



Vasectomy Reversal Center of Chicago

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Pre-Op Instructions

Do not take any Aspirin for at least a week before your procedure.

If you are on a blood thinner medications other than Aspirin, please call us for advice and or contact you primary care doctor.

If your vasectomy required general anesthesia, notify our office with explanation of its necessity

If you normally take any other medication daily you may take them as needed.

Please gently **shave the scrotum** on night before surgery if possible.

Take a **shower** with antibacterial soap a few hours or the night before surgery with gentle cleaning of scrotal area.

Dos and Don'ts

For your personal safety and comfort, we ask that you follow these guidelines...

1. **DO NOT eat or drink anything**, not even water, for **six hours** before your surgery even though surgery will be under local anesthesia.
2. **DO NOT** wear jewelry or bring valuables with you. We have no place for safe-keeping of these items.
3. **DO NOT** discontinue any medications unless so directed.
4. **DO** notify your surgeon if you are a **diabetic**.
5. **DO** notify if you experience any health changes between your last communication and the day of surgery - such as a cold, fever, the flu or other symptoms.
6. **DO** wear casual, comfortable, loose fitting clothing.
7. **DO feel free to bring DVD, or personal small audio/video device with earphones.**
8. **DO** arrange for someone responsible to drive you home and stay with you upon discharge. You may feel a little weak or sleepy; this is normal. Printed post-operative instructions will be given to you when you leave. No patient will be discharged after anesthesia without a responsible adult present.

Where to report

Please report at Oak Brook Medical & Surgical Center, 2425 West 22nd Street, Suite 101, Oak Brook, IL 60523 (Phone 630-990-2212) one hour before surgery time. If you have any difficulty locating the facility or any other last minute questions please call at 630-990-4244 to speak with our office or 24/7 answering service.