Moviprep

Your doctor may recommend this bowel preparation for various abdominal or rectal surgeries. He will provide you with a prescription for this at his office or it may be called into your local pharmacy.

The day before your scheduled surgery, you must drink **CLEAR LIQUIDS ONLY**. For Dr. Marx, these liquids include water, soft drinks, coffee, tea, popsicles, jello, broth, or clear juices. **DO NOT DRINK MILK OR ANY RED OR PURPLE DRINKS**. Continue to drink these up until midnight to keep yourself adequately hydrated.

Beginning at: <u>2PM</u> (The doctor will provide you with a date)

Step 1. Mix First Dose:

Empty 1 Pouch A and I Pouch B into the disposable container. Add lukewarm drinking water to the top line of the container. Mix to dissolve.

If preferred, mix solution ahead of time and refrigerate prior to drinking. The reconstituted solution should be used within 24 hours.

Step 2. Drink First Dose:

The MoviePrep container is divided by 4 marks. Every 15 minutes, drink the solution down to the next mark (approximately 8 oz.), until the full liter is consumed.

Drink 16 oz. of the clear liquid of your choice. This is a necessary step to ensure adequate hydration and an effective prep.

Beginning at: <u>7pm</u>

Step 3. Mix Second Dose:

Empty 1 Pouch A and 1 Pouch B into the disposable container. Add lukewarm drinking water to the top line of the container. Mix to dissolve.

If preferred, mix solution ahead of time and refrigerate prior to drinking. The reconstituted solution should be used within 24 hours.

Step 4. Drink Second Dose:

The MoviPrep container is divided by 4 marks. Every 15 minutes, drink the solution down to the next mark (approximately 8 oz), until the full liter is consumed.

Drink 16 oz. of the clear liquid of your choice. This is a necessary step to ensure adequate hydration and an effective prep.

It is important that you prepare your body by drinking extra clear liquids before the prep to prevent dehydration. Stay hydrated by drinking all required clear liquids during the prep.

Do not consume anything by mouth after midnight. The only exception to this is if the doctor has allowed you to take your morning medications with small sips of water.

For any questions, please don't hesitate to call our office.