

## MIRALAX - DULCOLAX (2) - GATORADE DAY-BEFORE PREP INSTRUCTIONS

Doctor:	Date of Colonoscopy: Arrival Time:	AM PM
Location:	SC Endoscopy Center WC, 131 Summerplace Drive, West Columbia, SC 29169	
	SC Endoscopy Center NE, 11 Gateway Corners Park, Columbia, SC 29203	
	Other:	

#### **PHYSICIAN REMINDERS:**

- On the day before your procedure, ONLY consume clear liquids, such as:
  - Water
  - Clear broth
  - Apple juice
  - White cranberry juice
  - White grape juice
  - Ginger ale
  - Plain gelatin
  - Frozen juice bars
- On the day before your procedure, **DO NOT** drink any of the following:
  - NO red/purple liquids
  - NO liquids you can't see through
  - NO alcoholic beverages
- 3. Stay hydrated
- 4. Apply a dab of petroleum jelly around anus before and after each bowel movement for added ease and comfort.
- 5. IMPORTANT. DO NOT eat or drink anything after midnight.

### **DAY-BEFORE INSTRUCTIONS:**



**Step 1:** Mix 8.3oz (14 caps full) of MiraLAX with 64oz of **Gatorade** (no red or purple; if diabetic, use Powerade Zero) and refrigerate mixture to keep cool until use.

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_ START: <u>4:00 PM</u>

- Drink 1<sup>st</sup> 8oz glass at 4:00pm
- Drink 2<sup>nd</sup> 8oz glass at 4:30pm
- Drink 3<sup>rd</sup> 8oz glass at 5:00pm
- Drink 4<sup>th</sup> 8oz glass at 5:30pm





Step 2: Take (5mg) Dulcolax tablets.

- Take 2 tablets at 6:00pm
- Take 2 tablets at 8:00 pm

**Step 3:** Drink remainder of **MiraLAX** and **Gatorade** mixture.

- Drink 5<sup>th</sup> 8oz glass at 6:00pm
- Drink 6<sup>th</sup> 8oz glass at 6:30pm
- Drink 7<sup>th</sup> 8oz glass at 7:00pm
- Drink 8<sup>th</sup> 8oz glass at 7:30pm

### **OVER THE COUNTER**







# **IMPORTANT**

Do not eat or drink anything after midnight.

Failure to do so may result in the need to reschedule your procedure.