

YOUR GASTROSCOPY (EGD) IS SCHEDULED FOR:

Gastro Health Physician:	
Arrival Time:	

MetroWest Medical Center	
115 Lincoln St.	
Endoscopy Department, 1st Floor	
Framingham, MA 01702	
503-383-1728	

Boston Endoscopy Center 175 Worcester St. Wellesley, MA 02481 617-936-7693 **Charles River Endoscopy** 571 Union Ave. 2nd Floor, South Entrance Framingham, MA 01702 508-665-4111

When this procedure was scheduled, the insurance on file for you was: __

Appointments missed or cancelled with less than 5 days' notice will result in a \$150 fee in accordance with applicable office policies. There may also be a fee charged by the endoscopy facility.

DAY BEFORE – DO NOT CONSUME SOLID FOOD AFTER 10 PM; YOU MAY HAVE CLEAR LIQUIDS UP UNTIL 4HRS PRIOR TO YOUR PROCEDURE

*With the exception if you take a GLP-1 medication, see below for instructions.

PLEASE REVIEW THE INSTRUCTIONS AT LEAST 1 WEEK PRIOR TO THE PROCEDURE.

It is important that you follow all instructions in this packet carefully.

- If you are taking any blood thinners AND this was NOT discussed with your doctor's office at the time of scheduling the procedure, please call us at least 5 days BEFORE starting the preparation. These include, but are not limited to, Coumadin-(Warfarin), Plavix-(Clopidogrel), Xarelto-(Rivaroxaban), Pradaxa-(Dabigatran), Eliquis-(Apixaban), Arixtra-(Fondaparinux), Effient-(Prasugrel).
- If you are taking any **Insulin AND** this was **NOT** discussed with your doctor's office at the time of scheduling the procedure, **please call your prescribing physician at least 5 days BEFORE** starting the preparation.
- You must stop any iron preparations (including in Multivitamins) for 5 days BEFORE the procedure.
- If you are taking any of the following GLP-1 medications: Dulaglutide-(Trulicity), Liraglutide-(Saxenda), Exenatide-(Byetta, Bydureon Bcise), Tirzepatide-(Mounjaro, Zepbound), Semaglutide-(Ozempic, Wegovy, Reybelsus), Lixisenatide-(Adlyxin), Albiglutide-(Tanzeum), you must consume clear liquids ONLY for 24h prior to your scheduled procedure. NO SOLID FOOD! This is new! Failure to follow this instruction will result in your procedure being cancelled and all cancellation fees being charged.
- IF YOU ARE DIABETIC, DO NOT take your diabetic pills the day of the endoscopy.
- YOU MUST CONTINUE TO TAKE ALL your other medications every day prior to the endoscopy. It is OK to take them with a small sip of water on the day of your endoscopy.
- You can **continue** aspirin, Tylenol and any NSAIDS (Ibuprofen, Motrin, Aleve, Naproxen, Celebrex, Mobic).
- Please plan to have someone drive you home after the procedure. You will not be allowed to drive yourself home. You cannot take an Uber, Lyft, taxi, or public transportation home from your procedure without an adult companion.

Please call us if you have any questions or if you are having difficulty with the preparation 508-620-9200.