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COLONOSCOPY WITH MIRALAX/GATORADE/CRYSTAL LIGHT PREP (A.M.)

Patient Name: ______ Procedure Date: _____

YOUR BOWEL PREP IS EXTREMELY IMPORTANT! PLEASE READ INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY

In Advance, Before Procedure

Purchase:
MiraLAX, 238g bottle
Dulcolax, 4 (5mg)
tablets
Gatorade or Crystal
Light, 64 oz

(No red or purple).

Arrange:

For a responsible adult to stay with you during the procedure and drive you home after the procedure.

Last Day to Cancel:
Call the office if you need to reschedule your appointment or if you have any questions:
(951) 652-2252

3 Days Prior Date:

Confirm:

Confirm with an adult that you have arrangements to be driven home after procedure.

Stop taking these medications:

Coumadin (Warfarin)

If you have Co-Pay, we will call you prior to your procedure to inform you. Your Co-Payment is due at the time of service. CASH, CREDIT CARD, DEBIT or MONEY ORDER only.

2 Days Prior Date:

Date._

Hydrate:

 At least 4 large glasses
 of water throughout the

day!



NO SOLID FOODS
AFTER MIDNIGHT
AND UNTIL
DISCHARGED FROM
PROCEDURE!!

> Stop taking these medications:

Pradaxa (Dabigatran) Xarelto (Rivaroxaban) Eliquis (Apixaban)

If we have not called you to tell you your Co-Pay, please call our office (951) 652-2252.

Preparation Day Date:_____

- **8:a.m.:** Begin clear liquid diet, no milk, no dairy, no orange or red juices.
- ➤ **Hydrate:** Drink at least 4 large glasses of water throughout the day.



- **3 p.m.:** Take 2 Dulcolax tablets
- ▶ **4 p.m.:** Mix 238g of MiraLAX in 64oz of Gatorade/Crystal Light. Shake to dissolve. Drink one glass every 15 minutes until 1/2 the solution is gone, and then set aside
- **5 p.m.:** Take the last 2 Dulcolax tablets
- **8 p.m.:** Drink the second half of the MiraLAX/Gatorade mixture.

If you experience nausea or vomiting, take a 30 minute break then continue prep.

 Stop taking these medications:
 Lovenox (Enoxaparin)
 Arixtra (Fondaparinux) Procedure Day Date:

- You may take your essential morning medications with a FEW SMALL SIPS of water.
- NO DRINKING at least 4 hours before procedure, this includes water!
- Responsible driver,
 Insurance Card, Photo
 ID, any Co-Pay fees.

The quality of your prep is the one thing you can control and will give the doctor the best view possible without having to repeat the procedure.

| Initials: | Your initials confirm that you have been given |
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| | this information. |

You will receive a call from our office the evening prior to your appointment. Monday-Friday between 12:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. for your procedure check-in time.

PLEASE OBSERVE THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS

- Co-Payment or any money due prior to your procedure must be paid in cash, credit or money order.
- The entrance to the Hemet Endoscopy Center is around the **back** of the parking lot, Suite #104.

Discontinue all <u>blood thinners</u> below:

Coumadin (Warfarin) 3 days prior to procedure Plavix (Clopidogrel) 7 days prior to procedure 24 hours prior to procedure Lovenox (Enoxaparin) Arixtra (Fondaparinux) 24 hours prior to procedure Pradaxa (Dabigatran) 2 days prior to procedure Xarelto (Rivaroxaban) 2 days prior to procedure Eliquis (Apixaban) 2 days prior to procedure

Diabetic and Weight Loss Medications Guidelines

If Diabetic please follow these guidelines: If taking Lantus or long acting Insulin, take only a 1/2 dose at midnight before your procedure, and

bring Insulin with you the day of procedure.

Glimepiride (Amaryl) hold day of procedure Glucotrol (Glipizide) hold day of procedure

Glucophase (Metformin) hold day of procedure Instruction: These all need to be Actos (Pioglitazone)

Invokana (Canaglifl ozin)

Weight Loss Medications

- Ozempic
- Monjaro
- Rybelsus
- Wegovy
- Semaglutide

stopped 1 week prior to procedure.

Begin Clear Liquid Diet at 8:00 a.m. the day before your procedure.

ABSOLUTELY NO SOLID Foods! No milk or dairy products, no orange juice, no red or purple juices or candy.

Clear Liquid Diet:

- WATER!
- Chicken Broth
- ➤ Beef Broth
- Vegetable Broth
- Tea or Coffee (NO cream or milk)
- Flavored teas
- ➤ Hard Candv
- Jell-o (No Red or Purple)

- 1. Clear Soft Drinks (Sprite, 7-Up)
- 2. Apple or White Grape Juice
- 3. Popsicles (NO red or purple)
- 4. Gatorade

- ABSOLUTELY NO EATING OR DRINKING THE DAY OF YOUR PROCEDURE
- **Cancellation Policy:** We require a minimum of 4 working days notice of cancellation or there will be a minimum charge of \$200. IF YOU DO RESCHEDULE YOUR APPOINTMENT MORE THAN TWICE YOU WILL HAVE TO GO BACK TO YOUR PRIMARY CARE PHYSICIAN.
- Do not plan on working or driving the rest of the day following your procedure due to sedation given during the procedure.
- Plan to be in the facility for up to 3 hours for your procedure.
- If the Surgery Center waiting room is full, there is extra seating available to patients and drivers in the main lobby located in Suite 101.
- Please Provide a contact number for procedure confirmation. (____)_

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