



Premiere GI

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EGD / Eus / Ercp Prep

Procedure Date:

Arrival Time:

Location:

You are scheduled for:

___ An esophagogastroduodenoscopy (Egd) is a procedure that allows your doctor to examine your esophagus, stomach and duodenum (Upper intestinal Tract).

___ An Endoscopic Ultrasound (Egd-Eus) is a procedure to examine the esophagus, stomach, duodenum and jejunum as appropriate.

___ An Endoscopic Ultrasound with Fine Needle Aspiration (Egd-Eus w/Fna) is the same as the Egd-Eus as described above, the Fine needle aspiration is a biopsy which entails placing a very thin needle inside a mass and extracting cells for microscopic evaluation.

___ An Ercp is a procedure that allows your doctor to examine your bile duct.

Preparation:

- 3 days prior to your procedure you will need to stop any iron supplements and multivitamins.
- If you take any blood thinners: Plavix, Coumadin (Warfarin), Effient, Pradaxa, Xarelto, Eliquis or Aspirin (325mg or higher) it will need to be stopped prior to your procedure. We will make contact with your cardiologist and advise once clearance is received.
- If you are a diabetic, do not take your insulin/pills the day of the procedure, please bring with you to take after.
- You must be fasting (NOTHING TO EAT OR DRINK) after midnight the night before.

- The morning of the procedure you may take any critical medication, heart, blood pressure, seizure, breathing, chronic pain medication with a small sip of water. All other medication should wait until after the procedure.
- The doctor will speak with you and your escort about the initial results once in recovery. If biopsies are taken the results will be given to you at your follow up appointment. If a biopsy was taken and you are not yet scheduled for a follow up please call the office to schedule.
- AT DISCHARGE YOU WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO LEAVE THE FACILITY WITHOUT A RESPONSIBLE ADULT.
- Results will not be given over the phone unless your doctor tells you otherwise.