

INSTRUCTIONS FOR ABDOMINAL ULTRASOUND

Come here, to the Endoscopy Center on Mon. Tues. Wed. Thurs. Fri. ______ at _____a.m.

- 1. Do not eat or drink anything after midnight.
- 2. Brush your teeth in the morning.
- 3. Do not chew gum or eat candy.
- 4. Do not bring children to the endoscopy center in consideration to the other patients. They will be asked to wait outside or leave.
- 5. Take your medication on the morning of your procedure with a small sip of water before 6:00 am.
- 6. If you have asthma you may use your inhaler the morning of the procedure, if needed.
- 7. If you are taking insulin, you make take your evening dose but not the morning dose.
- 8. If you are taking heart medication, ask your doctor about when to take these drugs in relation to the test.
- 9. If you have an artificial heart valve, please remind your doctor.

Office Policy Regarding Insurance

What will my insurance be billed for?

Your insurance will be billed for an abdominal ultrasound, CPT code 76700.

Office Policy Regarding Payment

- The insurance co-pay, as indicated on your insurance card, is to be paid prior to the ultrasound.
- If your deductible has not been met, then we will collect up to \$200 prior to the procedure or your copay.
- We will bill only the insurance companies for which proof of coverage has been provided.
- The account balance will be due within 90 days of the service and treatment date.
- You, the patient, are responsible for contacting your insurance provider about non-payment, delays in payment and reduced payment.