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## Preparation for Colonoscopy with MoviPrep

You are scheduled to have a colonoscopy on \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_.

You must fill your prescription for MoviPrep at the pharmacy a few days before your procedure (colonoscopy).

**VERY IMPORTANT: You must maintain a clear liquid diet the ENTIRE day before your colonoscopy (NO SOLID FOOD)!** Also, please do not eat any corn, nuts, or food with seeds 5 days before the procedure. Other products to stay away from the day before the procedure are dairy products, orange juice, yogurt, or anything RED in color. You may have: Clear Broth (NO noodles, meat, or vegetables), clear juice or clear soda such as (apple juice, white grape juice, lemonade, Gatorade, ginger ale, 7-Up, water), green or yellow Jell-O, popsicles, coffee or tea (NO milk or cream; you may add sugar, honey or lemon).

### **[ ] IF YOUR APPOINTMENT IS BETWEEN 8AM – 11AM**

Prepare the MoviPrep Mixture in the morning for the 1st evening dose. Empty 1 Pouch A and 1 Pouch B into the disposable container. Add water to the top line of the container. Mix to dissolve and refrigerate.

#### **Beginning at 5:00 PM day before exam:**

- The MoviPrep container is divided by 4 marks. Every 15 minutes, drink the solution down to the next mark (approximately 8 oz), until the full liter is complete. Drink ALL of the mixture.
- Drink 16 oz of the clear liquid of your choice.
- Prepare the MoviPrep Mixture for the 2<sup>nd</sup> evening dose. Empty 1 Pouch A and 1 Pouch B into the disposable container. Add water to the top line of the container. Mix to dissolve and refrigerate.

#### **Beginning at 9:00 PM day before exam:**

- The MoviPrep container is divided by 4 marks. Every 15 minutes, drink the solution down to the next mark (approximately 8 oz), until the full liter is complete. Drink ALL of the mixture.
- Drink 16 oz of the clear liquid of your choice.
- HAVE NOTHING TO EAT OR DRINK AFTER MIDNIGHT.

### **[ ] IF YOUR APPOINTMENT IS BETWEEN 11:00 AM – 4:00 PM**

In the morning, prepare the MoviPrep solution for the evening dose. Empty 1 Pouch A and 1 Pouch B into the disposable container. Add water to the top line of the container. Mix to dissolve and refrigerate.

#### **Beginning at 7:00 PM DAY BEFORE exam:**

- The MoviPrep container is divided by 4 marks. Every 15 minutes, drink the solution down to the next mark (approximately 8 oz), until the full liter is complete.
- Drink 16 oz of the clear liquid of your choice.
- Prepare MoviPrep solution for the morning dose. Empty 1 Pouch A and 1 Pouch B into the disposable container. Add water to the top line of the container. Mix to dissolve and refrigerate.

#### **Beginning at 6:00 AM DAY OF exam (or 5 hours before your colonoscopy):**

- The MoviPrep container is divided by 4 marks. Every 15 minutes, drink the solution down to the next mark (approximately 8 oz), until the full liter is complete.
- Drink 16 oz of the clear liquid of your choice.
- **Make sure you finish the MoviPrep and the additional 16 oz of clear liquids at least 4 hours before your colonoscopy. Absolutely nothing to drink 4 hours before your procedure.**

Come to the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor of 111 Broadway in Manhattan.

Plan to spend about 90 minutes at the office. The colonoscopy itself will take about 20 minutes. You should not plan to drive, work, or operate machinery, tools or kitchen appliances for the rest of the day. **You must arrange for someone to take you home after the examination.** Your escort only needs to be available to pick you up. You will be able to call your escort. Without an escort, you will not be able to receive anesthesia, so your exam **may be canceled**. If you have any questions, please call the office.