



Colonoscopy Clenpiq Preparation

PLEASE READ AND FOLLOW ALL INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY

Colonoscopy Preparation:

Your physician will need to provide a prescription to purchase Clenpiq preparation from your pharmacy.

You will need to have a very clean colon for the Gastroenterologist to examine your colon. This process requires taking strong laxatives which will cause significant diarrhea. You must follow the preparation instructions carefully to assure you will be cleaned out and to prevent dehydration. Occasionally despite your best efforts, the clean out will be insufficient and the procedure will have to be postponed. Your Gastroenterologist will make recommendations appropriate for your digestive system.

The day before the procedure:

Consume only clear liquids (no solid food or dairy). Avoid any seeds, nuts, raisins, and fruit. You may have any liquids throughout the day such as water, juices, tea, coffee, soda, non-red sports drinks, and non-red Jell-O.

5pm on the night before the procedure:

Drink one bottle of Clenpiq. Drink the entire contents. Follow with FIVE (5) 8-ounce drinks of clear liquid, taken at your own pace, within the next 5 hours.

On the day of the procedure:

Starting 5 hours before the procedure, drink second bottle of Clenpiq. Drink the entire contents. Follow with at least THREE (3) 8-ounce drinks of clear liquid.

You must stop drinking 3 hours before the procedure. If you have anything by mouth, including gum, in the three hours before the procedure, the procedure may be rescheduled.

No illicit substances 24 hours prior to the procedure and no alcohol or marijuana products for 12 hours prior. All patients will be assessed for signs of impairment on the day of the procedure and if there is any concern, the procedure will be cancelled.

If you take heart or blood pressure medications, take your pills three hours before the procedure with water (unless advised differently by your doctor).

Note: Please leave all jewelry and valuables at home. Optum Medical is not responsible for the loss of any patient's property. Do not wear contact lenses.