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## Esophagogastroduodenoscopy (EGD) Instructions

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Time: \_\_\_\_\_

Doctor: \_\_\_\_\_

**\*Failure to comply with these instructions may result in a cancellation of your procedure.**

- **NO food or drink** after midnight the night before your test.
- You will be sedated for the test and **MUST have someone to drive you home. If no one accompanies you as your driver, the procedure cannot be performed and will be rescheduled. Your driver must remain on the premises during your procedure. Public transportation (taxi, bus or uber driver, etc.) cannot be used.**
- If you take any NSAIDs (ex., ibuprofen, Aleve, naproxen) or blood thinners such as Coumadin, Plavix, Pradaxa, Xarelto, Cilostazol, Aggrenox, Eliquis, ask your physician for additional instructions.
- Bring your current medications.
- You will be asked to remove any dentures/partials, eyeglasses, hearing aids, or facial piercings for the procedure.
- Please provide 72-hour notice if you wish to cancel or reschedule your procedure to avoid a cancellation fee.
- Do not use smokeless tobacco, chew gum, or have any mints/candy the morning of your procedure
- If you take blood pressure, thyroid, seizure, or diabetic medication, please take it with only a small sip of water the morning of your procedure.
- You are not permitted to drive, drink alcohol, operate machinery, or sign any legal documents the entire day of your test due to the sedation you will receive.
- Plan on being at the facility for about 2-3 hours, dependent on the preparation time, procedure time, and recovery time. Plan on taking the entire day off work, school, etc.
- If you have questions about your procedure instructions, don't hesitate to contact your physician's nurse by calling the number below.

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**Dr. McElreath**- 501-406-9331

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