

## Neck ultrasound, children

Your child has been referred to an ultrasound examination.

Please reserve 1 hour for your visit. The examination takes 20 minutes.

A child who needs urgent examination may be examined before your child.

1 or 2 adults should accompany the child.

Please see the arrival instructions or appointment letter for contact information, if you have any questions about the examination.

### Before the examination

- The child may eat and drink as usual before the examination.
- Please take with you, for example, a pacifier and a bottle of milk or a water bottle for the child. The child will remain calm during the examination if they are fed before it.

### During the examination

An ultrasound examination is painless. No radiation will be used.

During the examination, the child will lie on the examination table on their back with a pillow under their shoulders.

A radiologist or a radiographer will apply warm gel to an ultrasound probe and move it on the skin of the child's neck.

### After the examination

- You will receive the results of the examination from the doctor who treats your child.
- If you do not know how to find out the results, please contact the outpatient clinic or ward that referred your child to this examination.

## Other things to note

- Please bring with you the child's Kela card or ID.
- You will not be charged for the examination separately.
- Cancel the appointment if you cannot come.

## Further information

Watch video on YouTube: [www.youtube.com](http://www.youtube.com) >> [Tutkimukset minuutissa: Lasten ultraäänitutkimus - YouTube](#)