

## STATE OF THE ART TECHNOLOGY ACROSS THE SOUTH SHORE.

Compass Medical offers services to many communities across the South Shore and continues to expand today. Our newest location in Easton, a 40,000 square foot facility, is home to a wide variety of Compass Medical specialists and ancillary services. Our Radiology Department in Easton offers Digital Mammography, Digital Ultrasound, 64 Slice Cat Scan, Digital X-ray and Bone Density services.



*Compass Medical in Easton (pictured above)*

If the Easton location is convenient for you, please call 508.565.7200 to schedule (or re-schedule) your future appointments.

Compass Medical will be opening a brand-new facility in Middleboro in 2011. This 36,000 square foot facility will offer many of the same state of the art, high quality imaging services as our other locations.

**Compass Medical Radiology Departments offer:**

ACR accredited Digital Mammography\*

ACR accredited Digital Ultrasound\*

ACR accredited 64 Slice Cat Scan\*

Digital X-ray\*

Bone Density\*

*\*See back panel for specific services by location. Not all services offered at every location.*

## RADIOLOGY AND IMAGING LOCATIONS AND SERVICES

### **Southeast Medical Center**

**One Compass Way | E. Bridgewater, MA  
508.350.2200 ph | 508.350.2312 fax**

### **East Bridgewater Operating Hours**

**Monday - Friday | 7:00am - 7:30pm**

**Saturday | 8:00am - 4:00pm**

**Sunday | 8:00am - 12:00pm**

### **East Bridgewater Radiology Services**

**ACR accredited Digital Mammography, ACR  
accredited Digital Ultrasound, ACR accredited 64  
Slice Cat Scan, Digital X-ray and Bone Density**

### **21 Bristol Drive | Easton, MA**

**508.565.7200 ph | 508.565.7240 fax**

### **Easton Operating Hours**

**Monday - Friday | 8:00am - 7:30pm**

**Saturday | 8:00am - 4:00pm**

### **Easton Radiology Services**

**ACR accredited Digital Mammography, Digital  
Ultrasound, 64 Slice Cat Scan, Digital X-ray and  
Bone Density**

### **152 Dean Street | Taunton, MA**

**508.824.9869 ph | 508.828.9738 fax**

### **Taunton Operating Hours**

**Monday-Thursday | 8am-4:30pm**

**Friday | 8am-3:30pm**

### **Taunton Radiology Services**

**Digital Ultrasound and X-ray**

**Compass Medical Radiology & Imaging Services  
will be available in the new Middleboro  
Medical Center, opening in late 2011.**

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**[WWW.COMPASSMEDICAL.NET](http://WWW.COMPASSMEDICAL.NET)**

**FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT THE  
RADIOLOGY AND IMAGING SERVICES AT  
COMPASS MEDICAL.**



**RADIOLOGY AND IMAGING  
QUALITY SERVICES AT A GLANCE**

**RADIOLOGY AND IMAGING SERVICES  
AVAILABLE IN EAST BRIDGEWATER,  
EASTON, AND TAUNTON**

**COMPASS  
MEDICAL<sup>PC</sup>**  
**Exceptional Medicine. Compassionate Care.**

# Exceptional Care When You Need It Most



*Patient getting a CT-scan*

## WORLD CLASS IMAGING SERVICES

Compass Medical Radiology and Imaging offers comprehensive diagnostic imaging services supported through collaboration with Brigham and Women's Hospital Radiology Department.

## RIGHT IN YOUR OWN COMMUNITY.

### CAT SCAN

Computed Tomography (CT) is a sophisticated imaging technique that can show anatomy at different levels within the body. During CT imaging, the x-ray source rotates around the patient, and each rotation produces a single cross-sectional "slice." CT allows physicians to see a horizontal piece of the body, just as if you were taking a slice of bread out of the loaf. Compass Medical offers American College of Radiology accredited CT-scans, using low-dose radiation.

### BONE DENSITOMETRY

Bone Densitometry is a type of imaging examination that measures your bone mineral density, which is a sign of bone strength. Bones that are not very dense become brittle and are more likely to break. A number of conditions cause a loss of bone mass, such as osteoporosis, some inherited diseases or treatment for chronic diseases. Bone Densitometry uses such a small amount of radiation that your tech is able to sit at your side during the test.

### MAMMOGRAPHY

Mammography involves a low-dose x-ray image of the breast. It is the best way to find breast cancer in its early, most treatable stage. The American Cancer Society recommends that all women receive annual mammograms after the age of 40. Compass Medical offers ACR accredited mammograms and is licensed by the state of Massachusetts.

### ULTRASOUND

Ultrasound uses high-frequency sound waves to look at organs and structures inside the body. Health care professionals use them to view the heart, blood vessels, kidneys, liver and other organs. During pregnancy, doctors use ultrasound tests to examine the fetus. Unlike X-rays, ultrasound does not involve exposure to radiation.

### X-RAY

An X-ray is a quick, painless test that produces images of the structures inside your body – particularly your bones. X-ray beams pass through your body, but they are absorbed in different amounts depending on the density of the material they pass through. Dense materials, such as bone and metal, show up as white on X-rays. The air in your lungs show up as black. Fat and muscle look like varying shades of gray.



*ACR Accrediations in East Bridgewater and Easton locations*

## EXPECT THE VERY BEST FROM YOUR RADIOLOGY VISIT.

When you arrive at Compass Medical Radiology, you will be greeted by a receptionist. The receptionist will ask you a few questions regarding your appointment and request your identification in accordance with HIPAA (Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act). The receptionist will then ask you to take a seat in our waiting room for a short period of time until the tech aide calls you back for your examination.



*X-Ray of Hand (left)*



*Mammo Screening (right)*

The tech aide will greet you and escort you either directly to your examination room or to a changing area where you will need to change into a gown and then move to the examination room. In the examination room, you will meet the technologist who will perform your test. She may ask you questions regarding your health history or provide you necessary information regarding the exam. If you have questions for the technologist, please ask. She will be happy to provide you with any information she can. After the examination, the radiologist will read your exam and your doctor will receive the results in less than 5 business days.

### Radiology Services Tip:

Although it's rare, certain radiology exams may not be covered by your insurance. Check with your insurance company before your exam, including additional views, to make sure that you will be covered.