

Pre-op and Pre-procedure Testing Algorithm

Current guidelines for which procedures are recommended to have a prior SARS-CoV-2 PCR test within 72 hours.

Department	Procedure
Gastroenterology	 Endoscopy (includes ERCP, EUS, Esophageal ablation therapy and PEG) Colonoscopy Motility Study Breath tests
Cardiology	Cardiac Catheterization

	Electrophysiology testing
	Trans-esophageal echocardiography
	Exercise Tolerance Test
Radiology	 Interventional Radiology procedures with high risk of conversion to anesthesia care Percutaneous gastrostomy Lung biopsy Barium swallow Chest tube/Pleurx catheter placement
Otolaryngology	 Fiberoptic laryngoscopy Rhinoscopy
Pulmonary	 Bronchoscopy and/or Interventional Pulmonary procedures Thoracentesis Chest tube/Pleurx catheter placement Pulmonary Function Tests
Obstetrics	 Scheduled induction or cesarean section Active labor admission
Psychiatry	Electroconvulsive therapy
Dermatology	Mohs surgery and laser procedures of the face, head and neck
Neurology	 Autonomic reflex testing Facial nerve conduction study or EMG that prohibit patients from wearing a mask

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