GoLYTELY Bowel Preparation

Planning for your Procedure

\	When	What to do
5	days before your procedure	 Pick up the prescription for GoLYTELY from your pharmacy. GoLYTELY is powder inside a large container. Do not eat nuts, seeds, whole wheat bread, beans, corn, raw fruits and vegetables with seeds or skin for 5 days before your procedure.
0	day before your procedure	 Do not eat any solid food. Only drink clear liquids, nothing red or purple. No alcohol. Clear liquids include: - water - apple juice - Jell-O - ginger ale - Gatorade - popsicles - Sprite, Sierra Mist - lemonade - broth GoLYTELY may taste better if it is cold. Prepare and refrigerate GoLYTELY a few hours in advance. Step 1: Add clear liquids up to the fill line on the container. Step 2: Mix well to dissolve the powder. Step 3: Put the container in the refrigerator.
	5:00 PM	 Drink 1 glass of GoLYTELY every 15 minutes until only half of the container is left. Put the container back into the refrigerator. Stool must be clear, liquid and without any solid material for your procedure.
6	hours before your procedure	 Drink 1 glass of GoLYTELY every 15 minutes until the entire container is empty. Take your approved medications with a small sip of water at least 2 hours before your procedure, unless otherwise directed by your provider. If you take diabetic medications, follow instructions given by your provider.
2	hours before your procedure	Stop drinking any liquids.

If you have any questions, please call us at (312) 942-5861.

