

Electrocardiograph (ECG)

What is an Electrocardiograph (ECG)?

An ECG is a surface recording of the electrical impulses generated by your heart which correspond to your heart rhythm. It provides valuable information regarding the structure and function of your heart.

What happens during an ECG recording?

During an ECG recording you will be asked to lie on your back with your chest exposed. Several sensors will be placed on your skin and connected via cables to a recording device. The device will record a series of heart beats and provide a printout for analysis.

Is the test dangerous?

No. An ECG is completely safe.

What do I have to do to prepare for the test?

No specific preparation is required for the test.

