Prepping for your Endoscopy

Important things to know About your prep:

 If the Prep is not done correctly and your stomach is not cleaned out, your endoscopy will not be completed. You will have to repeat the prep and the procedure until the doctor is able to complete the procedure.
Prepping correctly is important for your Endoscopy because it allows better visibility for Dr. DeAntonio. Better visibility means polyps or other digestive disorders can be seen. The sooner Digestive disorders are found the easier they can be treated.

Clear Liquid Diet:

Nothing Red or Purple juice (without pulp) water tea or coffee (without cream) clear soup

1 Week Before:

Make plans with someone to drive you home:

Because you will be given anesthesia you will not be able to drive yourself home. You will need a friend or family member to pick you up after your endoscopy. You will not be allowed to call a cab or car service.

The Night Before your Endoscopy:

If you take Diabetes Medications at Night:

Dr. DeAntonio will circle below how he wants you to take your diabetes medications: If you have any questions you can call our office at (609) 882 2185.

Take Half of your Diabetes Medications the night before your Endoscopy Do not take your Diabetes Medication tonight. Bring them with you to your Procedure and take them after your endoscopy

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| The Day of your Endoscopy: | |
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| The Morning of your Endoscopy: You can have anything off the clear liquids diet (on page 1) | |
| 4 Hours Before your Endoscopy: | |
| No solid food and no liquids are permitted four hours before your endoscopy. | |
| Your Appointment is at: Am Pm | |
| There for, Nothing by Mouth after: Am Pm | |
| Check what Medications you should take before your endoscopy and which ones you should take after: | |
| Take the medications listed below before your endoscopy with a small sip of water. Take these before Am Pm | Bring the medications listed below with you to your endoscopy appointment. You must take these after your procedure |
| Cardiac Medications Blood pressure medications | Diabetes Medications |
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