CT Department
Work Flow Tip
Exam: DEIP Abdomen Pelvis (Deep inferior epigastric artery perforator)

QDOC Exam Code: CABPELA+
Protocol required
Systems: 16 slice to 256 slice
Protocol Location:

Exam:

Revised: 3-24-14
1. Scout: AP(180) 450 to 600 Scan Length
   Breath Hold: inspiration
2. Locator/Tracker: Just above the Bifurcation in descending Aorta.
3. DIEP AbdPel: 2mm x 1mm (sent to Portal for 3Ds)
4. Recons Thins: 1.5mm x .75mm
   MPR: Coronal 12mm x 6mm (MIP skin to skin)
   Sagittal 12mm x 6mm (MIP skin to skin)
5. IV access: 18g - 20g
6. PO Prep: None
7. Contrast: Omni 350 125cc
8. Contrast Rate: 5.0cc per sec.
9. Contrast delay: Bolus Track – 35sec delay after trigger HU (post Threshold 150hu)
• **Prep:** [Contrast Questionnaire](#) and [Current Labs](#) Needed.
• Complete exam in QDOC

  Billing: Contrast

  If you draw labs bill venipuncture, bun and creatine (CHH only bill venipuncture).

• For In-Patients Order and MAR all contrast once given.
• For Explanation of DIEP see other Attached Document.
• **If there are any questions about Questionnaire, prep, IV Contrast, or Protocol contact the Protocoling Rad.**