

Open MRI - reducing claustrophobia and paediatric sedation

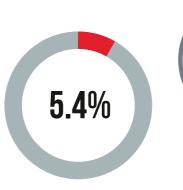
■ CLAUSTROPHOBIA ISSUES



Of MRI patients experience some level of claustrophobia¹



■ PAEDIATRIC ISSUES







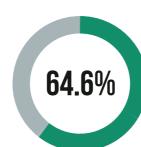


Of all MR imaging is performed on paediatric patients. Sedation is often required, which can increase exam times, pose greater patient risks, and disrupt efficient workflow³



In every 100 patients suffer from claustrophobia severely enough to interrupt or terminate their MRI²







Of all ketamine sedations outside of the operating room that were reported to the Pediatric Sedation Research Consortium were from radiology procedural sedations⁴



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