinary Bladder----- 1 hr
prior to the exam patient must drink (4) 8ounce glasses of water.
The patient should not go to the restroom before the examination.

Pediatric, Pyloric Stenosis----Nothing by mouth 3 hours before
exam