

## AMERICAN RADIOLOGY SERVICES

EXAM DATE:



MAGNETIC RESONANCE IMAGING OF THE CERVICAL SPINE

INDICATION: The Examination is performed to evaluate the suspicion of cervical instability.

TECHNIQUE: Plane films are available for reading in the lateral projection in flexion and extension.

INDINGS: Minimal degenerative osteophytes are noted at the C4-5 intervertebral level anteriorly. No significant dorsal osteophytes are seen. On the flexion and extension views there is no evidence of instability of the cervical vertebral bodies.

IMPRESSION: Minimal degenerative disc disease primarily at the C4-5 level with ventral osteophytes at this level. The central canal is anatomic as appear the lateral neural foramina demonstrated on this exam. There is no evidence to suggest bony injury.

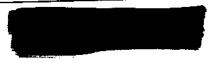
## MAGNETIC RESONANCE IMAGING OF THE LUMBAR SPINE

## INDICATION:

TECHNIQUE: Plane films of the lumbar spine in lateral projection only in flexion and extension are available for reading.

FINDINGS: There is significant under penetration of the L5-S1 intervertebral level on both views.

The alignment of the proximal lumbar spine is anatomic, however, the relationship at L5-S1 cannot be accurately ascertained on these views. Slight narrowing is seen involving the L4-5 level, however, the central canal and lateral neural foramina demonstrated on this study appear to be patent and free of compromise.



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