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PLEASE READ EACH PAGE VERY CAREFULLY

Once you receive this packet of information, please call our office if you have any questions.

All patients who are staying overnight at the Embassy Suites Hotel (600 North State St., Chicago, IL 60611) or at the hospital will have a sitter with them immediately after surgery. If you want more than one night or if you plan to have a sitter more than one night please contact our office, otherwise a sitter will be scheduled for you for only one night. Friends and/or relatives cannot be considered “a” sitter but are welcome to stay with you as well.

Sitter fees are: _____ per hour / night with a twelve (12) hour minimum. They can be paid by check or cash and you pay them directly. If for any reason you decided to discharge the sitter prior to the 12 hour stay, you are still responsible to pay them for the full 12 hours.

DO NOT EAT OR DRINK ANYTHING AFTER MIDNIGHT THE DAY BEFORE YOUR SURGERY. THIS INCLUDES GUM AND MINTS. YOU MAY BRUSH YOUR TEETH – BUT DO NOT SWALLOW ANY WATER.

Have your enclosed prescriptions filled and bring them with you to the surgery center/hospital on the day of surgery. Ladies, please do not wear any makeup the morning of your surgery.

You will need to be sure that someone will pick you up from the surgery center/hospital once you are discharged. You will not be discharged unless you have someone drive you.

Don't forget to sign the enclosed consent forms and return it along with your payment 2 weeks before your surgery date. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Mary Forde at 312-988-9300.