



Cardiac Event Monitor

To Schedule: (319) 861-7778

Questions about procedure: (319) 221-8500

What is a Cardiac Event Monitor?

Cardiac event monitoring is an easy way to record your heartbeat away from the doctor's office. You will wear a small electrocardiogram (ECG) monitor. This event monitor records your heartbeat for your physician to review.

Why should I have a Cardiac Event Monitor?

Your physician has ordered an event monitor because of the symptoms you are experiencing. Because your symptoms are intermittent, the event monitor is a good way to determine if your symptoms are related to your heart rhythm.

Preparation:

- Please bring photo ID.

Procedure:

You will wear a pocket-sized monitor with two patches (electrodes) applied to your chest. You will change the patches daily. You will push a button to make a recording when you have a symptom. The Non-Invasive Cardiology staff will further instruct you on how to use the monitor. You will keep the monitor for 30 days and return via mail.

Location:

Mercy 8th and 8th Medical Park

788 8th Ave. SE

Level 4/Suite 400

Cedar Rapids, Iowa 52401

For questions, call (319) 221-8500 or (319) 221-8545

Your appointment date and time: _____