



Department of Radiation Oncology

What to Bring to Your First Appointment

When your appointment was made, we requested your records from your physician.

- If you have out of town records, X-rays or scans relating to your consultation, please bring those with you or have them mailed to us: Radiation Oncology, Lower Level, Brown Cancer Center, 529 South Jackson Street, Louisville, KY 40202. Any previous radiation records should be sent to us as well.
- Please bring the health insurance cards for all plans that cover you. If you have a *Living Will, Health Care Surrogate, or Durable Power of Attorney*, please bring a copy of the document with you for our records.
- Please bring with you a list of your current medications including any over the counter medications (vitamins, Aspirin, Tylenol, minerals or herbs) you may be taking.

What to Expect on The Day of Your Visit

Parking is free with a parking token. Our parking lot is on the side of the Brown Cancer Center, or you may park in the garage right across from the Brown Cancer Center.

Please arrive at the center one hour prior to your appointment. Please register on the <u>first floor</u> prior to coming to the Department. After you have completed registration, please come to Radiation Oncology in the lower level of the Cancer Center and check in with our receptionist.

At the beginning of your visit you will see a Nurse clinician who will obtain your medical history, allergies, and current medications. We would like to complete your Nursing Assessment and have you ready to see the physician at your scheduled appointment time.

Please plan to spend a minimum of two to three hours for your first appointment.

For your first visit <u>it is helpful for a friend or family member to accompany you</u>. Patients are often anxious about their condition and not feeling their best. You will be receiving significant amounts of new information during your visit. You may find having another person to act as "another pair of ears" and to give emotional support will be useful. We are looking forward to your visit.

If you have any questions, please call 502-217-8200 for Cyberknife patient scheduling