IVP INSTRUCTIONS

A.M. IVP (8:00am – 12:00pm)

- 1. Clear liquids after dinner, evening prior to IVP.
- 2. Nothing by mouth after 12:00am morning of your IVP.
- 3. Diabetic patients please limit your breakfast to just enough to maintain your diabetes the morning of your IVP.
- 4. Regular morning medications can be taken with a sip of water.
- 5. If you take Glucophage or Metformin medications of any kind, do not take it for 24 for hours following the IVP.
- 6. IF YOU ARE PREGNANT OR THINK YOU MAY BE PREGNANT, PLEASE NOTIFY YOUR PHYSICIAN IMMEDIATELY. YOU SHOULD NOT HAVE AN IVP!
- 7. PLEASE LET YOUR DOCTOR OR NURSE KNOW IF YOU HAVE HAD SHORTNESS OF BREATH OR OTHER ALLERGIC REACTION WITH PRIOR CONTRAST X-RAYS OR IF YOU CANNOT EAT CERTAIN TYPES OF SEAFOOD BECAUSE OF SHORTNESS OF BREATH OR ALLERGIC REACTION.

P.M. IVP (12:00pm – 4:00pm)

- 1. You should have a light breakfast and nothing solid until after your IVP. You can drink water up to four hours prior to your IVP, then nothing by mouth.
- 2. Diabetic patients please limit your breakfast to just enough to maintain your diabetes the day of your IVP.
- 3. You may take your normal daily medications. Just follow as closely to the dietary restrictions as possible.
- 4. If you take Glucophage or Metformin medications of any kind, do not take it for 24 for hours following the IVP.
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