SUFLAVE Colonoscopy Preparation Instructions

READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS UPON RECEIPT

5 DAYS PRIOR:

- If you have not received your SUFLAVE prep, please call your doctor's office.
- Stop all stool formers (Metamucil, FiberCon, Citrucel), vitamins, and iron, but continue your other medications.
- If you are on blood thinners, plan to stop them according to the instructions provided, 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.
- Drink at least eight 8oz glasses of clear liquid (64oz) during the day prior to starting your prep.

EVENING PRIOR TO COLONOSCOPY AT 5-6 PM:

- 1. Pour one (1) packet and pour the contents into 1 bottle.
- 2. Fill the provided bottle with lukewarm water up to the fill line and gently shake the bottle until dissolved.
- 3. Drink 8 ounces of solution every 15 minutes until bottle is empty.
- 4. Drink an additional 16 ounces of water during the evening.
- 5. Continue clear liquid diet as above (NO SOLID FOOD).

DAY OF COLONOSCOPY, REMAIN ON A CLEAR LIQUID DIET: 5 HOURS PRIOR TO YOUR PROCEDURE ARRIVAL TIME:

- 1. Pour one (1) packet and pour the contents into 1 bottle.
- 2. Fill the provided bottle with lukewarm water up to the fill line and gently shake the bottle until dissolved.
- 3. Drink 8 ounces of solution every 15 minutes until bottle is empty.
- 4. Drink an additional 16 ounces of water during the morning.

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3 HOURS PRIOR TO YOUR PROCEDURE ARRIVAL TIME:

- Stop drinking all liquids.
- Take all other morning medication with a small sip of water 3 hours prior.
- Do not drink anything else after this time.

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.

NO CHEWING TOBACCO OR SMOKING (CIGARETTE, CIGAR, PIPE, MARIJUANA, VAPOR):

• Please do not smoke or chew tobacco on the date of the procedure, until after your procedure. Nicotine Patch OK.