



GOLYTELY

Bowel Prep Instructions

READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS UPON RECEIPT

5 DAYS PRIOR:

- If you have not received your GOLYTELY prep, please call your doctor's office.
 - If you are taking a blood thinning medication, follow your doctor's instructions on holding or continuing this medication.
 - Stop all stool formers (Metamucil, FiberCon, Citrucel), vitamins and iron, but continue your other medications.
-

2 DAYS PRIOR:

- Stop eating nuts, seeds, and raw vegetables.
-

1 DAY PRIOR:

- **Only consume clear liquids.**
 - Do not eat solid food until after your procedure.
 - No milk or milk products, no soy or non-dairy creamer, no juice pulp, no alcohol, and nothing red or purple in color.
 - Mix all the powder into the gallon of water and refrigerate.
-

EVENING PRIOR TO COLONOSCOPY AT 5 PM:

- Shake the mixture and begin drinking the **1st dose** of Golytely Solution.
 - Drink half (1/2) of the gallon; drink a half cup of mixture every five (5) minutes until half of prep is gone.
 - Drink quickly rather than drinking small amounts continuously.
 - A watery bowel movement should begin in approximately one (1) hour.
 - After drinking your prep, you may continue drinking non-colored liquids (water, 7 up, Sprite, Ginger Ale).
 - Continue clear liquid diet.
-

DAY OF COLONOSCOPY: 5 HOURS PRIOR TO YOUR PROCEDURE ARRIVAL TIME:

- Drink the **2nd dose** of Golytely Solution.
- Drink last half (1/2) of the gallon; drink a half cup of mixture every five (5) minutes until it is gone.
- Drink quickly rather than drinking small amounts continuously.
- It is very important you drink all of your prep to optimize the quality of your exam.
- If you experience nausea or vomiting during your prep, stop for 15 minutes; then resume at a slower pace.



GOLYTELY

Bowel Prep Instructions

3 HOURS PRIOR TO YOUR PROCEDURE ARRIVAL TIME:

- Take all other morning medication with a small sip of water at least 3 hours prior.
 - **Do not chew gum or tobacco.**
 - **You must stop drinking water.**
-

TRANSPORTATION:

- Bring someone with you that can safely drive you home. No taxi's, ride shares or public transportation, unless you are accompanied by a family member or friend.
-

CANCEL OR RESCHEDULE:

- Please let us know at least 3 business days, prior to your appointment, if you need to cancel or reschedule to avoid a late notice fee.
-

SMOKING (CIGARETTE, CIGAR, PIPE, MARIJUANA, VAPOR, CHEW TOBACCO) NICOTINE PATCH OK TO USE:

- Please do not smoke, on the date of the procedure, until after your procedure.

CALL 210-614-1234 IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS