

Extended Miralax Prep

<u>Purchase at Pharmacy</u>: (All over the counter)

- 1. 4 Dulcolax laxative tablets
- 2. Small bottle Milk of Magnesia
- 3. Miralax 238 gram bottle
- 4. 10 oz. bottle Magnesium Citrate
- 5. 64 oz. Gatorade or Crystal Lite any flavor EXCEPT red, water or any of the "clear liquids" listed at bottom of sheet.

7 days prior to the procedure:

Restricted residue diet. Do <u>NOT</u> eat nuts, seeds, popcorn or corn. Discontinue fiber supplements such as Metamucil, Citrucel, Fibercon, etc.

3 days prior to the procedure:

Take 2 Tbsp. Milk of Magnesia at bedtime.

2 days prior to the procedure:

At 6pm: Take entire 10 oz. bottle Magnesium Citrate.

At bedtime: Take 2 Tbsp. Milk of Magnesia.

1 day prior to the procedure:

- 1. You will be on clear liquids from time you awaken (for breakfast, lunch and dinner) See list below for clear liquids.
- 2. At 3:00 pm: Take 2 Dulcolax tablets.
- 3. At 5:00pm: Mix the entire 238 gram bottle of Miralax with your 64 oz. clear fluid. Mix until dissolved. Drink an 8 oz. glass every 30 minutes until the solution is gone. It is important that you complete the ENTIRE mixture.
- 4. At 8:00pm: Take 2 Dulcolax tablets.
- 5. Continue on clear liquids until bedtime.

On the day of the procedure:

Do not eat or drink anything this day.

** If you take medications, you will be advised as to whether you should take them or hold them until after the procedure.

NO DRIVING!!! You may <u>NOT</u> drive; use a taxi or bus after the procedure. You must be accompanied by an adult. If this procedure is not followed, the facility may cancel your appointment.

<u>Clear Liquid Diet</u>: Clear broth soup, bouillon or consommé. Coffee and tea are allowed but NO dairy, milk or cream, this includes powdered creamers. All soda is allowed. Juice: <u>NO RED</u> juices. Allowed: apple, white grape, white cranberry juices and strained lemonade. You may have Italian ice, popsicles and Jell-O (NOT RED).