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Nuclear Stress Test Preparation AM Instructions

Please plan to be here for at least 3-4 hours and follow the instructions below.

- **Do not** eat or drink anything caffeinated or decaffeinated (ex: <u>soda</u>, <u>coffee</u>, <u>chocolate</u>, or <u>tea</u>) after midnight prior to the day of the test.
- You **MAY** drink WATER, MILK, and/or JUICE at any time before the test.
- **<u>Do not</u>** smoke after midnight the day of the test.
- If you are diabetic, do not take your diabetic medication the morning of the test and make sure to bring it with you.
- <u>Wear</u> comfortable clothing (non-metal button up shirt) & shoes for walking on the treadmill (please no metal under wire bras or dresses).
- **<u>Bring</u>** a drink and a snack lunch with you; you will need to drink water after each tracer administration and will have an opportunity to eat when the techs give you the right of way. Snack examples: sandwich, fruit, crackers, etc.
- **<u>Bring</u>** a list of your current medications.
- <u>DO NOT</u> take any of the following medications listed below after midnight prior to the day of the exam, <u>BUT BRING THEM WITH YOU</u> on the day of your exam and the techs will let you when you can take them.
- You may take all of your other medications besides the ones (if any) that are listed below as regularly scheduled.
- <u>48 HOUR CANCELLATION POLICY</u>: If you need to cancel your exam appointment, it has to be 48 hours prior to the day of your exam.
- **NO SHOW POLICY:** IF YOU HAVE CONFIRMED FOR YOUR APPOINTMENT AND THEN DO NOT SHOW UP FOR THE EXAM, WE WILL HAVE TO CHARGE YOU **\$250.00** FOR THE MEDICINE THAT WAS ORDERED.

I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE ABOVE INSTRUCTIONS.

Patient's Name

Phone (Home, Work, Cell, Other)

Patient's Signature

DO NOT TAKE THESE MEDICATIONS

- Acebutolol
- Atenolol
- Betapace
- Betaxolol
- Betoptic eye drops
- Bisoprolol
- Blocadren
- Bystolic
- Calan
- Cardizem
 CD/SR
- Cartrol
- Carvedilol
- Cialis
- Coreg

- Digoxin
- Dilacor
- Diltiazem CD/SR
- Disopyramide
- Felodipine
- Glipizide
- Glyburide
- Janumet
- Januvia
- Inderal
- Inderide
- Insulin
- Imdur
- Isosorbide
- Isoptin SR

- Kerlone
- Labetalol
- Levatol
- Levetiracetam
- Lopressor
- Metformin
- Metoprolol
- Nebivolol
- Normodyne
- Norpace
- Penbutolol
- Pindolol
- Plendil ER
- Propranolol
- Sectral
- Sotalol

AND ALL OTHER DIABETES MEDICATIONS

- Tenoretic
- Tenormin
- Timolide
- Timoptic eye drops
- Toprol XL
- Trandate
- Verapamil SR
- Viagra
- Vigormax
- Visken
- Zebeta
- Ziac