

## ERCP: PREPARATION INSTRUCTIONS – DR. BENITEZ

YOU HAVE BEEN SCHEDULED FOR A DIAGNOSTIC PROCEDURE CALLED AN  
ENDOSCOPICRETROGRADECHOLANGIOPANCREATOGRAPHY (ERCP) TO BE PERFORMED ON

\_\_\_\_\_ AT \_\_\_\_\_ ARRIVAL TIME \_\_\_\_\_

YOU WILL NEED TO REPORT TO \_\_\_\_\_ PARKWEST HOSP. ADMITTING  
\_\_\_\_\_ FT. LOUDON HOSP. REGISTRATION (ER/REG DESK)

LATE ARRIVALS MAY RESULT IN UP TO A 2-HOUR DELAY FOR YOUR PROCEDURE.

### PRE-PROCEDURE INSTRUCTIONS:

1. TAKE NOTHING BY MOUTH AFTER MIDNIGHT ON THE NIGHT PRIOR TO OR THE MORNING OF YOUR PROCEDURE.
2. MEDICATIONS:
  - IF YOU HAVE SPECIFIC MEDICAL PROBLEMS SUCH AS SEVERE HIGH BLOOD PRESSURE OR ANGINA, YOU MAY TAKE YOUR MORNING PILLS WITH A SMALL SIP OF WATER EARLY ON THE DAY OF YOUR TEST. IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING OTHER MEDICATIONS PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE.

#### 7 DAYS PRIOR:

Trulicity  
Ozempic  
Mounjaro  
Bydureon bcise  
Byetta  
Victoza, Saxenda  
Adlyxin  
Rybelsus

### MEDICATIONS TO STOP PRIOR TO PROCEDURE

#### 7 DAYS PRIOR:

Aspirin  
Effient  
Fish Oil

#### 5 DAYS PRIOR:

Iron Supplements  
Coumadin  
Warfarin  
Brilinta  
Plavix

#### 3 DAYS PRIOR:

Pradaxa  
Eliquis  
Savaysa  
Xarelto

#### 2 DAYS PRIOR:

Ibuprofen  
Naproxen  
Meloxicam  
Anti-inflammatory

IF YOU NEED TO TAKE ANTIBIOTICS OR IF YOU HAVE A PROSTHETIC HEART VALVE, PLEASE CONTACT THE OFFICE IMMEDIATELY.

### 3. BRING SOMEONE ALONG WITH YOU TO DRIVE YOU HOME.

YOU WILL BE SEDATED BEFORE THE EXAMINATION. WHILE MOST OF THE EFFECTS OF THE MEDICINE WILL WEAR OFF PRIOR TO YOUR DISCHARGE, WE CANNOT LET YOU LEAVE UNACCOMPANIED. YOU WILL NOT BE ABLE TO DRIVE A CAR THE REMAINDER OF THE DAY.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS OR HAVE AN EMERGENCY ON THE DAY OF YOUR EXAM SUCH THAT IT MUST BE RESCHEDULED, PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE AT 865-539-5372 OPT 2.

**PLEASE LEAVE ALL VALUABLES AT HOME**