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STEP1: THE DAY BEFORE YOUR PROCEDURE:

• At **7:00am** begin drinking clear liquids from the moment that you wake up. Drink 8oz of fluids every hour to prevent dehydration. <u>Please take all your normal medications.</u>

STEP 2: IF YOUR COLONOSCOPY ARRIVAL TIME IS 10:30 AM OR EARLIER:

- A. At **5:00pm**, fill the dosing cup provided with cold water up to the lower (5 oz) line on the cup.
- B. Pour the contents of ONE (1) Packet and *stir for 2-3 minutes* until dissolved. Drink the entire contents of the cup.
- C. Follow with FIVE (5) 8-ounce glasses of clear liquids of your choice (except no red dye), taken at your own pace within the next 5 hours.
- D. At **11:00pm**, repeat steps **A** and **B**.
- E. Follow with THREE (3) 8-ounce glasses of clear liquids of your choice (except no red dye) within the next hour. **After 12:15 am (midnight) nothing more to eat or drink**.

STEP 2: IF YOUR COLONOSCOPY ARRIVAL TIME IS AFTER 10:30 AM:

- A. At **8:00pm**, the evening before your test, fill the dosing cup provided with cold water to the lower (5 oz) line on the cup.
- B. Pour the content of ONE (1) packet and *stir for 2-3 minutes* until dissolved. Drink the entire contents of the cup.
- C. Follow with FIVE (5) 8-ounce glasses of clear liquids of your choice (except no red dye), taken at your own pace within the next 5 hours.
- D. At **6:00am**, repeat steps **A** and **B**.
- E. Follow with (3) three 8-ounce glasses of clear liquids of your choice (except no red dye) within the next hour. **After 7:15am, nothing more to eat or drink (except morning meds)**.

*** IF YOU ARE DIABETIC TAKE NO ORAL DRUGS THE DAY BEFORE AND THE MORNING OF YOUR PROCEDURE. IF YOU TAKE INSULIN TAKE ½ DOSE OF INSULIN THE DAY BEFORE THE TEST AND NONE THE DAY OF TEST.***

IF YOU ARE ON BLOOD THINNERS PLEASE ASK YOUR PHYSICIAN ABOUT STOPPING THEM

Also: The morning of your procedure: THIS IS IMPORTANT!

- Take all heart and blood pressure medicine with a small sip of water
- Take asthma medication
- Take all morning medications with a small sip of water