

## Hogan Health Care, P.C. Hogan Advanced Liposuction Center

## **Pre-Operative Instructions: Lipoplasty**

- 1. <u>DO NOT SMOKE</u> for two weeks prior to and two weeks after surgery. Smoking decreases your circulation and slows down healing time.
- 2. <u>DO NOT TAKE ASPIRIN</u> or products containing aspirin for two weeks prior to or following your scheduled surgery. Aspirin has an effect on your blood's ability to clot and could increase your tendency to bleed at the time of surgery and during the post-operative period. **Please read our Medication Alert.**
- 3. <u>DON'T DRINK ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES</u> for 5 days prior to surgery. Alcohol may create complications and increase bruising.
- 4. IF YOU DEVELOP A COLD, FACIAL SORE, FEVER, OR ANY OTHER ILLNESS PRIOR TO SURGERY, PLEASE NOTIFY US.
- 5. <u>DAY PRIOR AND SURGERY MORNING</u>, please shower using only antibacterial soap (ask your surgeon). Males receiving abdominal or flank treatment may prefer to shave the treatment area; females receiving abdominal or thigh treatments may prefer to shave pubic areas below the hair line.
- 6. WEAR COMFORTABLE, DARK, LOOSE FITTING CLOTHING on surgery day including a shirt that buttons all the way up the front. Wear nothing that you must put on over your head, slip-on shoes are recommended for maximum post-operative comfort. We suggest you safeguard your car seat and bedding with a protective cover.
- 7. LEAVE JEWELRY AND VALUABLES AT HOME Do not wear wigs, hairpins, or hairpieces.
- 8. AVOID WEARING MAKEUP, FACIAL OR BODY MOISTURIZERS
- 9. SURGERY TIMES ARE ESTIMATES ONLY. You could be at the facility longer than indicated.
- 10. <u>ARRANGE FOR A DRIVER TO AND FROM SURGERY.</u> We cannot discharge you to a taxi. Put a pillow and blanket in the car for the trip home.
- 11. PLEASE FOLLOW THE DIETARY GUIDELINES INDICATED BY THE CHECKBOX:
  - NPO (nothing by mouth) after midnight prior to surgery
  - FLUIDS ONLY after midnight prior to surgery

## I HAVE READ AND FULLY UNDERSTAND THE ABOVE ITEMS 1-11

Patient Signature	Date
Witness Signature	 Date
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