CLEAR LIQUID DIET

******NO RED or PURPLE dyes*****

A clear liquid diet helps maintain adequate hydration, provides some important electrolytes, such as sodium and potassium, and gives some energy at a time when a full diet isn't possible or recommended.

<u>Keep yourself hydrated while doing your bowel prep</u> with at least 2 quarts of clear liquids throughout the day.

NO Solid Foods, Only light or clearcolored liquids; Nothing RED or PURPLE

AVOID EATING THE FOLLOWING FOODS 5 DAYS PRIOR TO YOUR PROCEDURE

YOU MAY HAVE:

- Water, Coconut water
- Fruit juices without pulp apple, white grape juice, strained lemonade (no orange juice or red or purple juices)
 - Clear broth or any flavor bouillon
- Gatorade, Kool-Aid, Crystal-lite, Vitamin Water (clear, not red or purple)
- Soda and iced tea, regular or diet (clear, not red or purple)
 - Jell-O gelatin without added fruit or toppings (clear, not red or purple)
- Popsicles, ices or sorbet (lemon, peach, or mango; not red or purple)
 - Honey, sugar, and clear hard candies
- Tea or coffee without milk, cream, or nondairy creamers.

YOU MAY NOT HAVE:

- Dairy products (regular milk, soy milk, rice milk, yogurt, pudding) or non-dairy creamer.
- Smoothies
- Blended fruit or vegetable drinks

- *AVOID--Nuts, Seeds and Popcorn
 *AVOID--Lettuce, Tomatoes, Onions,
 Cucumbers, Cabbage, Corn and Peas.
 *AVOID—Blueberries, Raspberries,
 Blackberries, Grapes, and Kiwi
- *All other fruits and Vegetables not listed above are acceptable without the skin/peel.

SHOPPING LIST

- 1. One box of Dulcolax (Bisacodyl) 5 mg. each
- 2. 238 gram bottle of Miralax.
- 3. 64 ounces of your choice to be mixed with the Miralax:

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-Gatorade/Powerade, Apple Juice, Crystal Light, Vitamin Water