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## **CLENPIQ BOWEL PREPARATION - DAY BEFORE AND DAY OF YOUR PROCEDURE**

• Clenpiq RX has been sent to your pharmacy of choice

## 7 days prior to the procedure:

- 1. **PLEASE DISCONTINUE** all blood thinning and anti-inflammatory medications. This includes, but not limited to, Coumadin, Plavix. Also, discontinue any NSAID's (nonsteroidal anti-inflammatory drugs) such as, but not limited to, aspirin, aspirin type products, Ibuprofen, Aleve, Advil, etc.

  \*\*TYLENOL MAY BE TAKEN\*\*
- 2. If your doctor has prescribed any of the medications listed above, please consult with your doctor before discontinuing.
- 3. If you are diabetic, check with your primary care doctor regarding diet and medication instructions.

# 3 days prior to the procedure:

- 1. AVOID- Corn, Nuts, popcorn, foods with seeds, and large amounts of red meat.
- 2. Drink plenty of liquids to be well hydrated. This will be helpful for the tolerance of the colonoscopy prep.

## Day before the procedure: SUN MON TUES WED THURS FRI

### Do not drink alcohol

- 1. Do not eat any solid food. **ONLY** consume clear liquids.
- 2. <u>Between 4-6pm:</u> Drink **ONE** bottle of CLENPIQ solution. Follow with **5 cups (40oz)** or more of a clear liquid of your choice.



- 3. **CONTINUE** clear liquids throughout the night.
- 4. If the procedure is **BEFORE 12:00 PM** (NOON): <u>Between 7-9pm:</u> Drink the **other bottle** of CLENPIQ solution. Follow with **4 cups (32oz)** or more of a clear liquid of your choice.

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<u>If the procedure is **AFTER 12:00 PM** (NOON)</u>. 6 hours prior to your procedure time (day of procedure) – Drink the other bottle of CLENPIQ solution. Follow with **4 cups (32oz)** or more of a clear liquid of your choice within **two hours**.



## **Day of Procedure:**

You will continue a clear liquid diet up until **FOUR HOURS** prior to your scheduled procedure time.



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Take your usual blood pressure and heart medication prior to fasting period. If you have asthma, please bring your inhalers with you.

**Patients with Diabetes:** Decrease Insulin dose by 1/3-1/2 on the day of the bowel preparation, and NO Insulin on the day of the procedure. Patients on Oral Diabetes meds: NO Oral Diabetes Meds on the morning of the procedure day.

You will need to be close to a bathroom. You will have progressively looser bowel movements over the next several hours. Individual responses to laxatives vary. This preparation will cause multiple bowel movements. Consider using **Vaseline**, **Aquaphor or diaper rash cream/zinc oxide** around the anal opening before starting the prep and after each bowel movement to minimize irritation from passing many bowel movements.

Make arrangements for a responsible adult 18+ or medical transport to drive you home after your colonoscopy. You may NOT use a bus, taxi, or a rideshare application such as an Uber, without a responsible adult to accompany you to your home. You are NOT to drive for the remainder of the day. Please expect to spend up to 3 hours (from check in time) at the facility.

### **CLEAR LIQUID DIET**

#### **Beverages:**

Coffee (no cream)

Tea

7UP / Sprite/ Ginger Ale
Apple Juice/ White grape juice
Lemon-Lime Gatorade / Crystal Light

Lemonade

### Soups:

Bouillon

Fat Free chicken broth

Clear broth

### **Sweets & Desserts:**

Apple sauce

Honey

Sugar

Green/Yellow/ White Popsicles

**Butterscotch Candy** 

Hard Candy (Green, Yellow, or Clear)

Jolly Ranchers (Green, Yellow, or Clear)

Jell-o (Plain, Lemon Lime, or Pineapple (no chunks))

NO RED, PURPLE, OR BLUE DYES
NO SOLID FOODS

**CLEAR LIQUIDS ONLY** 

Deviating from this diet will prevent adequate preparation of the colon for the exam and can result in needing to repeat the procedure at a later date.