



Instructions Prior to Procedures at JRCL

Joint Replacement Center of Louisiana

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1. **Do not eat, drink, or use tobacco products after midnight, the night prior to your procedure.**
2. If you take Aspirin, Plavix, Xarelto, Coumadin, Eliquis, or ANY other blood thinners, please let us know so that we may determine if these medications require a surgical clearance to be stopped prior to your procedure.
3. You may take your morning medications with a **SIP** of water, the morning of your procedure.
4. You will need to arrange for someone to drive you to and from the facility on the day of your procedure.
5. JRCL will contact you on the **Afternoon** of the day prior to your procedure to give you the time of arrival.
6. Be prepared to sign forms giving your consent for the procedure. If the patient is under age 18, a parent or legal guardian must accompany the patient and sign the consent forms.
7. Bring your I.D. and insurance card(s) on the day of your procedure.