

Information regarding cardioversion

Welcome to the Medical Clinic (Medicinmottagningen) at Lycksele Hospital.

You have a scheduled appointment for a cardioversion.

Please call your health care center to make an appointment for an ECG the day before your cardioversion is scheduled. This is to verify that the atrial fibrillation remains.

Preparing for your cardioversion

- You may not eat or drink anything after midnight since you must be fasting for the cardioversion.
- Take your blood thinning medication with half a glass of water in the morning of the day of the cardioversion.
- Since you will be put under anesthesia you will NOT be allowed to drive for the next 24 hours.
- It is crucial that you take your blood-thinning medication daily during the three weeks leading up to your cardioversion. If you have missed even one dose in the past three weeks, you must contact us immediately by calling us on 090 – 785 91 07.
- If you would like to reschedule you can also call us on the number above.