Gastroenterology Specialties, PC Modified 2-Day Prep with Moviprep – Dr. G. Varilek

**IMPORTANT COLONOSCOPY DIET & PREP INSTRUCTIONS **

Admit Time: Please check in 45 minutes prior to your procedure time.

General instructions for Colonoscopy

- 1. You will be contacted the week prior to the procedure to review your medical history, unless you have been seen in the office within 30 days.
- 2. Have a list of your medications available when the nurse calls. Medication instructions will be given to you at that time.
 - -- Blood thinning medications such as Warfarin (Coumadin), Plavix, Pletal, Heparin, Aggrenox or Effient MAY need to be held for 5 days prior to the procedure.
- 3. Do not stop any medications prior to your procedure unless you have been instructed to do so.
- 4. The prescription for your bowel prep will be sent to the pharmacy of your choice after you have been contacted for medical history and instructions.

2 DAYS PRIOR TO YOUR PROCEDURE:

- 1.**CLEAR LIQUIDS ONLY** beginning at 5:00 PM. Clear liquids include water, broth, clear juices without pulp, black coffee, tea, sports drinks, flavored waters, Kool-Aid, soda and Jell-O (no fruit or toppings). Nothing red, blue or purple colored. **NO** SOLID FOODS, MILK OR DAIRY PRODUCTS.
- 2. At 7:00PM, drink 1 bottle of Magnesium Citrate (available without a prescription).

THE DAY PRIOR TO YOUR PROCEDURE

1. Continue the clear liquid diet for **THE ENTIRE DAY**. Drink as much as possible throughout the day.

2. MOVIPREP INSTRUCTIONS:

- The morning before your procedure, empty 1 packet A and 1 packet B into the plastic container provided. Fill to the top line with lukewarm water, stir & refrigerate.
- Begin drinking Moviprep at 5:00PM. Drink an 8oz glass every 15 minutes until gone. Once gone, empty the second packets A & B into the container and fill with lukewarm water, stir & refrigerate.
- Continue to drink clear liquids to prevent dehydration. Drink at least 16oz of clear liquids of your choice after completing first container of Moviprep.

THE DAY OF YOUR PROCEDURE:

- 1. Three (3) hours before your check-in time, begin drinking 2nd container of Moviprep. Drink an 8oz glass every 15 minutes until gone. Follow with at least 16oz of clear liquid of your choice.
- 2. You may continue the clear liquid diet until 2 hours prior to your procedure, and then stop drinking.
- 3. Take only the medications you have been instructed to take prior to your procedure.
- 4. If you are diabetic, check your blood sugar before you come and bring the result with you.
- 5. You **MUST** bring a responsible adult to drive you home after your procedure. No public transportation.
- 6. Please review your post-procedure instructions before resuming any medications.