

## **Preparation Instructions: Colonoscopy (Spilt- Dose) SUPREP**

Seven (7) days before your procedure	
STOP: (Unless otherwise instructed by your	Take:
physician)	All regular medications (especially blood
<ul> <li>Iron, Multivitamin with Iron, fish oil, Omega 3 and Vitamin E</li> <li>NSAIDs including: Aspirin, Ibuprofen (Motrin, Advil), Naproxen (Aleve, Naprosyn), Goody's, and similar medications.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>pressure/cardiac, seizure, cholesterol, anxiety and pain medications etc.</li> <li>Acetaminophen (Tylenol).</li> </ul>

✓ Blood thinners such as Plavix, Warfarin (Coumadin), Heparin, Lovenox, Aggrenox or Pletal, please consult your physician about stopping these medications before the procedure.
 ✓ Recent blood work may be necessary before your procedure date.

The day before your procedure	
STOP: (In addition to above)	Can Have:
<ul> <li>DO NOT eat any solid food (food you cannot see through).</li> <li>DO NOT drink any liquids you cannot see through (milk, cream, soup and Coke etc).</li> <li>Do not drink any liquids that are the colors red, blue or purple (It will alter the test).</li> </ul>	Water and clear liquids (ANYTHING THAT YOU CAN SEE THROUGH, such as chicken broth, beef broth, vegetable broth, jello, popsicles, tea, coffee (no cream), apple juice, white grape juice, Gatorade, water and clear sodas).

Day of your procedure: NO FOOD OR DRINK!	
Do Not Take:	Take:
Do not eat or drink anything the morning of	If you are on blood pressure, heart, pain or
your procedure. Except the bowel preparation	seizure medications please take them at 6 AM
as instructed.	with a small sip of water. If you are diabetic,
Do not take any medications until after your	check your blood sugar. If greater than 200,
procedure except blood pressure, heart, or	take ½ of your morning insulin. Your blood
seizure medications (see right).	sugar will be checked before your procedure.
Do not take Diabetic pills.	

1<sup>st</sup> Dose: 6pm pour (1) 6 ounce bottle of SUPREP into the provided container. Add water to the 16 ounce line and mix. Drink all the liquid in the container and (2) additional 16 ounce containers of water over the next hour. 2<sup>nd</sup> Dose: 2am pour the other 6 ounce bottle of SUPREP into the container. Add water to the 16 ounce line and mix. Drink all the liquid and (2) additional 16 ounce containers of water over the next hour. Do not drink anything once prep is completed. The bowel preparation medication may cause cramping, diarrhea and nausea. If so, rest for 20-25 minutes and then start again.

## You MUST have someone with you to drive you home. Your procedure will not be performed unless you have a ride. Only if you have an escort may you leave by taxi. (Call with questions: 904-244-3735)