

2 DAY PREP INSTRUCTIONS FOR COLONOSCOPY WITH MIRALAX

YOUR COLONOSCOPY IS SCHEDULED FOR:

Date of Procedure:
Arrival Time:
Provider:
Facility Name/Address:
Phone:

Missed appointments or appointments that are cancelled without a 72 hour notice, may be subject to a fee.

PLEASE REVIEW THE INSTRUCTIONS <u>AT LEAST 7 DAYS PRIOR</u> TO THE PROCEDURE.

USE THESE PREPARATION INSTRUCTIONS. DO NOT USE ANY OTHER INSTRUCTIONS.



IT IS IMPORTANT THAT YOU FOLLOW THESE DIRECTIONS CAREFULLY AND COMPLETE THE ENTIRE PREPARATION TO ENSURE THE MOST EFFECTIVE CLEANSING.

- If you are taking blood thinners, insulin or oral medications for diabetes, please let our office know and call the prescribing physician for special dosing instructions.
- Please make sure that you have a responsible adult with you upon arrival at the facility. This adult must stay at the facility during the procedure and drive you home afterwards. You will be unable to drive due to the sedation you will receive. You may not take a Lyft, Uber or other public transportation to or from the facility.

YOU WILL NEED TO PURCHASE THESE ITEMS AHEAD OF TIME:

- One bottle of Miralax (4 oz)
- Prescription laxative from the pharmacy

7 DAYS PRIOR TO PROCEDURE

• Stop taking oral Iron supplements. Multivitamins are ok to continue

3 DAYS PRIOR TO PROCEDURE

• Stop eating raw fruits, vegetables, nuts, seeds and beans

2 DAYS PRIOR TO PROCEDURE

- You may have a regular diet all day, but eat a light dinne
- At 6pm, combine the Miralax with 32 oz of clear liquid. Mix well
- Drink 8oz every 15 minutes until gone

1 DAY PRIOR TO PROCEDURE

- You may have clear liquids only.
 - Examples include: water, black coffee (sugar is ok), tea, broth, soda, apple juice, Gatorade, Kool-Aid, Jell-O and popsicles
- DO NOT CONSUME ANY DAIRY PRODUCTS OR ANYTHING THAT IS RED, ORANGE, PURPLE OR BLUE
- It is important to drink additional clear liquids before starting and your prep, as well as during, to maintain adequate hydration

FOLLOW INSTRUCTIONS GIVEN TO YOU FROM PHARMACY FOR REMAINING INSTRUCTIONS

YOU MUST COMPLETE ALL STEPS AND STOP ALL LIQUIDS 4 HOURS PRIOR TO YOUR ARRIVAL.