## **Endoscopy Procedure Prep Instructions**

UMass Memorial Endoscopy Center 28 Newton Street

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Procedure Date:	Arrival Time:	Procedure Time:
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#### Please note:

- You MUST have a ride to and from the procedure
- Bring a list of your current medications and doses (see insert)
- Expect to be at the facility for approximately TWO hours \_
- Please arrive at the facility 45 minutes prior to your procedure time

#### STARTING One week before the procedure:

- If you are on a blood thinner, please stop taking per your primary care doctor's instructions. (2-5 days before)
- Stop iron/iron products seven (7) days before your procedure
- Hold injectable diabetes/weight-loss medications (e.g., Trulicity, Ozempic, Wegovy, Bydureon, Byetta, Saxenda, Victoza, Adlyxin, Mounjaro) (**7** days before)
- Hold Rybelsus (1 day before)

#### Day before your procedure:

- Nothing to eat after midnight.
- Clear liquid diet only after midnight. See Clear Liquid Diet List below.
- No red, purple or blue colored drinks.

#### Day of procedure: \_\_\_\_

- If you wear contacts, please wear glasses
- Continue to take your medication as usual.
- If you are a diabetic do not take your diabetes medications. Check with your PCP or endocrinologist for further information.
- Nothing to drink 3 hours before your procedure \_\_\_\_\_\_

### AFTER your procedure

- You must have a ride to and from the procedure. A taxi, Uber, bus, or limo is not accepted. You will need to have someone get you settled once you get home. A medical taxi is accepted please call our office if you need information about medical taxis.
- Plan to rest for the remaining part of the day.
- You can expect to resume normal activities the day after your procedure.

# \*PLEASE NOTE THAT THE PROCEDURE WILL BE COMPLETED WITH SEDATION (MODERATE OR DEEP). THE TYPE OF SEDATION WILL BE DETERMINED ON THE DAY OF THE PROCEDURES BASED ON AVAILABILITY AND/OR INSURANCE.

#### **Clear Liquid Diet Include the following:**

<ul> <li>Plain Water</li> <li>Clear, fat-free broth such as bouillon or consommé</li> <li>Sports drink like Gatorade</li> <li>Fruit juices without pulp such as apple juice, white grape juice or white cranberry juice</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Clear sodas (ginger ale, sprite, 7Up)</li> <li>Ice pop without the bits of fruit or fruit pulp</li> <li>Ice chips</li> <li>Honey</li> <li>Plain gelatin</li> <li>Coffee or Tea without cream</li> </ul>
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