**Galactography-aided localization of the breast**

**Appointment**   .  .20  , at   :

 **Examination place**

Kainuu Central Hospital

Main entrance F1. The imaging unit is located on the left side of the main lobby.

Registration on the self-service registration in the imaging unit by health insurance card (KELA card) or other official identity card.

We ask you to leave jewels and other valuables at home. Emergency patients may cause changes on your examination schedule

**Preparation for examination**

If you are or you believe you are pregnant, contact the unit treating you.

If your breasts are sore, you can take pain medication a half an hour prior to the examination. If necessary, please contact the unit treating you if you use aspirin.

If you have had a mammography in a private medical clinic (other than Kainuu Central Hospital or Kainuu primary health care), we ask you to take mammography images and results with you.

**Examination**

Your breasts will be washed and radiologist will insert the dye (methylene blue) in to the breast duct by a fine needle. After the procedure, your breast will be examined by mammography. Images will be printed for the ward. The dye will stay in the breast duct for the surgeon.

**Post treatment**

After the procedure the procedure site will be covered with a wound dressing. Keep the procedure site dry.

**Results**

The doctor in charge of your care will inform you of the results of the examination.

**Contact**

**If the appointment date is not suitable for you, please contact the unit treating you**

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Fee for missed/non-cancelled appointment for an ultrasound examination can be charged. If you need to cancel the appointment, contact the unit treating you before 12:00 on the day before examination.

For further information about the examination, including patient instructions, please contact the imaging unit.