SI JOINTS

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NOTE:
- Send localizers to PACS

T2 FS Axial (include entire bony pelvis)

Average Scanning Parameters:
- 360 mm FOV
- 6 mm slice thickness
- 1 mm slice gap

Axial slices need to be parallel to the superior surfaces of the femoral heads.

*T1 Sag, T2 FS Sag

Average Scanning Parameters:
- 6 x 1 mm slice thickness

Include entire bony pelvis. *Only include T1 Sag for coccyx or sacrococcygeal indications.

T1, T2 FS Axial

Average Scanning Parameters:
- 240 mm FOV
- 5 mm slice thickness
- 1 mm slice gap
- 28-32 slices

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T1, IR, T1 FS Coronal
T1 FS Coronal Post Contrast

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- 240 mm FOV
- 4 x 1 mm slice thickness
- 24-28 slices

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