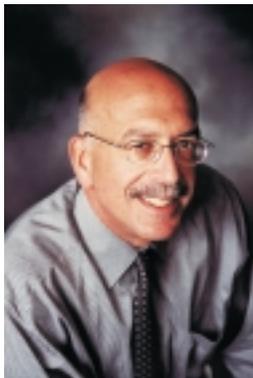


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Coronary Artery Calcium Scoring

It Could Save Your Life!



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for advice based on your
individual risk factors and
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Coronary Artery Disease (CAD) is the #1 cause of death in America.

Also known as heart disease, CAD is caused by a narrowing or blockage of the arteries that supply blood to the heart. CAD is easily detected by arterial calcium deposits and can be present long before a patient experiences chest pain or heart attack, allowing for early treatment and prevention of heart attack.

Fastest, most accurate CT Scanner on the Emerald Coast

White-Wilson Medical Center is the first facility on the Emerald Coast to offer Coronary Artery Calcium Scoring (CACS) using the most advanced technology: an ultra-fast CT scanner (16 images per second), the fastest model available and the one which provides the best images.

CACS is the best way to tell you if you are at risk for heart disease.

Coronary Artery Calcium Scoring (CACS) provides detailed computer images of your heart and arteries. We analyze these images and determine the amount of calcium present, then convert our findings to a Cardiac Calcium Score. CACS cannot determine how blocked a particularly artery is; however, it can accurately detect the presence of atherosclerosis and assess the subsequent risk of heart attack.

Who should get a CACS?

If any of the following apply to you, then CACS may help.

- Men age 40 or over
- Women age 50 or over
- Smoker
- Family history of heart disease
- Diabetes
- High cholesterol
- High blood pressure
- Sedentary lifestyle

What's involved?

CACS is quick and painless. There are no injected dyes or invasive procedures. The procedure takes only 15 minutes. The test is not currently covered by insurance and costs \$200. After the test, a member of White-Wilson's Preventive Cardiology Department will be available for an appointment to help interpret the results.

Know your Coronary Calcium Score.
It could save your life.

Call **863-8110** to set up an appointment.

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