

# AFTERNOON PROCEDURE: EXTENDED PREP WITH **Plenvu**

# **ONE WEEK BEFORE** COLONOSCOPY

1. Buy **one box of Movicol** and **one box of Plenvu** (Contents: 3 packets – DOSE 1, Sachets A and B) from your local pharmacy (prescriptions not required)

2. Medication Modifications:

- **Stop** taking iron tablets, Imodium/Lomotil/Gastrostop
- Inform your nurse or doctor if:
  - You take blood thinning agents such as: Warfarin, Pradaxa (Dabigatran), Xarelto (Rivaroxaban), Eliquis (Apixaban), Brilinta (Ticagrelor), Plavix, Iscover or Piax (Clopidogrel).
  - You take medicine for Diabetes.
  - If you are taking weight loss medications such as Ozempic or Mounjaro.
- If you are on regular laxatives, **please continue with this medicine.**
- 3. One week before your colonoscopy, commence on Movicol 1 sachet twice a day

## THREE DAYS BEFORE COLONOSCOPY

#### MODIFY YOUR DIET:

Avoid the following foods, which have high fibre content such as:

- Wholegrain and wholemeal breads and cereals
- Nuts, seeds & legumes
- Raw and dried fruits
- Salad
- All cooked vegetables and fatty foods.
- Safe sample meals may include:
  - White bread or toast
  - Strained soup
  - Cheese, ham, egg, tuna, chicken, lean meat, fish, potato, white rice, pumpkin and ice cream

## **ONE DAY BEFORE** COLONOSCOPY

#### CLEANSE YOUR BOWEL WITH Plenvu

- Follow the Plenvu preparation instructions
- Take first sachet a **5pm.** Add sachet to 1L of warm water and stir until dissolved. Chill for half an hour before drinking.
- Take the second sachet at 7am on the day of your procedure.

### NO SOLIDS/FOOD CAN BE TAKEN ON THIS DAY

Drink only approved clear fluids (water, strained soup, clear chicken broth, fruit juice, jelly, black tea and coffee (<u>NO MILK or DAIRY products</u>), sports drinks, carbonated beverages, oral rehydration salts e.g. Hydrolyte and ORS. Drink at least 10 glasses of clear fluids to maintain hydration.

# DAY OF COLONOSCOPY

**COMPLETE YOUR PREP** You will have taken your **second sachet** of Plenvu Bowel Prep **at 7am.** 

BE NIL BY MOUTH Do not eat any food and do not drink any liquids after 10am