

BOWEL PREP INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Clear liquids only the day before surgery. (see below)
- 2. Magnesium Citrate; ½ to 1 bottle at 12 noon the day before the surgery.
- 3. Nothing by mouth after midnight the day before surgery.

Foods allowed on a clear liquid diet are:

<u>Beverages:</u> Coffee-decaf or regular, tea with lemon juice, carbonated beverages, apple juice, cranberry juice, grape juice or any combination thereof, warm fruit flavored gelatin, fruit flavored drinks and powders.

- <u>Desserts:</u> Plain gelatin desserts, clear water ices and popsicles.
- Soups: Fat free clear broths and bouillon.
- Sweets: Sugar and hard candy.

Foods not allowed:

No milk or milk products or anything not listed above.

REMEMBER: <u>NOTHING</u> TO EAT OR DRINK AT ALL <u>AFTER MIDNIGHT</u> OR YOUR PROCEDURE WILL BE CANCELLED BY THE ANESTHESIOLOGIST