| University Health™                         | Policy #: Rad Proc 13.15.3 |
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| SUBJECT: CT Pelvis for Bone 8.3            | Effective: 10/2013         |
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Purpose: To provide computed tomography staff with the required protocol for performing CT Pelvis for Bone.

Scope: All adult patients 18 years and older.

Clinical Indication: Pain, fractures, trauma

Patient Preparation: Secure feet with toes pointing together

Orientation: Feet first Breathing: Inspiration Oral Contrast: None

IV Contrast per Weight: None

**Coverage: Top Iliac crest through ischial tuberosities** 

**Anatomic Reference: Iliac crest** 

Scan Delay: None

## Group 1:

| Scan<br>Mode                        | Thickness<br>Speed<br>Pitch | Table<br>Interval | SFOV  | kVp | Auto mA/<br>Noise<br>Index | Prep<br>Time<br>(sec) | Recon<br>Type    |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------|-------|-----|----------------------------|-----------------------|------------------|
| LS 16<br>0.8 sec<br>Helical<br>Full | 5<br>27.50<br>1.375:1       | 5                 | Large | 120 | 80-440<br>11.5             | N                     | Standard<br>Bone |
| VCT<br>0.8 sec<br>Helical<br>Full   | 5<br>55.00<br>1.375:1       | 5                 | Large | 120 | 80-600<br>11.5             | N                     | Standard<br>Bone |
| AS 64<br>0.5 sec<br>Helical         | 5<br>1                      | 5                 | 380   | 120 | Ref MAS<br>250             | N                     | Smooth<br>Bone   |

Algorithm: Recon 1 & 2 Standard 5mm; Recon 3 Standard 1.25mm; Recon 4 Bone 1.25mm

Reformation: 2.0 Sagittal and Coronal reformations of the entire exam

Network: Recon 1 (5mm) to PACS. Recon 2 (1.25) auto transmit to AWSERV