SUBJECT/TITLE: MR ZONING POLICY

PURPOSE: To define access points/zones for patients and non-MR personnel in the MRI department to maintain patient and staff safety.

DEFINITION: None

POLICY: The MR Division of the Department of Radiology will develop MR zoning protocols.

PROCEDURE:

1. Divide the MRI department into a four zone concept to restrict access to the MRI scanners.
   - Zone 1: General Public-Green
   - Zone 2: Unscreened or screened MRI patients-Blue
   - Zone 3: Screened MRI patients and non-MR personnel-Yellow
   - Zone 4: Screened MRI patients under constant supervision of trained MR personnel-Red

2. See floor plan for zoning locations.