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# FLEXIBLE SIGMOIDOSCOPY PREPARATION INSTRUCTIONS

# YOU WILL BE CALLED THE DAY PRIOR WITH YOUR ARRIVAL TIME

## **FACILITIES:**

- 1. 

  SCHUYLKILL ENDOSCOPY CENTER- Suite 103 Evergreen Professional Bld
- 2. 

  LEHIGH VALLEY SCHUYLKILL EAST East Norwegian St 2nd floor Out Patient Surgery

## **BEFORE YOUR SCHEDULED PROCEDURE:**

- 1. Do not take ASPIRIN seven (7) days before the procedure (Ibuprofen, aleve, naproxen, excedrin, etc)
- 2. Hold PLAVIX AND BRILLINTA for five (5) days before the procedure.
- 3. Stop IRON five (5) days before the procedure (Remember to check multivitamin for iron)
- 4. Hold COUMADIN, PRADAXA, and XARELTO two (2) days prior to the procedure.
- 5. Hold **ELIQUIS** one (1) day prior to the procedure.
- 6. Hold bedtime and morning INSULIN.
- 7. Stop **OZEMPIC** the week before the procedure.

# \*\*\*You will need to purchase one bottle of Citrate of Magnesia and one fleet enema prior to test

### **DAY PRIOR TO PROCEDURE:**

- 1. Drink only clear liquids for entire day. \*YOU MAY HAVE VERY LIGHT BREAKFAST NO LATER THAN 9:00AM (EX: A PIECE OF TOAST, OATMEAL, AN EGG, ETC)
- 2. At 3:00PM drink entire bottle of citrate of magnesia
- 3. Do not take anything by mouth after 10:00PM

### **DAY OF THE PROCEDURE:**

- 1. 2 hours prior to procedure you must do fleets enema
- 2. Take only necessary medications such as heart or blood pressure medication with a sip of water
- 3. Do not take insulin or blood sugar medications the morning of your procedure.
- 4. Do not use any medical or recreational marijuana the morning of your procedure.
- 5. You must take your insurance cards with you.
- 6. You must remove any face and/or tongue piercings
- 7. Someone must accompany you to and from the center since you will not be permitted to drive home.

# IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS PLEASE CALL (570) 622-5555 ASK FOR TRACEY, LOREN, ANJA, DIANE, CAROL, AND AMBER

\*\*\*\*\*IF YOU ARE USING OUR PATIENT PORTAL AND YOU VIEW THE APPOINTMENT, PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT THE TIME LISTED <u>IS NOT</u> YOUR SCHEDULED TIME. THE TIME WILL COME FROM THE FACILITY 1 BUSINESS DAY PRIOR TO THE PROCEDURE. THESE SLOTS ARE THERE JUST TO SHOW THAT YOU ARE SCHEDULED FOR THAT SPECIFIC DAY.\*\*\*\*\*

# **CLEAR LIQUID DIET**

# YOU MAY NOT EAT OR DRINK ANYTHING THAT IS NOT LISTED BELOW:

### \*\*\*AVOID ALL RED & PURPLE LIQUIDS

## The following food are permitted in unlimited amounts:

**LIQUIDS:** Clear consomme, bouillon and/or broth, tea, coffee, decaffeinated beverages,

Postum, gatorade, carbonated beverages.

JUICES: Strained orange and grapefruit juice (only need to strain if it is freshly

squeezed or has pulp in it), cranberry, apple and/or pineapple juice.

**OTHER ITEMS:** Flavored gelatin (Jello), sugar hard crystalline candy, honey, pure sugar candy,

italian ice

# SAMPLE MENU

BREAKFAST LUNCH DINNER

Pineapple Juice Apple Juice Cranberry Juice

Strained Orange Juice Strained Grapefruit Juice Strained Orange Juice

Consomme Bouillon Broth

Gelatin Jello Gelatin

Tea & Lemon (No pulp) Cola Beverage Coffee (without cream)