

Medications:

- Contact your prescribing provider for instructions regarding your **blood thinning medications**, such as: Aggrenox, Brilinta, Coumadin, Eliquis, Plavix, Pradaxa, and Xarelto, Warfarin etc.
- **Diabetic Patients**: Contact your prescribing provider for directions regarding your diabetes medications.

DO NOT stop taking these mediations until directed by your prescribing provider

One Week Prior:

- Continue taking Aspirin products (including baby aspirin 81mg) unless directed otherwise by your provider or nursing staff.
- Stop taking anti-inflammatory products such as: Aleve, Excedrin, Ibuprofen, Alk-Seltzer, etc. **Tylenol (Acetaminophen) is allowed if needed**
- Stop taking ALL over the counter supplements and vitamins.
- Stop taking GLP-1 medications (daily, weekly, oral, injectables) **EXCEPT those mixed with insulin** a minimum of **7 days prior to procedure (not including date of procedure).**

0	Phentermine	0	Wegovy
0	Ozempic	0	Trulicity
0	Mounjaro	0	Saxenda
0	Victoza	0	Byetta
0	Bydureon	0	Others as directed by medical staff

Avoid eating: seeds, nuts, granola, corn, quinoa, and popcorn.

3-4 Days Prior:

• Stop taking SLGT2 as listed below:

- Jardiance
- Invokana
- o Farxiga
- Synjardy
- Steglatro (hold 4 days prior)

You are responsible for contacting your prescribing provider for holding instructions for all other prescription medications.

One Day Before Procedure:

- **CLEAR LIQUIDS ONLY -** no solid food
 - Allowed
 - Clear Fat-Free Broth (any flavor)
 - Tea or Coffee (no creamer or dairy) sugar/honey are ok
 - Clear juices apple, white grape
 - Carbonated beverages Coke, Pepsi, Ginger-Ale, 7UP, Sprite, Ice flavored water
 - Gatorade or other sports drinks
 - Flavored gelatin (Jello)
 - Popsicles (without milk or fruit pieces)
 - Electrolyte Water Propel, Smartwater, Fuji Water
 - Clear Ensure NOT chocolate, strawberry, or vanilla

NOTHING THAT IS RED, BLUE, OR PURPLE

- NOT Allowed
 - No dairy products (including oat and soy milk)
 - No alcohol
 - No juices with pulp (orange, pineapple, grapefruit, including lemonade)

It is important that you drink fluids and stay well hydrated prior to your procedure.

You MUST remain on a clear liquid diet until after your procedure

- Medications:
 - You must stop erectile dysfunction medications 24 hours prior including Viagra and Cialis

Bowel Prep:

Follow these instructions - DO NOT FOLLOW INSTRUCTIONS ON THE BOX

SuTab instructions:

For your procedure you will take one half of the prep the evening before the test, and the other half the day of the test.

Dose one: at 5 pm Fill the provided container with 16oz of water and swallow each tablet (12) from the first bottle of pills with a sip of water and drink the entire container over 15-20 minutes. Approximately 1 hour after the last tablet is swallowed fill the container again with 16oz of water and drink the entire amount over 30 minutes, and repeat with another 16oz of water in 30 minutes.

** It is very important to consume all water as directed for prep to be effective **

DAY OF PROCEDURE:

<u>Dose two:</u> 6 hours before your ARRIVAL time, repeat above directions using the second bottle of tablets (12). Please drink additional clear liquids (water, black coffee - <u>without</u> milk or cream, apple juice, soda pop or club soda) until 4 hours prior to your ARRIVAL start time.

Day of Procedure:

- Stop all nicotine products (including ZYN pouches), stop all vaping, do not chew gum, or have hard candies/mints
- ONLY CLEAR LIQUIDS- no solid food
 - Water
 - o Black coffee (no creamer or dairy products) sugar/honey are ok
 - o Apple juice
 - o Clear soda 7Up, Sprite, club soda

NOTHING BY MOUTH 4 HOURS PRIOR TO ARRIVAL OR YOUR CASE WILL BE CANCELLED

You should expect to spend up to 2 1/2 - 3 hours in our procedures unit, longer if you are scheduled to have an additional test done on the same day.

Transportation:

- Driving is not allowed after a procedure with sedation/anesthesia.
- It is required that you identify a driver for transporting you home. If you are unable to identify a driver, please let us know as soon as possible as your procedure may need to be cancelled/rescheduled.

Care at Home:

• For your safety, it is recommended that you have a responsible adult with you for 8-24 hours after a procedure to support you in the case of a complication or medication side effect.

It is the responsibility of the patient to understand if your procedure is covered - including difference between screening and diagnostic. Please contact your insurance carrier for further benefit coverage information.

If you have questions or must reschedule/cancel your procedure, please call **GI - 541-706-4220**. **We request a minimum 72-hour notice for all cancellations and reschedules**.