

# WHY A CT CALCIUM SCORE?

A CT Calcium Score shows if there is coronary calcification in the arteries and could help your patient be aware of and prevent future cardiovascular disease.

## Benefits of scheduling a CT Calcium Score with MEDRVA include:



Scheduling with little-to-no wait times for patients



Physicians receive results quickly



Convenient location and appointment complete in less than an hour



Patient out-of-pocket cost of \$90 for the month of March 2023 (normally \$119)

While this is an excellent test in predicting particular types of coronary artery disease, it is not definitive due to certain soft plaques (buildup) not being visible using this technology.

The scan is synced with a patient's heartbeat to look for calcium deposits within the arteries. Once the test is finished, if calcium is noted, it will be given a score that estimates the extent of coronary artery disease.