



Pulmonary Medicine, Critical Care Medicine & Sleep Disorders Medicine

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TEST INSTRUCTIONS

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ABDOMINAL AORTIC DUPLEX

RENAL ARTERY DUPLEX

An aortic duplex views blood flow and the size of the aorta.

This test takes approximately 1 hour.

A renal duplex will use an ultrasound beam to evaluate the size of the kidney
and the amount of blood flow.

This test takes approximately 45 minutes.

- 1. No eating after 9:00 pm.**
- 2. No smoking, gum chewing, or candies on the morning of testing
so as to avoid bowel gas formation.**
- 3. Patients that suffer from gas may use over the counter anti-gas
products such as simethicone or Gas-X if necessary.**

**If you have any questions, please call
520-229-8878
and speak with the testing coordinator.
Thank you.**