

## **ECTOPIC GASTRIC MUCOSA STUDY (MECKEL'S SCAN)**

### **PATIENT PREPARATION**

The patient must have nothing to eat or drink for at least 4 hours prior to the test. Avoid the presence of barium in the abdomen.

### **PROCEDURE**

A radioactive tracer will be injected into a vein in the patient's arm. Images will be taken immediately following the injection. The procedure will take approximately 30 minutes.