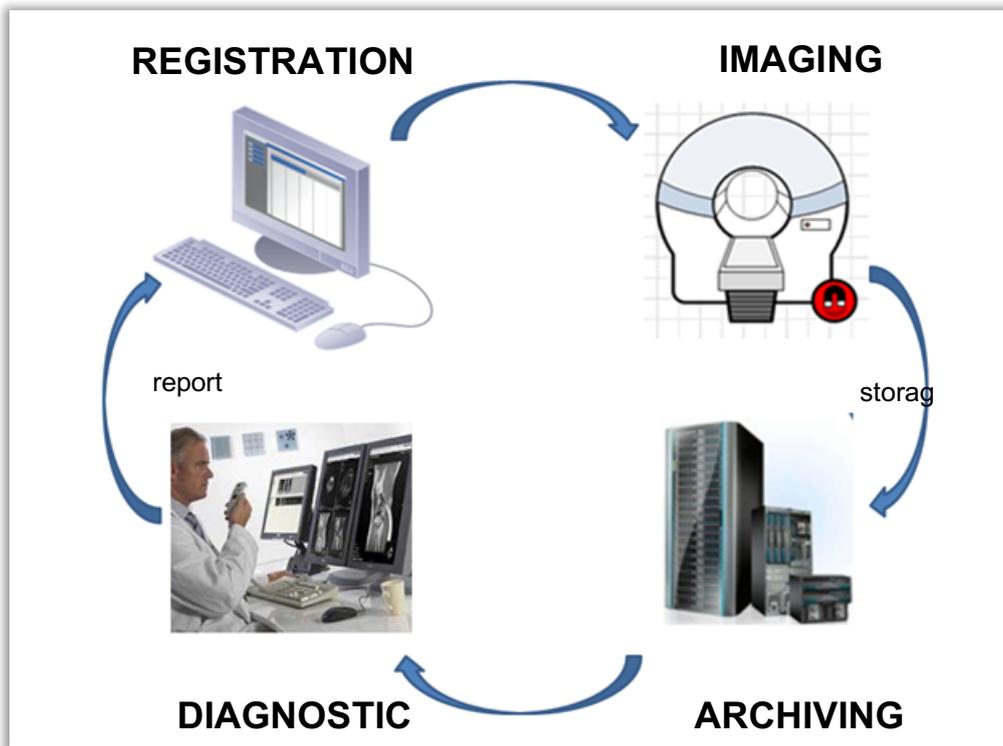


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# PARTICIPANTS REGISTRATION IN RIS/PACS

## INTRODUCTION

Every participant being scanned at the MRI facility must be registered in the Radiology Information System (RIS) from the hospital by means of a QP number. All images are back-upped in the Picture Archiving and Communication System (PACS) of the hospital.



This document describes how to register a participant in RIS and how to make an MRI order using IMPAX® RIS QDoc (Agfa Healthcare N.V.).

A hardcopy of this document will be available on the scanner site in a binder entitled **GifMI MANUAL**.

Need help? Contact the GifMI Research Assistant.

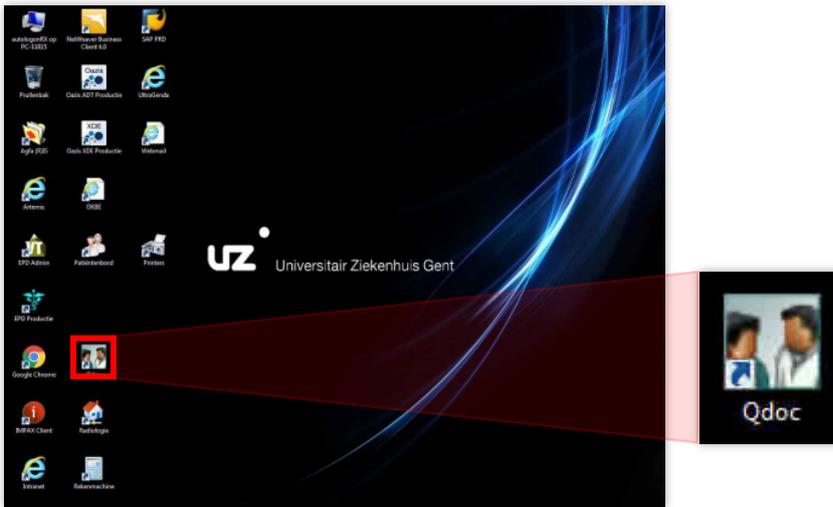
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## 1 LOGGING IN TO IMPAX®QDOC

1. Start up the UZ-PC with number UZ-11815.

This PC uses “Auto log in” which means that no password or log-in are needed.

2. Double-click on the Desktop on the icon of QDoc for IMPAX®RIS registration. The software is in Dutch.



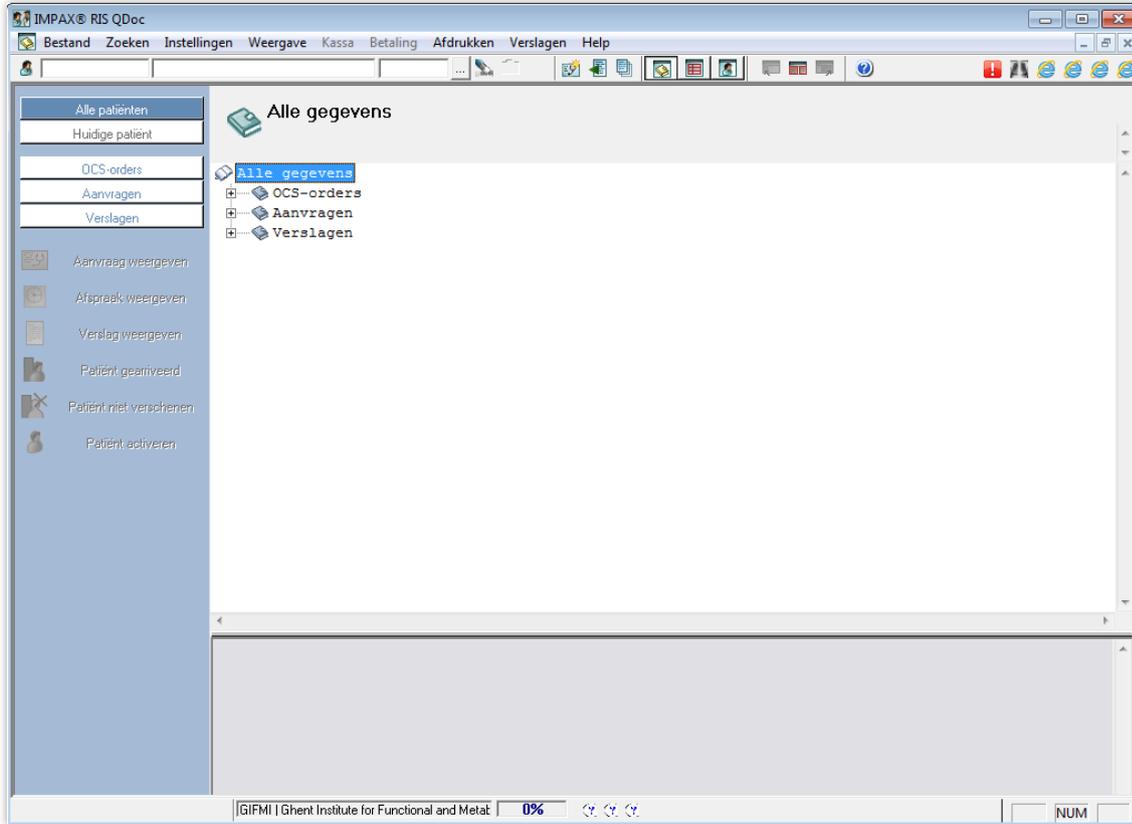
3. Log in

- **Gebruiker (User)**                      GIFMI (all uppercase)
- **Wachtwoord (Password)**              gifmi (all lowercase)
- **Affiliatie (Affiliation)**                Leave this field empty



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4. You are directed to the IMPAX® RIS Qdoc user interface. You are now able to generate a QP number for the participant (see partim 2).



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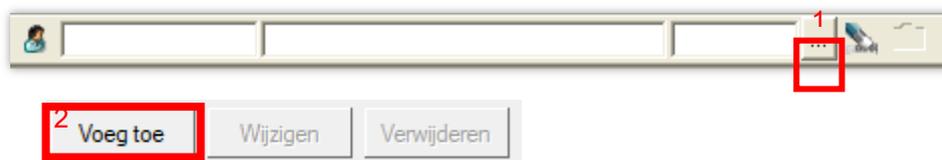
## 2 GENERATING A UNIQUE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER FOR A PARTICIPANT (QP NUMBER)



You need to generate only 1 QP number per participant! Skip partim 2 if a QP number or “adrema” (in case of UZ Gent patients) number has already been assigned to participant (which is the case for a revisit within the same study). In this case, retrieve the QP number from your administration and forward to partim 3.

A QP number is specific for a single participant in a single study. If a participant participates in more than one study, a new QP number has to be generated for each study.

1. Click on the icon ‘...’ and subsequently on ‘Voeg toe’ (Add).



2. Complete these fields only:

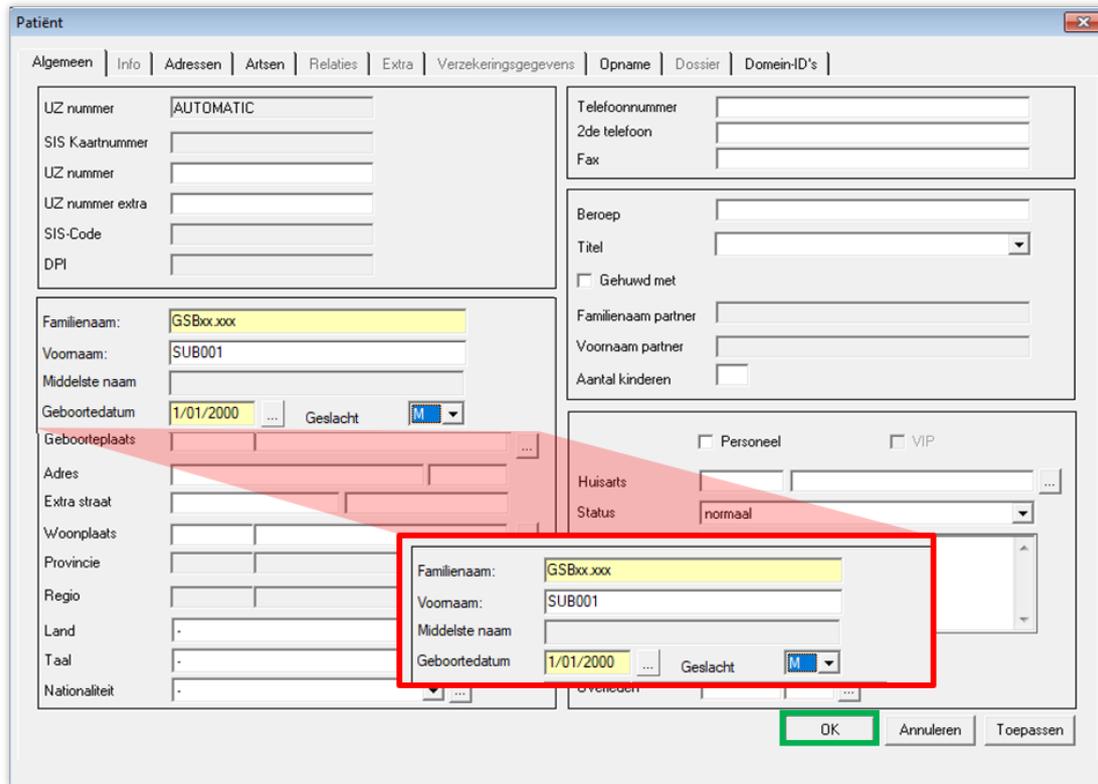


*Due to GDPR it is not at all allowed to fill out personal data of the participant!*

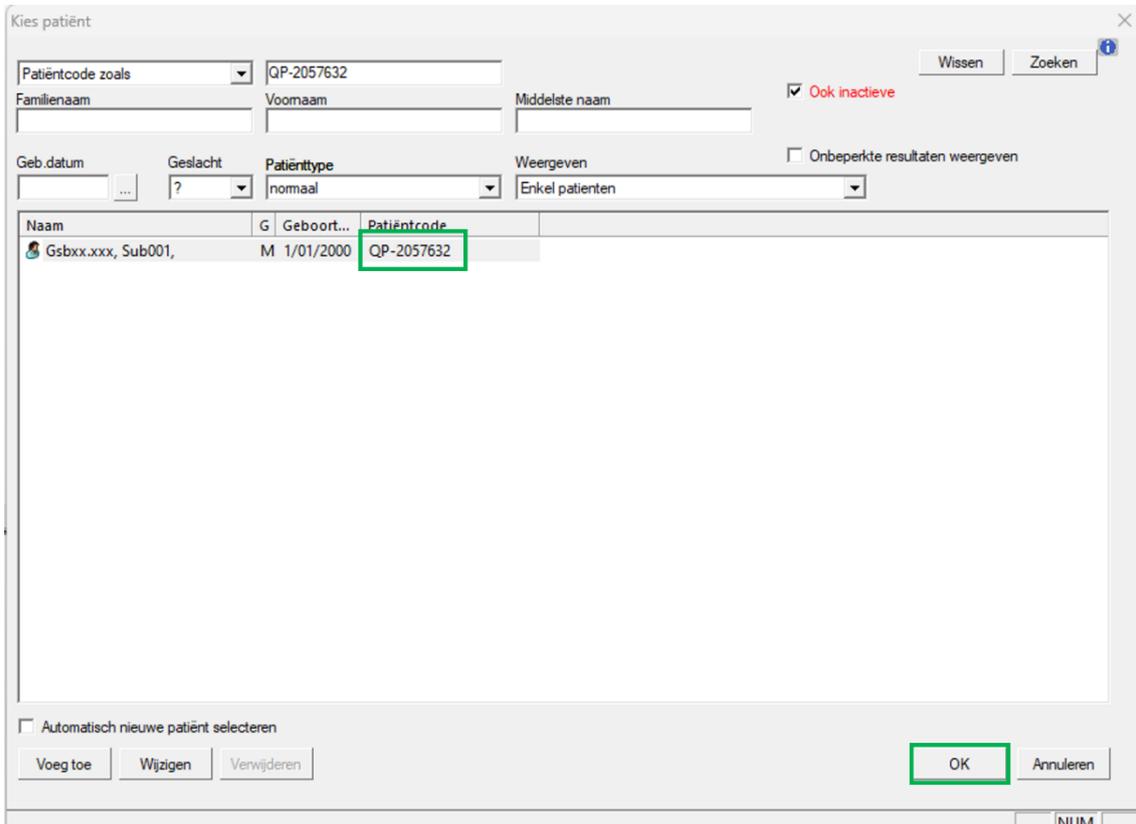
- **Familienaam (last name)** GSBxx.xxx f.e. GSB25.008
- **Voornaam (first name)** PIL (pilot), SUB (subject), CTRL (control), ... + number eg. SUB001
- **Geboortedatum (date of birth)** 01/01/birth year truthfully
- **Geslacht (sex)**

Confirm with ‘OK’.

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- This generates the QP number - record this in your files and use this number for every follow-up scan. Confirm with 'OK'.





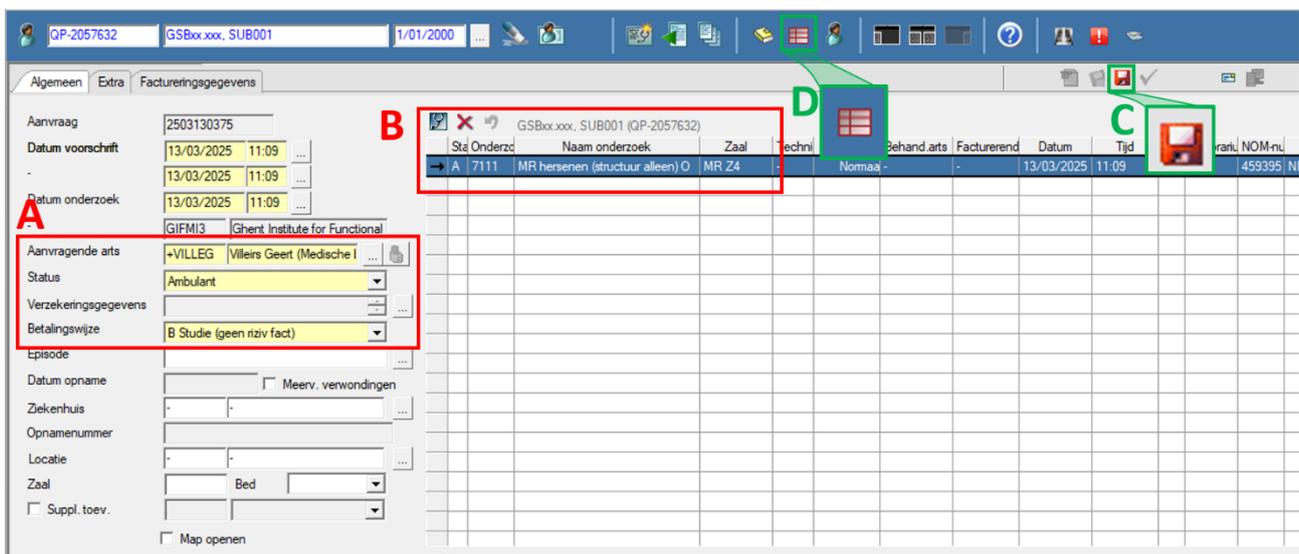
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**EXAMINATION (B)**

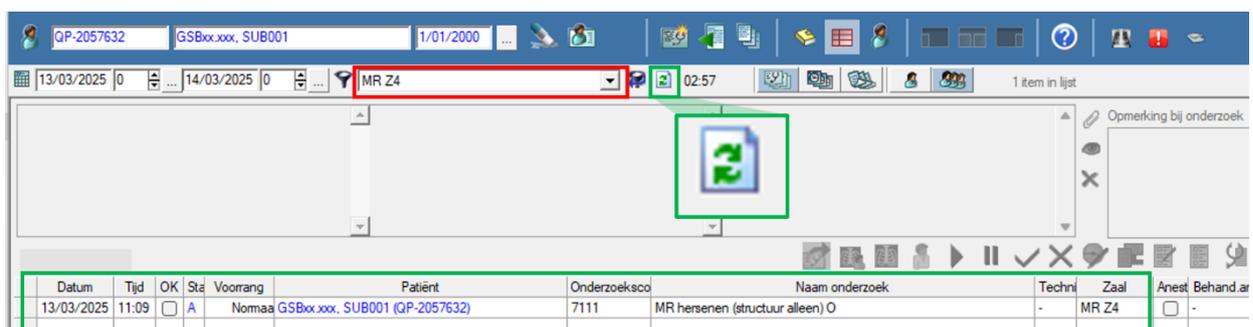
- Add examination 
- Onderzoek 7111 (+ tab) MR hersenen structuur alleen
  - For other scan regions, position the cursor in the field 'Onderzoek' and press F3 to make a choice from the decision tree. Contact the GfMI research assistant for more information.
- Zaal MR Z4

**PRESS (C) to save the order.**

**Press (D) to return to the work list.**



**Select 'MR Z4' from the dropdown box and click on the icon 'verversen' (refresh).** Your examination is now scheduled in IMPAX® RIS QDoc and will be visible in the scheduler of the MRI scanner. All administration is finished. You can now proceed to the scanner console (partim 4).

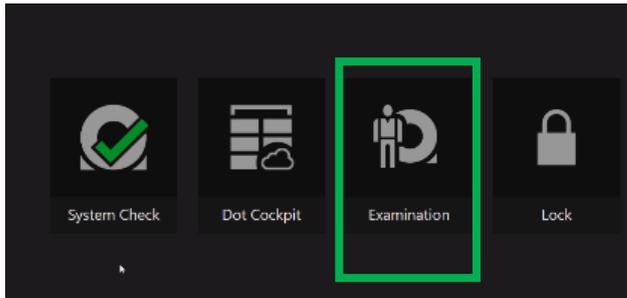


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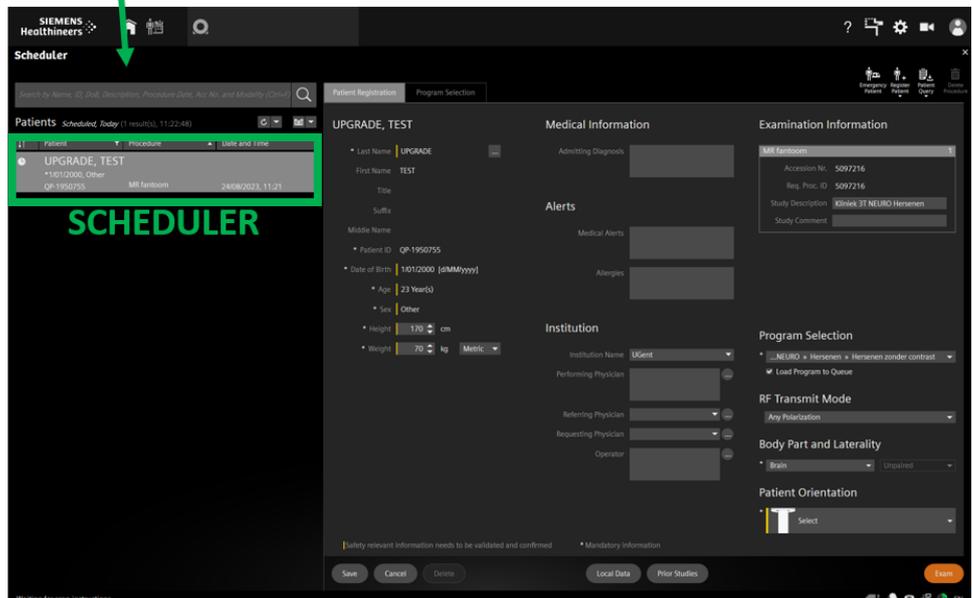
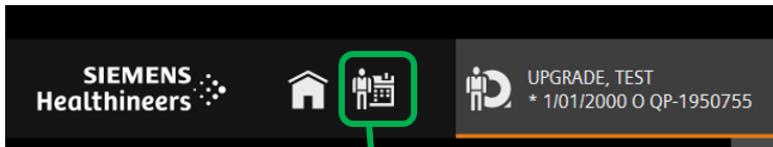
## 4 RETRIEVING A PARTICIPANT ON THE SCANNER CONSOLE

Given that the participant is already registered in RIS, you no longer have to enter all the data manually on the MR scanner console. You can access the registered participant on the MR scanner console as follows:

**HOME page – Select EXAMINATION.**



**SCHEDULER – Patient Registration** - Select your participant from the scheduler that lists all the participants that are preregistered in RIS (QDoc).



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**Fill out the mandatory fields in the Patient Registration form.**

1. Length and weight
2. Change Institution name to what suits best.
3. Program selection: roll out folder > other examination > browse through RESEARCH to select your study.
4. Transmit mode: 'any polarisation'
5. Body Part & Laterality: Brain
6. Patient Orientation: Head First Supine



The screenshot shows the 'Patient Registration' form with the following fields and callouts:

- 1:** Patient personal information fields (Last Name, First Name, Title, Suffix, Middle Name, Patient ID, Date of Birth, Age, Sex, Height, Weight).
- 2:** Institution dropdown menu (currently set to 'UZ Gent').
- 3:** Examination Information fields (MR fanstroom, Accession Nr., Reg. Proc. ID, Study Comment).
- 4:** RF Transmit Mode dropdown menu (set to 'Any Polarization').
- 5:** Body Part and Laterality dropdown menu (set to 'Brain' and 'Unpaired').
- 6:** Patient Orientation dropdown menu (set to 'Head First Supine').

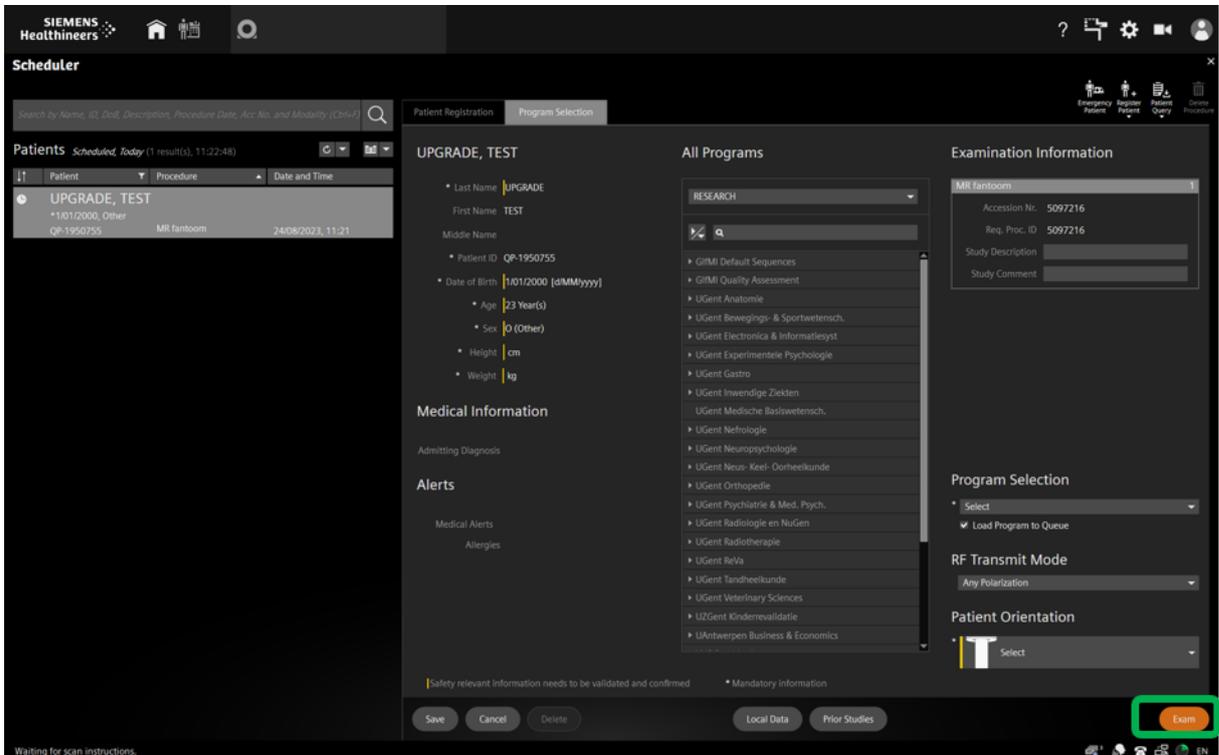
Callout boxes provide additional details:

- Callout 1:** A list of 'All Programs' under the 'RESEARCH' folder, including various medical specialties like 'GIFMI Default Sequence', 'GIFMI Quality Assessment', 'UGent Anatomy', etc.
- Callout 2:** A grid of patient orientation options:
 

P		Head First Supine		Feet First Supine
*		Head First Prone		Feet First Prone
R		Head First Left Lateral		Feet First Right Lateral
*		Head First Right Lateral		Feet First Left Lateral
P	Special Orientations ...			
*		Select		

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Click **EXAM** to move to the EXAMINATION CARD and to start scanning.



## 5 CLOSING THE EXAMINATION ADMINISTRATIVELY

1. Select your MRI examination in the list.
2. Change the *Status* field from 'S' (Started) to 'F' (Finished) by checking the box of the 'OK' field.

Datum	Tijd	OK	Status	Voortgang	Patiënt	Onderzoeksco	Naam onderzoek	Technicus	Zaal	Anest. Behand. arts
13/03/2025	11:09	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	F	Normaa	GSBxx.xxx, SUB001 (QP-2057632)	7111	MR hersenen (structuur alleen) O	GIFMI	MR Z4	-

3. Close IMPAX® RIS Qdoc.
4. Shutdown the PC.