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Adult and Pediatric Otolaryngology  
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Your surgery is scheduled for: \_\_\_\_\_.

Since the schedule for the facility is not under our control, we will not know what **TIME** your procedure is scheduled for until **THE DAY BEFORE SURGERY**. Our office will call you once we have been informed to tell you what time you need to arrive at the facility.

If you have any questions regarding your instructions, please feel free to ask the surgery scheduler when they call you the day before surgery.

Your COVID-19 pre-op test is schedule for: \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_.

Your follow-up appointment is scheduled for: \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_.

\*Please note, due to certain insurance plans and regulations, this may be a charged visit.

Dallas ENT Group understands that certain insurance plans are difficult to understand. **There are usually three costs associated with surgeries: the surgeon’s fee, the facility fee, and the anesthesia’s fee.** We will check your surgeon’s benefits for you. We cannot, unfortunately, check the benefits for the facility or anesthesia group. Any fees associated with lab work or pathology performed in the hospital will be additional and you may inquire about these fees when checking with the insurance representative of the hospital. Our insurance department will call you to explain your benefits before surgery and to collect any costs associated with your upcoming procedure. Your surgery cost is due **three days prior to your procedure**. If payment is not made by the due date, your surgery will be rescheduled to another day. We accept most major credit cards and also offer CareCredit as a courtesy to our patients. If you would like to contact the facility to inquire about any costs, please feel free to do so. Your procedure has been scheduled at:

- Medical City Hospital Dallas
  - Contact: 972-566-7079 or 972-566-8171
- Medical City Frisco
  - Contact: 469-420-7000
- Ambulatory Surgical Center at Medical City Hospital (Building C, Suite 150)
  - Contact: Susan at 972-566-6875
- Baylor Surgicare at North Dallas
  - Contact: 469-374-6400
  - [Towens@USPI.com](mailto:Towens@USPI.com) (Preferred contact method)

CPT (procedure) code(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Estimated anesthesia time: \_\_\_\_\_

\*\*This is only an estimate of the CPT codes and amount of anesthesia time needed for your procedure.

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### **Anesthesia Services**

Our office utilizes different anesthesia groups depending on facility and type of procedure being performed. If you would like to contact the anesthesia group to inquire about any costs, please feel free to do so. Your group will be:

- Arch/USAP (972) 715-5080 (option #2). For estimated anesthesiologist cost, make sure you have CPT codes, amount of time for surgery and facility.
- Excel/USAP (972) 715-5080 (option #2). For estimated anesthesiologist cost, make sure you have CPT codes, amount of time for surgery and facility.
- Community Service Division/CSD  
Christine Rangel- [CRangel@medac.com](mailto:CRangel@medac.com) or (706) 650-0705 ext. 2754

Your anesthesiologist will contact you the night before surgery to go over your medical history and answer any questions you might have. **If you have not received a call between 5 - 9 PM, please call your group** and ask them to page your anesthesiologist.

It is very important that you have an empty stomach before anesthesia is administered. This is why we ask that you **DO NOT EAT OR DRINK ANYTHING AFTER MIDNIGHT THE NIGHT BEFORE SURGERY**. If your procedure is in the afternoon, you may be allowed to eat a light breakfast, but you must check with your anesthesiologist. If the patient is a child on formula or breast milk, please ask the anesthesiologist about when to stop feeding. **If you show up to the facility and have not followed the instructions for not eating or drinking, your procedure will be cancelled.**

Certain medications are allowed to be taken pre-operatively, and some are not. You will be discussing your medication list in detail with your anesthesiologist. Please remember that any over-the-counter supplements ARE considered medications and may not be able to be taken before surgery. **Please ask the anesthesiologist about taking any medications the morning of surgery.**

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Important Medication Information on the  
Use of Blood Thinners Prior to Surgery  
**\*\*DISCONTINUE 10 DAYS PRIOR TO SURGERY\*\***

Prior to your surgery, please **do not** take any medication that has a blood thinning component. This includes Aspirin, which is found in many over-the-counter medications. Blood thinners affect your body's ability to clot and could increase your tendency to bleed during and after surgery. Please check the labels of your medications, especially those that are over-the-counter, to make sure that you do not take Aspirin. If you are unsure if one of the medications you take has a blood thinner in it, please consult your pharmacist.

If you are taking any of the medications listed below, please inform our office **BEFORE** your surgery. If you are taking blood thinners under a doctor's orders, we will need to obtain clearance from that doctor in order to have you stop the drug. Some doctors will only have you stop the drug for a few days prior to surgery, but our office must discuss this with your prescribing physician.

If you need a pain medication prior to surgery, it is okay to take **Tylenol**. If you are allergic to Tylenol or on another medication containing Tylenol and unable to take it, please notify our office so that we may arrange for a suitable substitute.

The following list of prescription and non-prescription medications containing blood thinners:

|                               |                           |                         |                          |                            |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|
| Aspirin                       | Buff-A-Comp #3 w/ Codeine | Empirim Tabs w/ Codeine | Meclomen                 | S-A-C Tabs                 |
| Advil Tabs/Suspension         | Buffaprin Tabs            | Entrophen               | Meclofenamate            | St. Joseph's Aspirin       |
| Aleve                         | Bufferin Tabs             | Equagesic Tabs          | Medipren                 | St. Joseph's Cold Tabs     |
| Alka Seltzer                  | Buffinol Tabs             | Excedrin Tabs or Caps   | Mefenamic                | Saletto Tabs               |
| Effervescent Tabs             | Butazolidine              | Eliquis                 | Momo Gestic Tabs         | Salflex                    |
| Anaprox                       | Clinoril                  | Feldene                 | Methocarbamol w/ Aspirin | Salocol Tabs               |
| Ansaid Anodyno                | Congesprin                | Fenoprofen              | Modidin Tabs             | Sine-off Sinus Med ASA     |
| Aggrastat                     | Cope Tabs                 | Fiogestic               | Mobic                    | SK-65 Compound Caps        |
| Aggrenox                      | Coumadin CP-2 Tabs        | Fiorinal Tabs           | Momentum Muscular        | Soma                       |
| Agrylin                       | Celebrex                  | Four-Way Cold Tabs      | Naolfon                  | Stanback Powder            |
| Anacin                        | Children's Motrin         | Fish Oils               | Naprosyn                 | Supac                      |
| Argestic Tabs                 | Children's Advil          | Gaysal-S Tabs           | Naproxen                 | Synalgos Caps              |
| Arthritis Pain Formula Tabs   | Coumadin                  | Gingko Biloba           | Neocylate Tabs           | Synalgos-DC Caps           |
| Arthritis Strength Bufferin   | Clopidogrel               | Heparin                 | Norgesic Tabs            | Talwin Compounded          |
| Athropan Liquid               | Cephalgesic               | Halfprin                | Nuprin                   | Tabs                       |
| A.S.A. Tabs and Enseals       | Cama Arthritis Pain       | Ibuprofen               | Omega 3                  | Ticlid                     |
| Ascriptin w/ Codeine Tabs     | Cataflam                  | Indomethacin            | Orudis                   | Tolectin                   |
| Ascriptin Tabs                | Cosprin Tabs              | Indocin                 | Pabalate                 | Tolmetin                   |
| Ascriptin A/D Tabs            | Damason-P                 | Indo 0-Lemmon Caps      | Pabalate-SF Tabs         | Trendar                    |
| Ascriptin Extra Strength Tabs | Dypridamol                | Integrillin             | Pepto-Bismol             | Trental                    |
| Asperbuf Tabs                 | Dasi Capsules             | Ketaprofen              | Suspension               | Triaminicin Tabs           |
| Aspergum                      | Day-Pro                   | Lanorinal Tabs          | Percodan-D Tabs          | Trigesic                   |
| Axotal Tabs                   | Dinol Tabs                | Lodine                  | Persantine               | Trillisate Tabs and Liquid |
| Azdone                        | Disalcid Capsule          | Lortab ASA              | Persistin Tabs           | Uracel                     |
| Aspirin Tabs                  | Doan's Pill               | Meloxicam               | Plavix                   | Ursinus                    |
| Bayer Caplets                 | Dolobid                   | Midol                   | Percodan                 | Vanquish Caps              |
| Baby Aspirin                  | Duoprin-S Syrup           | Multi-Vitamins          | Pradaxa                  | Verin                      |
| BC Tabs and Powder            | Duradyne Tabs             | Motrin                  | Ponstel                  | Voltarin                   |
| Biochemical Tissue            | Durasel Tabs              | Magan Tabs              | Proxicam                 | Vitamin D, E               |
| Salts                         | Dynosal Tabs              | Magonate Tabs           | Relafen                  | Warfarin                   |
| Buff-A-Comp Tabs/Caplets      | Easprin                   | Magsol Tabs             | Reopro                   | Zileuton                   |
|                               | Ecotrin Tabs              | Marnal Caps             | Robaxisal Tabs           | Zorpin                     |
|                               | Efficin Tabs              | Measurin Tabs           | Rufen                    |                            |
|                               | Emagin Tabs               |                         |                          |                            |

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