Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI) for patients with bone anchored implants

Baha® sound processor
As long as the Baha® sound processor is removed for the MRI procedure, a patient fitted with the Baha system (includes also a titanium implant and abutment) may be exposed to an MRI examination without any risk. The resulting artifacts are minor.

Vistafix® prostheses
Patients fitted with facial or auricular prostheses can also undergo an MRI, as long as any fixation magnets or magnet keepers attached to the implants are removed for the procedure. This will eliminate the risk of implant loss.
Security Control Instructions (for example at airports)
This patient has undergone surgery and has titanium implant(s), placed in his/her skull, that cannot be removed.

**Baha® sound processor**
The Baha® sound processor ① can be removed before passing through a metal detector unit. Once removed, you will see an external titanium abutment complete with gold screw (these cannot be removed) ②. If you require any additional information, contact your local Cochlear office. To find your local office: [www.cochlear.com/Corp/Contact](http://www.cochlear.com/Corp/Contact).