A GUIDE FOR PROVIDERS

The electromyography (EMG) examination, also known as the electrodiagnostic (EDX) examination, plays an essential role in the diagnosis of many neuromuscular disorders. Cleveland Clinic’s EMG laboratory is one of Ohio’s largest and provides leading-edge electrophysiologic analysis.

Cleveland Clinic’s EMG Laboratory is Accredited with an Exemplary Status — the highest accreditation possible — by the American Association of Neuromuscular and Electrodiagnostic Medicine (AANEM).

OUR SERVICES

EMG examinations are performed and interpreted by staff neurologists and physiatrists, with assistance from neurology fellows and registered technologists. In addition to routine studies, the laboratory offers specialized testing, including:

- Single-fiber EMG (SFEMG)
- Macro EMG
- Motor unit estimation
- Channelopathy assessment
- Neuromuscular ultrasound

At Cleveland Clinic main campus, peripheral nerve ultrasound examination appointments can be coordinated with EMG examinations. Ultrasound is a valuable adjunct to EMG in select cases of focal nerve injury and entrapment, as well as for excluding surgically-amenable adjacent pathology.

HOW TO ORDER AN EMG EXAMINATION

For all established Cleveland Clinic patients, fax an EMG script to 216.445.4653. Please be sure to include the following information:

- Patient first and last name
- Date of birth
- Side and limb to be studied (such as left upper extremity)
- Associated diagnosis (such as carpal tunnel)
- Signs and symptoms

For new Cleveland Clinic patients, fax an EMG script to 216.445.4653. Please be sure to include the information listed above in addition to the following information:

- Home address
- Contact number
- Insurance information, including product type

All patients will be contacted within two business days to schedule an appointment.

All EMG examinations will be interpreted and a report will be faxed to the referring physician’s office within two business days of testing.
CONTACT US
Your patients can make an appointment with Cleveland Clinic’s EMG Laboratory, by calling 216.636.5860 or toll free, 866.588.2264. To find out more about the lab, visit clevelandclinic.org/EMG.

Cleveland Clinic welcomes the opportunity to partner with you in caring for your patients. Our dedicated referring physician team is available around-the-clock and committed to serving you and your patients. Please contact our Referring Physician Hotline, available 24/7 for all of your needs, at 855.REFER.123 (855.733.3712).

LOCATIONS
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Fairview Hospital
18101 Lorain Ave.
Cleveland, OH 44111

Hillcrest Hospital
6803 Mayfield Road
Mayfield Heights, OH 44124

Lakewood Hospital
14519 Detroit Ave.
Lakewood, OH 44107

Madison Medical Office Building
2999 McMackin Road
Madison, OH 44057

Medina Hospital
1000 East Washington St.
Medina, OH 44256

Richard E. Jacobs Health Center
33100 Cleveland Clinic Blvd.
Avon, OH 44011

Twinsburg Family Health and Surgery Center
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Twinsburg, OH 44087