

Understanding your test results

Results may appear in the patient portal before I have had time to review them. A result becomes useful when we connect it to your symptoms, examination, and other tests.

HOW FOLLOW-UP WORKS

- 01 Released in MyChart**
 Results are released in the portal. You and I may see them at the same time.
- 02 I review the whole picture**
 Some tests return sooner than others. I may wait for several results so I can interpret them together.
- 03 Images need personal review**
 For MRI or PET, I may review the images myself in addition to reading the radiology report. This takes additional time.
- 04 Urgent findings come first**
 If a result needs immediate attention, I will contact you quickly. A short delay usually means there is no emergency.
- 05 Next steps come through the portal**
 After reviewing the available results, I will send a portal note explaining what happens next.
- 06 We review results together**
 We can discuss them at your next visit or schedule telemedicine when a longer conversation would help.

YOUR LINKS

OPEN MYCHART

LEARN ABOUT TESTS

Brain MRI

Structure and imaging



PET imaging

Amyloid, tau, and metabolism



Genetic testing

Inherited changes and risk



Alzheimer's blood tests

What biomarkers can tell us



FOLLOW-UP GUIDE

Scan or visit

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What does this result change about the plan?

A test does not need to provide a final answer to be useful. It may narrow the possibilities, identify something treatable, or show us which question to ask next.