

# CMI Announces the Opening of its State of the Art MRI Centre

CMI is pleased to announce the opening of its new, state of the art MRI Centre located in Hycroft Centre at the corner of 16<sup>th</sup> Ave. and Granville St. in Vancouver BC.



Utilizing unique Siemens 1.5 Tesla Magnetom Espree Open Bore technology (the first of its kind in British Columbia), CMI is able to offer the latest in high power, high field imaging with the ability to scan large (up to 550 lbs) or claustrophobic patients (over 60% of our scans occur with the head outside of the scanner). Put simply, our new advanced technology allows us to offer the most detailed images available anywhere in the Province.

Further, utilizing our Picture Archive and Communication System (PACS), physicians anywhere in the world are able to access their patient's reports and images immediately online at their convenience.

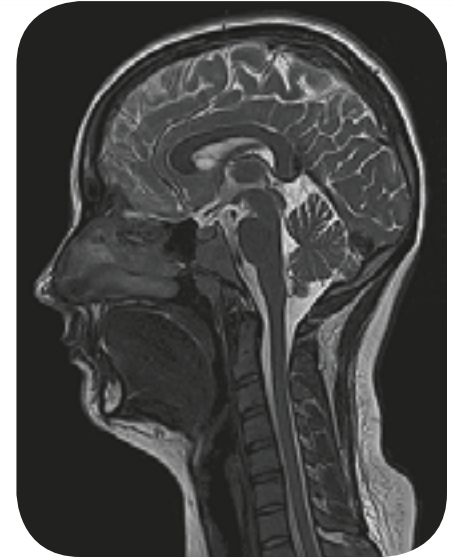
*Please note that while CMI now accepts non-litigation related referrals, we continue to be the only MRI Centre to offer our MRI scans to all accident claimants on a contingent basis so if the patient does not recover from their insurer, their scan is free.*

For further information please contact us directly at our new coordinates.

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## MRI ALERT Beware the “Deferred Payment” Trap

You may have noticed that other private MRI centers are now offering deferred payment on litigation scans. Leaving aside the issue of our superior technology, it is important to understand this is a very different service than the contingent pay service offered by CMI.

Under CMI's service, patients only pay if and when they recover scan from their insurer (which typically occurs at the conclusion of their matter) and if they do not recover – their scan is free. The other centres “deferred payment plan” is not in any way contingent and the full cost of the scan (plus 1% interest per month) is payable within two years of the scan regardless of whether the case has resolved or any payment is received.

In short, if you scan with CMI, we bear the entire risk of recovery. If you scan with anyone else, the risk remains with the law firm and the client.

