

What does it feel like inside the scanner?

Children will be positioned comfortably on a scanning bed that slides into the tunnel-shaped magnet. When the scanner is turned on, it makes humming and knocking sounds. Earmuffs or earplugs will be provided. An intercom system allows the child and technologist to speak to each other at all times.



Parents may accompany their child into the scanning area.



Participating Centers

Children's Hospital, Boston

The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia

Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center

University of California, Irvine

University of California, Los Angeles

University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston

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