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ADDRESS  
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**Procedure:** Colonoscopy- MiraLax AM Prep **Date:**

**Arrival Time:**

Dr. Todd Elftmann  
Dr. Kevin Taylor

Dr. Dawn Stapleton  
Dr. Timothy Thormodsgard

Dr. Boriana Petkov  
Dr. Steven Turner

<b>Patient Responsibility</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Contact your Insurance Company to verify coverage and benefits. If prior authorization is required prior to procedure, contact your primary care clinic for a referral to be submitted to insurance.</li> <li>A driver is required on the day of the procedure.</li> <li><i>If you need to cancel or change your appointment, please call Lakeview Clinic at 952-442-5755</i></li> </ul>
<b>Diabetics: Please read</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>If you are taking oral medications or using Insulin, please contact your primary care provider or Endocrinologist as they may need to be adjusted, and you may need a modified diet prior to procedure.</li> </ul>
<b>7 days prior to Procedure</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Stop</b> taking NSAIDS (Aspirin, Ibuprofen, etc) Tylenol <u>is</u> ok</li> <li><b>Stop</b> taking Plavix (Clopidogrel)</li> <li><b>Stop</b> GLP-1 medications: Dulaglutide (Trulicity), Exenatide (Byetta, Bydureon), Liraglutide (Victoza), Lixisenatide (Adlyxin), or Semaglutide (Ozempic, Rybelsus, Wegovy) Check with your primary care provider or Endocrinologist before temporarily stopping these medications</li> <li><b>Purchase</b> the following over the counter items: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>One 238-gram bottle of powder MiraLAX</li> <li>Four (4) Dulcolax 5mg laxative tablets (generic is fine)</li> <li>Two (2) Gas-X (Simethicone) 125mg tablets</li> <li>One 64 oz clear liquid to mix with MiraLAX (Gatorade or Water is ok but <b>NO</b> red coloring)</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<b>5 days prior to Procedure</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Stop</b> taking Coumadin (Warfarin)</li> <li><b>Begin a low fiber diet</b> (Skinless Potatoes, wheat or white bread, English Muffins, bagels, low fiber cereal, soda crackers, pasta, fruit juice, white rice, low fat meats, dairy)</li> <li><b>Avoid:</b> Nuts, whole-wheat products and grains, <b>ALL</b> fruit, <b>ALL</b> vegetables, beans, raisins, berries, popcorn</li> </ul>

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<b>3 days prior to Procedure</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Discontinue fiber supplements and medications containing iron. This includes multivitamins with iron, Metamucil, and Fibercon.</li> </ul>
<b>2 - 3 days prior to Procedure</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Xarelto</b> (Rivaroxaban), <b>Pradaxa</b> (Dabigatran Etexilate), and <b>Eliquis</b>: It is recommended to stop taking these medications <u>two days</u> prior to your procedure. <b>If you have chronic kidney disease</b>, these medications should be stopped <u>three days</u> prior to your procedure. If your primary care provider <b>DOES NOT</b> want you to stop taking these medications, please have your primary care provider contact the provider doing the procedure</li> </ul>
<b>1 day prior to Procedure</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Upon Waking Up in the Morning: Clear</b> liquids <b>only</b> all day, <b>Nothing Red</b> (Gatorade, Propel, Vitamin water, apple juice, white grape juice, white cranberry juice, soup bouillon, decaf tea/coffee, Jell-O, Pedialyte, popsicles, gummy bears, Crystal Light)</li> <li><b>No</b> solid foods</li> <li><b>Stop</b> taking all supplements until after procedure</li> <li><b>Avoid</b> dairy products, carbonated beverages and alcohol</li> <li><b>Limit</b> coffee to 8oz, black only if needed.</li> <li></li> <li><b>3:00 PM</b> - Take 4 Dulcolax laxative tablets with 8 oz of water</li> <li><b>5:00 PM</b> - Take 2 (two) Gas-X tablets</li> <li><b>5:00 PM</b> - Mix the entire bottle of MiraLAX with 64 oz of clear liquid and shake/stir it well. Drink an 8 oz glass every 10-15 minutes until gone. All should be consumed in 2-4 hours. If you become nauseated, take a 30-60 minute break and then resume.</li> <li>Continue drinking clear liquids for the remainder of the evening, at least 3 (three) 8 oz glasses</li> </ul>
<b>Day of your Procedure</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Continue to take your regular medication the day before and the day of your procedure except for those medications your physician has recommended to stop.</b></li> <li>Morning medications should be taken by <b>5:00 AM</b> with a small sip of water.</li> <li>Non-essential medications may be taken <b>after</b> your procedure.</li> <li><b>DO NOT</b> smoke, chew tobacco, use e-cigarettes, THC, marijuana or illicit drugs</li> <li>Stools should be yellow/clear, absent of sediment.</li> <li>Continue drinking clear liquids up to 2 hours prior to your procedure.</li> <li><b>A driver is required to drive you home.</b> (No driving, working, or making any life altering decisions for 24 hours after procedure) Your driver must pick you up within 2 hours after dropping you off. Public transportation is not an option.</li> <li>Bring all prescription medications and supplements with or bring a complete list with dosing and instructions</li> <li>Wear loose fitting clothing</li> <li><b>Do not</b> wear perfume or cologne</li> <li>Bring photo ID and Insurance card(s)</li> </ul>

**If you have any questions, please contact the Procedure Scheduling Team at Lakeview Clinic at (952) 442–5755.**

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