

# **MRI – Pregnant appendicitis**

(revised 10/12)

Must sign informed pregnancy consent

Use body array coil

**NO GADOLINIUM USED**

- 1. CORONAL SSFSE**
- 2. AX SSFSE**
- 3. SAG SSFSE**
- 4. AXIAL LAVA – then call to check**
- 5. CORONAL LAVA**
- 6. Axial T2 fs resp gating – thin slices 3 – 4 mm thru the limited area of concern per the radiologist**
- 7. Axial FIESTA**
- 8. Coronal FIESTA**