

11. OTHER IMAGING

Objective: This standard refers to diagnostic imaging modalities other than radiography and ultrasound imaging, such as computed tomography, and magnetic resonance imaging. The performance of these diagnostic imaging modalities occurs with the intention of producing diagnostic quality images, as well as reducing harm and mitigating risk to patients, team members and the public.			
Requirements			
	YES	NO	N/A
1. Imaging equipment and facilities are suitable for the range of species routinely treated.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Imaging equipment is properly maintained and in good repair. The equipment is serviced according to manufacturers' requirements. Equipment is cleaned after each use.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Imaging equipment is installed, maintained and operated following provincial regulations as applicable. If computerized tomography (CT) is performed on site, it is maintained, registered and operated as required under the Ministry of Labour, Radiation Protection Services standards. If Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI) is performed on site, it is installed according to Ministry of Health standards.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Imaging equipment is operated only by trained team members aware of hazards, actual and potential to themselves, other team members, patients and nearby individuals.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. A means to view diagnostic images is easily accessible.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Diagnostic images are properly identified.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. As an extension of the medical record, diagnostic images are stored and maintained for the same length of time as the medical record. A log is maintained of all CT scans and MRI examinations and includes patient name, date, region scanned and team members involved.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Diagnostic images are securely archived or filed in a manner which preserves their quality and allows for easy retrieval.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Requirements			
	YES	NO	N/A
9. Facilities are available for transmission and distribution of copies of diagnostic images to other practices and owners. The diagnostic images shall not be altered and the transmission shall preserve the quality.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Notes Section: Explain what equipment your facility has and how the requirements are met.			