



I need an x-ray

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I need to have an x-ray done.
The x-ray will help the
doctors work out why
something might be hurting
or a task might be difficult.

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I will go to the Medical
Imaging Department.

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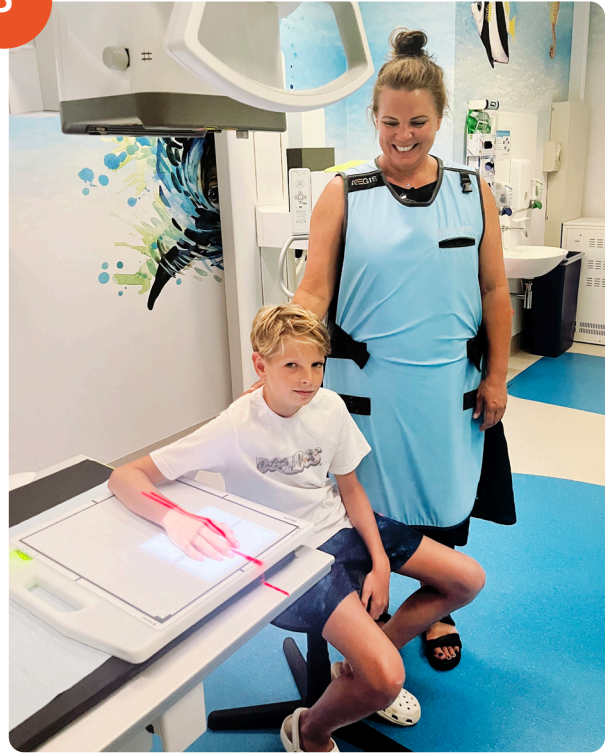
An x-ray machine is like a
big camera that can take
photos of what's going on
inside my body.

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Commonly, we take x-rays of my arm or my leg or my chest. But sometimes other things get x-rays too.

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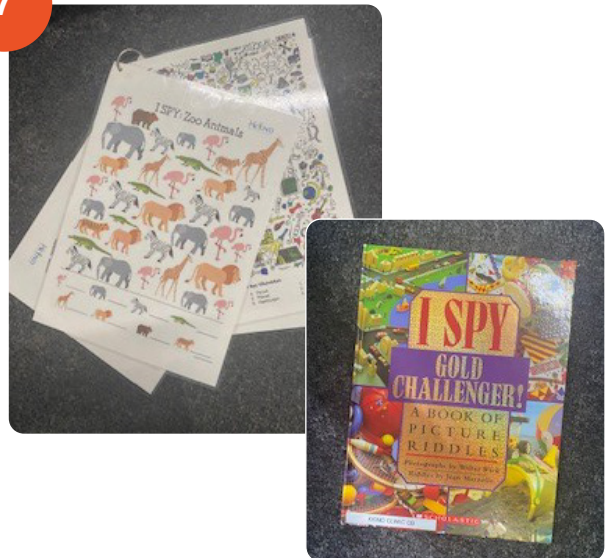
Getting an x-ray of my arm can look like this.

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Getting an x-ray of my chest can look like this.

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When I'm finished I will go back to the ED and wait for the results. Now that I'm done I can do something that keeps me busy, or find an activity to do while I wait.