

## Magnesium Citrate Colonoscopy Prep

<u>At least two days before your procedure:</u> You will need to purchase <u>two (2)</u> 10 oz bottles of Magnesium Citrate (no cherry flavored) and **6** dulcolax pills, both which are over the counter.

The day before your procedure: NO solid food and only clear liquids for breakfast, lunch and dinner. See examples of clear liquids at the bottom of the page.

- 1. At twelve noon take 3 dulcolax pills and drink the first bottle of Magnesium Citrate.
- 2. At 6pm take 3 dulcolax pills and drink the second bottle of Magnesium Citrate.
- 3. If bloating or nausea occurs, stop drinking until symptoms subside (usually 15-30 minutes), then resume.
- 4. You may continue **ONLY** clear liquids until 4 hours prior to your procedure.

## DO NOT EAT ANYTHING AFTER MIDNIGHT.

## The day OF your procedure:

- 1. Arrive at AGEC (the left side entrance) at \_\_\_\_\_\_ for a \_\_\_\_\_\_ procedure.
- 2. Bring all paperwork mailed/given to you **and** your current medication list.
- 3. Leave all valuables at home.
- 4. Please have your driver remain at the Endoscopy Center throughout the procedure.

## Clear Liquid Diet includes:

Beverages: Soft drinks, fruit juices without pulp, water, tea, coffee (no milk or creamer).

Soups: Chicken or beef bouillon/broth

<u>Desserts:</u> Hard candies, Jell-O, popsicles, **DO NOT eat or drink anything that is colored red or orange.** 

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