# **Beverly Hills Digestive Care**

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## **Instructions for Colonoscopy -- SUPREP®**

Last Name, First

#### **One Week Before Procedure**

- 1. Please stop taking any anti-inflammatory drugs including Aspirin, Motrin, Advil, Aleve, Naproxen or Ibuprofen for 7 days prior to your procedure.
- 2. Please stop Aspirin, Plavix, Ticlid, Vitamin E, Ginkgo Biloba, St. John's Wort and iron for 7 days prior to procedure unless instructed otherwise.

### **Three Days Before Procedure**

Stop taking any seeds (i.e. flax seeds), nuts, or popcorn.

## - CLEAR LIQUID DIET -

- ◆Water, apple juice, grape juice, cranberry juice, Gatorade® drink, tea (hot or iced), coffee (no cream), broth, jell-o, popsicles, soft drinks, hard candy.
- ♦Avoid products with red coloration.

#### **Day Before Procedure**

- 1. **Starting in the morning**, take ONLY clear liquids for breakfast, lunch and dinner. No Solid foods.
- 2. **At about 4 PM**, pour one 6-ounce bottle of SUPREP liquid into the mixing container and add water to the 16-ounce line on the container. Drink ALL the liquid in the container. Over the next hour, drink two more 16-ounce containers of water.
- 3. **At about 7 pm**, repeat with the second bottle of SUPREP and again follow with two additional 16-ounce container of water.
- 4. During the evening continue to have clear liquids to keep hydrated.

3. Please call our office 24-48 hours prior to the procedure to confirm.

5. Do not take anything by mouth after midnight.

#### **Other instructions:**

- 1. You may take your regular medications (e.g. for high blood pressure, heart medications, etc.) on the morning of your procedure with a sip of water, unless otherwise directed. Patients taking Insulin need instructions from their doctor.
- 2. You cannot drive yourself or take a taxi. Please be sure to have someone drive you to the surgery center and also take you home after the procedure.
- Date and Time Location