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Please ask any questions you may have! I am here to help you and make you feel comfortable.

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This is an MRI machine. It is a long metal tube that takes pictures of your body while you lay on the cushion. The machine will slowly move you through the tunnel.

WHAT IT SOUNDS LIKE

When you are inside, while the machine is taking pictures, you will hear a loud thumping noise, but don't worry! We have these headphones that make the sound quieter while you are in the machine

GETTING AN IV

MRIs can take a long time. When you are in the tunnel it is important you stay as still as possible so we can get good pictures. The nurse will give you an IV before that has medicine that will make you sleepy through a straw. It will sting at first, but the pain goes away quickly. When the nurse takes the IV out, you can choose a bandaid to cover the spot.

WHAT YOU WILL WEAR

Before you arrive in the MRI room, you will change out of your clothes and put on a hospital gown. You can choose what color gown if you would like.

WHAT IT LOOKS LIKE

The inside of the machine looks like a long, dark tunnel. It might seem scary at first, but the machine does not touch your body and you are safe.

WHAT IT DOES

The MRI machine is used to take pictures of your organs and other things like your muscles under the skin.

**YOU
GOT
THIS!**

