SUTAB PREP INSTRUCTIONS. Disregard directions included with prescription. FOLLOW ONLY THESE INSTRUCTIONS.

• CLEAR LIQUID DIET:

- TAKE ONLY A CLEAR LIQUID DIET THE ENTIRE DAY PRIOR TO YOUR EXAM.
- NO SOLID FOODS.
- You may continue on the clear liquid diet up until midnight.
- Start drinking liquids in the morning the day prior to your exam, and drink throughout the entire day.
- o Do not just drink the liquids recommended to be taken with your prep. The more you drink on the day prior to your procedure, the better your prep will be.
- o NO solids, or milk products.
- NO alcohol on the day before or the day of the procedure.

A CLEAR LIQUID DIET IS:

- o NO RED, PURPLE and BLUE LIQUIDS!
- o Strained fruit juices without pulp (apple, lemonade, white grape)
- o Water.
- o Gatorade, popsicles, snow cones, Jell-O (no fruit added, plain Jell-O only)
 - PERMITTED GREEN, YELLOW, ORANGE
- o Carbonated soft drinks permitted are clear and colas only (coke, pepsi, lemon-lime, ginger ale).
- Clear broth and bouillon permitted
- Coffee or tea WITHOUT creamer/milk.

SUTAB DOSING INSTRUCTIONS

FIRST DOSE – 6:00 pm the evening before your procedure:

- 1. Open 1 bottle of 12 tablets
- 2. Fill the provided container with 16 oz. of water (to fill line). Swallow each tablet with a sip of water and drink the entire amount of water over 15 to 20 minutes.

IMPORTATNT: If you experience preparation-related symptoms (nausea, bloating or cramping) slow the drinking of additional water until your symptoms diminish.

DRINKING ADDITIONAL WATER:

- 3. Approximately 1 hour after the last tablet is ingested, fill the provided container with 16 oz. of water and drink the entire amount within the next 30 minutes.
- 4. Approximately 30 minutes after finishing the second container of water, drink another 16 oz. of water.

2. Second DOSE - 5 hours prior to your arrival at the facility:

- 1. Repeat the dosing steps (1 to 4) above 5 hours prior to your arrival at the facility. (EX: arrival is 6:00 am, 2nd dose starts at 1:00 am)
- 2. You must complete taking all the SUTAB tablets and required water at least 3 hours before you arrive at the facility...... Reminder... FOLLOW ONLY THESE INSTRUCTIONS...Disregard directions with prescription.

DAY OF EXAM

- **MEDICATIONS:** Continue to take your heart, blood pressure, asthma and seizure medications. Take them with only a small sip of water 2 hours or more before your procedure.
- Otherwise, <u>NOTHING</u> BY MOUTH, within 3 hours of your arrival at the facility except any approved medications as above.
- The second dose of prep must be finished 3 hours **prior** to your scheduled arrival time at the facility.
- You will be in recovery for 30-60 minutes after the exam.
- AFTER YOUR PROCEDURE, YOU WILL NEED A DRIVER TO RETURN HOME. THIS CANNOT BE PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION SUCH AS UBER, LYFT, TAXI, ETC.

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