



The results of your X-ray will go to your Doctor on the computer

This will take 7 – 10 days.



If you have any questions please call the X-ray Department

Telephone:  
01851 708224

We are open:  
Mon-Fri  
8:30-5:00

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Tel. 01851 708069  
Monday to Friday  
between 9am and 5pm.

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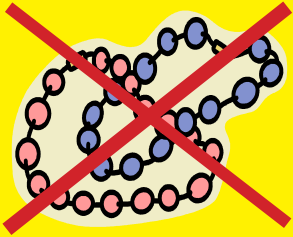
# Having an X-ray



**X-ray Department**  
**Western Isles Hospital**



An X-ray is a picture of the inside of your body.



No jewellery allowed.



Please come at the appointment time on your letter. You will be asked to wash your hands with hand gel and wear a face mask.



Follow the signs to X-ray.



Tell the person at the window in x-ray, that you have arrived. She is the receptionist and wears a green uniform.

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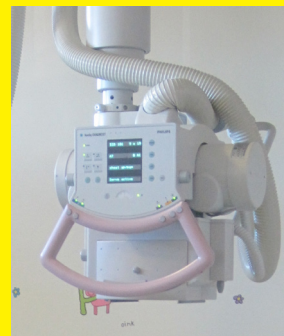
The X-ray waiting room looks like this.



The Radiographer does the X-ray and will be wearing a blue uniform.



We will ask you to remove your clothes and put on a hospital gown in a private room.



The X-ray machine looks like a big camera.

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We may ask you to stand against the X-ray board.



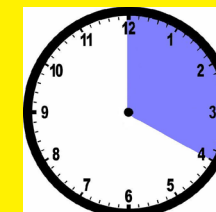
We may ask you to lie on the X-ray table.



The Radiographer will stand behind a screen when taking the X-ray.



After the X-ray we will ask you to get dressed.



You will be in the department for about 20 minutes.

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