CBI Operations During COVID-19 Pandemic

During the COVID-19 pandemic, the CBI has modified its operating procedures:

1) The 3T scanner at 30 Bee St. is operating on a modified schedule that will be adjusted on a week-to-week basis in response to demand. Please use Calpendo to view open hours, and send any scheduling-related questions to CBItech@musc.edu. The 7T scanner continues to run on a normal schedule.

2) The front door to the 30 Bee St. waiting room will be locked at all times. Please be sure to meet subjects on time to let them into the building.

3) Consecutive scans should be separated by at least 15 min to allow time for surfaces in the scanner room to be disinfected.

4) All subjects must be screened in advance to assess their risk of COVID-19 infection as required by the Office of the Vice President for Research. Under no circumstances should a subject or researcher with flu-like symptoms enter the CBI facility.

5) Retrospective screening – If you become aware that a subject scanned at the CBI within the previous 14 days is exhibiting symptoms of COVID-19 or has tested positive, you must immediately alert the CBI staff via email at CBItech@musc.edu. This also applies to researchers who have recently been at the CBI and start to exhibit symptoms of possible COVID-19.

6) No new projects will be approved for either the 3T or 7T system until further notice.

Additional details regarding these modified operating procedures will be sent to the CBI Users email list as necessary. Please send general inquires regarding CBI operations to CBI@musc.edu.