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1. Title (length 26):

MRI for Quantification of Fat by Spin Echo and Inversion Recovery

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3. Timeline:

Ready for Submission

4. Rationale:

Spin Echo MRI has not previously been validated. This validation is against inversion recovery.

5. Main Hypothesis:

MRI reliably measures Intraabdominal fat; Spin echo is equal to inversion recovery.

6. Date (variables, time window, source, inclusions/exclusions):

ARIC Form Forsyth Center participants in Ancillary Study

Age Race Second Visit

BMI Gender

Waist-hip Ratio Subscapular Skinfold Triceps Skinfold