## **Nulytely/Golytely**— these preparations come as a powder in a jug. You dissolve the powder in water before you drink the solution

- It is important to NOT USE alcohol, marijuana, medical marijuana, narcotics, pain medications (prescribed or otherwise), and any form of illicit drugs (prescribed or otherwise) the day before and the day of the procedure
- It is important to NOT USE Methadone the day of the procedure, unless you have received specific approval from your physician
- It is important to NOT USE to bacco products the day of the procedure
  - \*\*\* If you do not avoid these items, then your procedure will be cancelled. \*\*\*

## The evening before the procedure

- Start between 2 and 4 p.m.
- Drink one 8oz cup of the solution quickly
- Every 10-15 minutes, quickly drink another cup of solution
- Do this until you drink three fourths (12 cups) of the solution. This should take about 3 hours
- Keep the rest of the solution to drink on the day of the procedure
- Continue the clear liquid diet until midnight
- <u>Do not eat or drink anything after midnight</u> except your 2<sup>nd</sup> dose of prep 5 hours prior to your arrival no candy, gum, mints, water, ice, etc.

## The day of your procedure

- 5 hours before your arrival time:
  - Quickly drink the one 8oz cup of the solution. Every 10-15 minutes, quickly drink another cup of solution. Do this until you drink the rest of the solution. Finish all of these within an hour. This is also the time to take any medications your physician has directed you to take the morning of the procedure.
  - Do not eat or drink anything after this time no candy, gum, mints, water, ice, etc.
- If you use inhalers, take your usual morning dose and bring the inhalers with you.
- Bring the completed health questionnaire including medications, picture ID, and insurance cards.
- Bring a copy of your living will, if you have one.
- Bring reading glasses if you need them.
- Take a shower the morning of the procedure. You may wear deodorant. Do not apply lotion or powder to your chest area. Bring a pair of warm socks for your feet.
- You must have a responsible adult over 18 years to drive you home after your procedure.
- When you arrive at Seaside Endoscopy Pavilion, please call (302) 644-3852 from your car to let the center know you have arrived.
- Your driver may not wait in the center. Ask your driver to remain within 10 minutes of the facility while you are
  in the center, to return to the facility's parking lot within 1 hour of your entering the center, and to be prepared
  to answer a phone call regarding your procedure.