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OSMO-PREP

DATE OF COLONOSCOPY: _____

DATE OF BLOODWORK: _____

Appointment time must be after 10a.m.

FACILITY: _____

SOMEONE MUST DRIVE YOU HOME FROM THE FACILITY THE DAY OF YOUR PROCEDURE !!!

****WE DO NOT HAVE PROCEDURE TIMES UNTIL THE DAY PRIOR TO YOUR SCHEDULED TEST****

If your procedure is at OCEAN MEDICAL CENTER, our office will call you the day prior with your procedure time. If you are scheduled for a Monday, we will call you on the Friday before. If you do not hear from us the day prior by 3:00pm, please call **732.458.8300 Ext 220** and ask for Lori and she will give you your procedure time. They are located at 425 Jack Martin Blvd, Brick, NJ 08724, 732.840.2200.*

*When reporting to OCEAN MEDICAL CENTER, please use the free parking garage for patients and visitors, UNLESS you would like to use the free Valet Parking which is located on Jack Martin Blvd. Main Entrance (opened from 7am to 5pm Mon – Fri) to report to the Same Day Surgery Unit, go to Parking Lot C (by the parking garage) go through the double glass doors and give the receptionist your name and they will direct you where you need to be.

If your procedure is at SHORE OUTPATIENT SURGERY CENTER, that facility will call you the day before to inform you of your procedure time. **If you have not heard from them by 1:00pm, please call them at 732.942.9835.** Their address is 360 Route 70, Lakewood, NJ 08701. They are in the same parking lot with STS Tire, across from Charlie Brown Restaurant.

If your procedure is at SEASHORE SURGICAL INSTITUTE, that facility will call you the day before to inform you of your procedure time. If you have not heard from them, please call **732.836.9800.** They are located at 495 Jack Martin Blvd, Brick, NJ 08724.

If your procedure is at JERSEY SHORE AMBULATORY CARE CENTER, that facility will call you the day before to inform you of your procedure time. If you have not heard from them, please call **732.776.4600.** They are located at 1945 Route 33, Neptune NJ 07754. When reporting to JSACC, report to the second floor and give receptionist your name, they will direct you to where you need to be.

If your procedure is at ADVANCED ENDOSCOPY AND SURGICAL CENTER, that facility will call you the day before to inform you of your procedure time. If you have not heard from them, please call **732.935.0031.** If your procedure is on a Monday, they will call you on Friday. They are located at 142 Route 35, Suite 101, Eatontown, NJ 07724.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT YOUR PROCEDURE, PLEASE CALL 732.458.8300 X 220 AND ASK FOR LORI.

OSMO Prep

PROCEDURE DATE: _____

Appointment time must be after 10a.m.

Day before your colonoscopy: You will be on a clear liquid diet starting at 7am the day prior to you procedure; **CLEAR LIQUID DIET LISTED BELOW**

- Juices without pulp, white/clear (apple, grape, cranberry, lemonade)
- Water (flavored water is ok)
- Soda or Non-carbonated soft drinks.
- All types of teas (hot and cold)
- Clear Broth/Bouillon.
- Plain Jell-O (NO RED/NO PURPLE)
- Ice Pops (NO RED/NO PURPLE)
- Gatorades (NO RED/NO PURPLE)
- NO MILK/NO MILK PRODUCTS

Follow these instructions for colon preparation:

The day BEFORE your Procedure _____

NOTE: 20 tablets will be taken starting at 5pm the night before your procedure.

The Remaining 12 will be taken the morning of the procedure starting at 5a.m.

During your OsmoPrep Please Drink plenty of clear liquids throughout the day to stay well hydrated.

1. At 5:00 p.m. Take 4 OSMOPREP tablets **every 15 minutes** and follow each set of 4 with at least **8 oz** of any clear liquid Take the last set of 4 OSMOPREP tablets with 12 oz of clear carbonated beverage (Ginger Ale, Seltzer). **When you have taken a total of 20 tablets STOP!**

The Morning of your procedure: _____

2. **The morning of your procedure** Starting at 5:00a.m. Resume taking the remaining **12** OSMOPREP tablets by taking 4 tablets every 15 minutes with at least 8 oz of a clear liquid. Take the last set of 4 tablets with 12 oz carbonated beverage to activate them.
3. Please take your regular A.M. dose of any heart or blood pressure medication with a sip of water.
4. Your prep is now complete, **DO NOT** continue your clear liquid diet from this point on. **Liquids are NOT to be consumed 3 hours prior to your arrival time for your procedure because anesthesia cannot be administered.**
(Note: failure to take the prep as indicated below may result in a poorly cleansed colon and possible cancellation of the procedure).

WARNING **NO LIQUIDS** at least 3 hours prior to your procedure. Liquids are NOT to be consumed within 3 hours prior to your arrival time for your procedure; failure to heed this warning could result in cancellation of your procedure by the anesthesiologist and/or the gastroenterologist.

**IMPORTANT INFORMATION, PLEASE REVIEW AT LEAST ONE (1) WEEK PRIOR
TO YOUR SCHEDULED PROCEDURE**

**FAILURE TO DO THE FOLLOWING COULD RESULT IN CANCELLATION AND/OR RESCHEDULING
OF YOUR PROCEDURE.**

You should have informed the office if you are a Diabetic/if you are on Dialysis/have a defibrillator/pacemaker/heart valve replacement/ history of heart valve infection/Mitro valve prolapse/or any recent changes in your medical history.

Please stop taking aspirin, Iron supplements, Multi-Vitamins with Iron, arthritis medications, vitamin E and Ginko Biloba seven (7) days prior to your scheduled colonoscopy. If you have not done this, please call our office for reassurance. **Tylenol may be taken if needed.**

Please **stop** taking any **blood thinners**, (Coumadin/Plavix/Presantine) _____ days prior to your procedure. (Please **CHECK WITH THE PHYSICIAN THAT PRESCRIBES** these to you; to obtain the **medical clearance** to temporarily discontinue these meds prior to your procedure. If you have not done this, please call our office for reassurance.

PLEASE STOP TAKING ALL DIURETIC MEDICATIONS, (Lasix, Furosemide, Spironolactone, Aldactone, Etc.) the day prior to your colonoscopy. **If your Blood Pressure Medication Contains a Diuretic, it is ok to take that.**

DO NOT STOP TAKING YOUR HEART OR BLOOD PRESSURE MEDICATIONS PRIOR TO YOUR PROCEDURE. YOU ARE INSTRUCTED TO TAKE THEM THE MORNING OF YOUR PROCEDURE WITH A SIP OF WATER.

- ❖ Please **CALL YOUR INSURANCE COMPANY** so you are aware of any costs that you may be responsible for. All procedures are done on **OUTPATIENT** basis. It is ultimately the Patients responsibility to be familiar with your own individual personal insurance policy information/benefits.

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Please be aware...DO NOT WEAR ANY JEWELRY TO YOUR PROCEDURE. The facility is not responsible if these items are misplaced/lost.

- *Please remember that someone MUST drive you home after your procedure.**

Bring a list of current medications with you on the day of your procedure.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact our office at **732.458.8300 x 220** and ask for Lori.