

COLUMBUS SURGICAL ASSOCIATES, INC. GENERAL, LAPAROSCOPIC & ROBOTIC ASSISTED SURGERY

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Hemorrhoidectomy Preparation

Items needed for prep please purchase form local pharmacy:

- 1 Bottle Magnesium Citrate
- 3 Fleets Enemas

One Day Prior to Surgery

- 1. Begin Clear Liquid diet. <u>NO</u> solid foods. Examples of clear liquids include: Clear Broth/bouillon, plain Jello, tea, coffee, clear juice etc.
- 2. Take ½ bottle of magnesium citrate in the morning and take the remaining half in the evening the day before scheduled surgery
- 3. Use 2 fleets enemas, one hour apart the evening prior to surgery

Day of Surgery

- 1. **NOTHING** by mouth after midnight
- 2. Use 1 fleets enema on the morning of your surgery, prior to arriving at the hospital

Please call 614-766-5050 with any questions regarding your upcoming procedure