

Open Access Colonoscopy – Patient Information

Overview

Open Access Colonoscopy allows healthy patients, without exclusion criteria, to receive a screening colonoscopy without an initial office visit.

Colonoscopy screening is a test for early diagnosis of common cancers before symptoms develop.

Colorectal cancer is the second leading cause of cancer related deaths a 5 - 6 percent lifetime risk.

The current recommendation for colon cancer screening by the American Cancer Society is a colonoscopy starting at the age of 45*. Future examinations are planned based on the findings.

Exclusion criteria list includes:

- Anemia
- Anticoagulants (blood thinner) / Antiplatelets / clotting diathesis
- Multiple or unstable co-morbidities (having one or more additional diseases)
 - Unstable cardiac disease, pacemaker/defibrillator, endocarditis, recent myocardial infarction (MI)
 - O2 or steroid dependent pulmonary disease
 - Renal distress, dialysis
 - Neurologic disorders
- Chronic constipation requiring laxatives
- GI bleeding, change in bowel movements, weight loss, bleeding
- Chronic narcotic use for pain control
- Insulin dependent diabetes
- Previous problems with anesthesia
- Age > 80
- Overweight (BMI above 45)
- Chronic conditions (such as Crohn's disease and ulcerative colitis)

To begin this process, please complete the questionnaire and registration forms and return mail or fax to:

Doylestown Health Gastroenterology
599 W State Street, Ste 200 | Doylestown, PA 18901
Phone: 215.345.6050 | Fax: 215.345.6568

**Please allow several weeks for the paperwork to be processed.
Paperwork needs to be filled out in its entirety or it will not be processed.**

*It is the patient's responsibility to confirm insurance coverage.

Questionnaire

Patient Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Phone (Day): _____ Phone (Cell): _____

Height: _____ Weight: _____

Primary Care Physician: _____

GI Symptoms:

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|--|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Poor appetite | <input type="checkbox"/> Bleeding | <input type="checkbox"/> Polyps / Diverticulosis |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Weight loss | <input type="checkbox"/> Nausea / vomiting | <input type="checkbox"/> None |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Difficulty swallowing | <input type="checkbox"/> Abdominal pain | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Heartburn | <input type="checkbox"/> Change in bowel pattern | |

Other Symptoms:

- | | | |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Fever | <input type="checkbox"/> Bleeding problems | <input type="checkbox"/> Breathing difficulties |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chest pain | <input type="checkbox"/> Lightheadedness / Fainting | <input type="checkbox"/> None |

Past Medical History:

- | | | |
|--|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Anemia | <input type="checkbox"/> Sleep apnea / CPAP use | <input type="checkbox"/> Seizure |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cancer | <input type="checkbox"/> Diabetes | <input type="checkbox"/> Stroke |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Crohn's disease | <input type="checkbox"/> Blood clotting problems | <input type="checkbox"/> DVT / PE |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Diverticulitis | <input type="checkbox"/> Heart problems | <input type="checkbox"/> MRSA or VRE |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Liver disease / Hepatitis | <input type="checkbox"/> Hypertension | <input type="checkbox"/> TB (Tuberculosis) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ulcerative colitis | <input type="checkbox"/> High cholesterol | <input type="checkbox"/> None |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Polyps | <input type="checkbox"/> Kidney disease | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Lung problems | <input type="checkbox"/> Endocarditis Need for antibiotics before procedure | |

Previous Procedure / Surgical Information:

- EGD / Colonoscopy – Where: _____ Date: _____
- Gastric bypass / Abdominal surgery – Explain: _____
- Previous surgeries (general, orthopedic, etc) – Explain: _____

Medications: *Please attach list of medications, vitamins and aspirin products or blood thinners*

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Aspirin or aspirin products | <input type="checkbox"/> Vitamins | <input type="checkbox"/> None |
| <input type="checkbox"/> NSAID (Celebrex, ibuprofen, naproxen, Toradol, Lodine, Indocin) | <input type="checkbox"/> Blood thinners (Plavix, Xarelto, Lovenox, Coumadin, Pradaxa, Eliquis) | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ |

Allergies: _____

Family History

- | | |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Colon cancer | <input type="checkbox"/> Polyps |
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Personal History

- | | | |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Colon cancer | <input type="checkbox"/> Polyps | <input type="checkbox"/> Tobacco |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Alcohol | | |

Physician Requested:

- | | | |
|--|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dr. Robert Akbari | <input type="checkbox"/> Dr. Raja Dhanekula | <input type="checkbox"/> Dr. Aleksey Novikov |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dr. Nasir Akhtar | <input type="checkbox"/> Dr. Hannah Do | <input type="checkbox"/> Dr. Sandhya Salguti |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dr. Christopher Bruce | <input type="checkbox"/> Dr. Robert Hale | <input type="checkbox"/> Dr. Kiley Walp |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dr. Alan Chang | <input type="checkbox"/> Dr. Louis Morsbach | |

Registration

Referring Physician: _____ Date: _____
Patient Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____
Phone: _____ Email: _____
Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

IMPORTANT NOTE

Your Open Access Registration Form will **NOT** be processed unless the paperwork is completely filled out **AND** accompanied by a copy of your current Insurance Card (Front and Back)

I authorize release of my medical information to the above named medical insurance company(ies) and their agents for the purpose of obtaining payment of services and determining insurance eligibility. I authorize payment of medical benefits to Doylestown Health Gastroenterology. I understand that omitting or falsifying information about my health may lead to injury or could result in cancellation of my procedure.

Insurance _____ Policy #: _____
Patient Signature _____ Date: _____

Confidential Communication Permissions

I hereby give my permission for the release of my medical information to the following persons:

Name _____ Relationship: _____
Name _____ Relationship: _____
Name _____ Relationship: _____

- I do not wish any medical information to be released. Initial: _____
 I give permission to leave a detailed message on an answering machine or with a family member

Patient Signature _____ Date: _____



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