

**Hello, my name is Adler and I had a CT scan today.
This is my mom, she stayed with me during my pictures.**



A CT Scan
makes a picture
of the inside of
my body.





Here is the **CT camera**
that took my pictures.

It is a lot bigger than my
camera at home.

Do you
see the bed
where I lay
down?



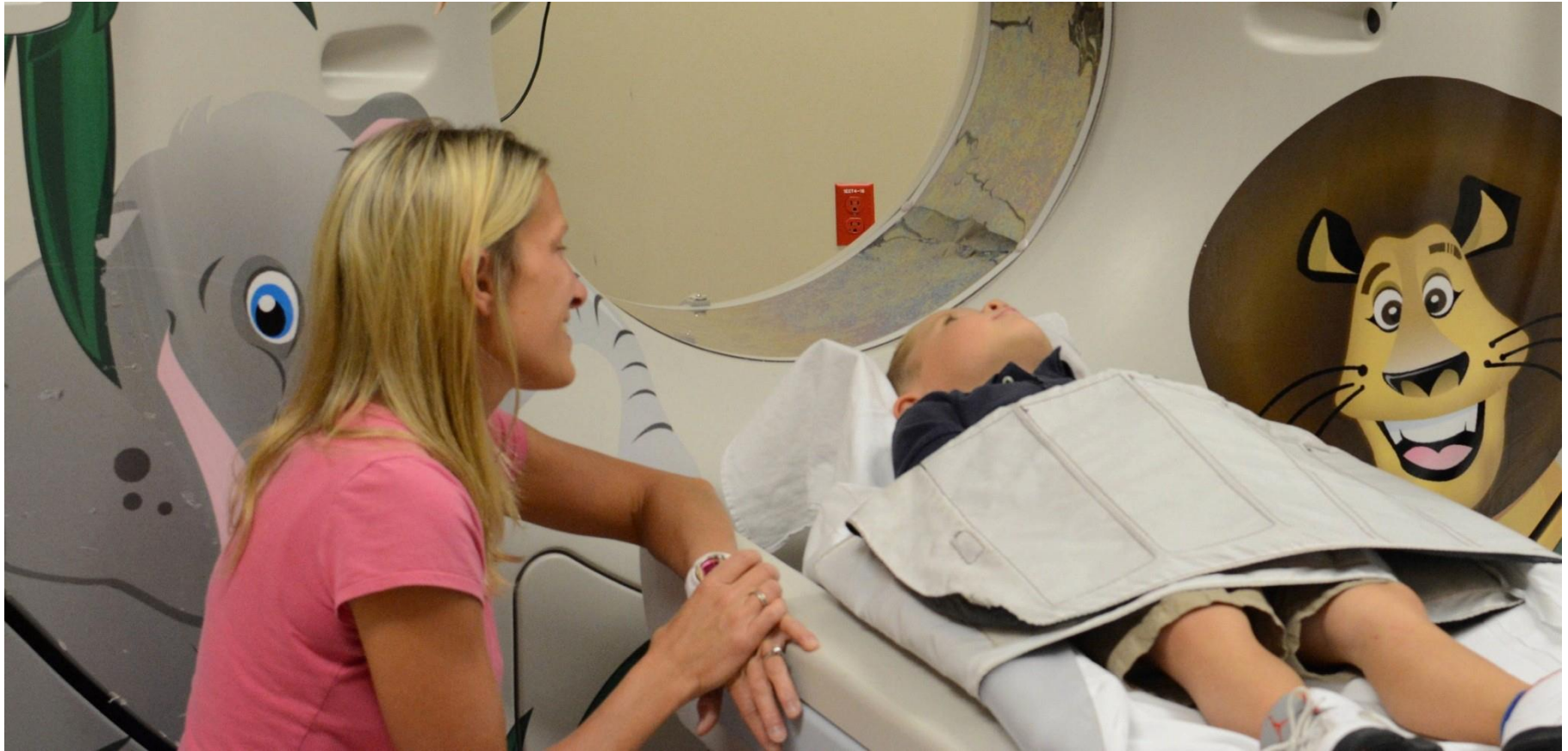
Here I am practicing
holding very still
for my pictures.

It is very important
to hold still so the
pictures turn out
just right.



Do you know how to hold still?





I wore a **special gray blanket**.
The blanket reminded me to stay still.





I wore a **headband** across my forehead and **soft pillows** next to my ears.
The headband and pillows helped me hold very still.





I saw a **red light** in the camera.
The light **did not hurt**, it just helped make
sure I was in the perfect spot for my pictures.





Mom wore a special apron and stood next to me during my pictures.





Do you see
the circle
where the
camera is?

The bed moved in and out of the camera to
take my pictures, but **nothing touched me**
and **nothing hurt.**



Did you know the camera makes a
“**whooshing**” sound when it takes pictures?

It sounds kind of like a **washing machine** to
me. I wonder what it will sound like to you.





I held super still like a statue for my pictures and now I am all finished.





Next Slide: CT Chest Scan

Please proceed to the following page if the patient is expected to have a CT scan of the chest.





My mom
held my
hands to
remind me
to hold
super still.

You might lie with your feet forward and your hands over your head during your pictures.

