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Oral Sedation Preoperative Instructions

1. **Do not eat or drink after midnight on the night prior to surgery.**
If the procedure is to be performed in the afternoon, nothing to eat or drink for at least **6 hours** prior to surgery.
2. Any medications that are normally taken should be taken with a **sip** of water, unless otherwise instructed by the doctor.
3. _____(int)**You must be accompanied by an adult 21 yrs or older who will stay for entire procedure and drive patient home.**
4. Wear loose clothing suitable for monitoring.
5. Contacts should not be worn.
6. Anesthetic cannot be administered if you have a severe cold, sore throat or sinus infection with excessive drainage.
7. _____(INT) No make-up earrings, fingernail polish or jewelry (including any body jewelry).
8. _____(INT) **While taking antibiotics, birth control pills may become ineffective. Extra precautions should be taken while you are on antibiotics.**
9. _____(INT)**Be here 30 minutes prior to your appointment time. If you are late or do not have someone to stay with you or drive you, your appointment must be rescheduled.**
10. Please call 854-7448 to reschedule or cancel your appointment. Please give 48 hours notice for cancellations.
11. **Payment is expected day of surgery.**

Signature: _____(patient)

Date: _____