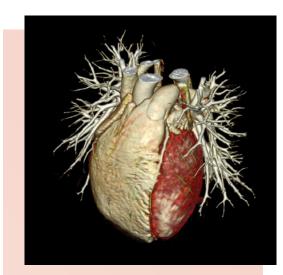


Kids with heart disease need special care.

And like all children, they are more sensitive to radiation. So when these kids need imaging:

- When appropriate, choose heart ultrasound, MRI or another exam that does not use x-rays
- Child-size CT, fluoroscopy and nuclear medicine exams
- And, during catheterization:



- lower the frame rate
- manage dose settings
- increase the field of view of the image receptor (reduce electronic magnification)
- lower the image receptor to the patient
- collimate (reduce the size of the x-ray field)

Medical Imaging Saves Lives

The care we provide now can last a lifetime.

