

We now offer on-site in our office Nuclear Imaging or Myocardial Perfusion Imaging, and our and nuclear lab is accredited by the IAC – Intersocietal Accreditation Commission.

Nuclear Stress Testing is performed in conjunction with either exercise stress or pharmacologic stress. It offers more precise information and accurate diagnoses than a routine stress test because it combines the nuclear imaging with the EKG monitoring of the routine stress test. A radioactive material is injected which creates images of the heart muscle on a screen. This assists in detecting inadequate blood flow to any part of your heart which would mean that there is significant narrowing or blockage of a coronary artery and aids the assessment of risk and guides therapy and potential need for intervention.