# Colonoscopy One Day Diet Plan

#### \*\*PLEASE DO NOT STRAY FROM THE FOODS AUTHORIZED ON THIS LIST\*\*

### **DIET PLAN: DAY BEFORE COLONOSCOPY-TILL 12 NOON**

- Foods OK to eat until 12:00pm (Noontime) ONLY
- ONLY items on the following list are acceptable
- After 12 noon, you will only be able to have clear liquids
- Scrambled eggs
- French toast
- Hot chocolate
- Coffee or tea
- Milk
- Cheese
- Plain vanilla yoghurt
- Bread made with white flour (no whole-grain or high fiber)
- Turkey or ham deli slices

- White rice
- Shrimp
- Fish
- Mayonnaise
- Pasta with Alfredo sauce (no tomatoes)
- Sugar, salt, pepper, honey
- Plain vanilla or chocolate ice cream
- Plain vanilla or chocolate pudding

# Diet- Day before Colonoscopy 12 noon- 12 midnight

• ONLY FOR DIABETICS: Avoid Sugar free items on the day before your colonoscopy

#### YES – OK TO EAT **NO – AVOID THESE FOODS** Water Alcoholic beverages • Soda Milk • Tea and black coffee without any milk, cream, or Smoothies lightener Milkshakes • Flavored water without red or purple dye • Cream • Clear, light colored juices such as apple, white grape, Orange juice lemonade without pulp, and white cranberry • Grapefruit juice • Clear broth including chicken, beef, or vegetable • Tomato juice • Sports drinks such as Gatorade and Propel (light colors • Soup (other than clear broth) only) • Cooked cereal • Popsicles without fruit or cream; no red or purple dye • Juices, popsicles, or gelatins with red or purple dye • Boost Breeze Tropical Juice drink • Jello (No red or purple)

## **Day of Colonoscopy**

- **DO NOT** eat or drink anything after midnight, you are fasting until the procedure is over.
- **ONLY** your blood pressure, seizure, or anxiety medications are to be taken in the early morning with a tiny sip of water, if you have asthma, bring your inhalers
- You CANNOT drive the entire day, you will need a ride home
- Remove all your jewelry and leave it at home
- Bring an extra pair of underwear in case of accidents
- ONLY FOR DIABETICS: do not take insulin or diabetes medications on the day of your procedure.