

Your procedure will be performed by Doctor: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of procedure: \_\_\_\_\_ Arrive at: \_\_\_\_\_ AM/PM

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

### What to Eat the Day BEFORE Your Colonoscopy

Please follow a low residue diet and do not eat anything after starting the bowel prep. Eat what is permitted unless otherwise directed by your doctor.

### What You CAN Do

- You may have low residue breakfast only. Low residue breakfast foods include eggs, white bread, cottage cheese, yogurt, grits, coffee, and tea.
- You may have clear liquids.

### What You CANNOT Do

- Do not drink milk or eat or drink anything colored red or purple.
- Do not drink alcohol.
- Do not take other laxatives while taking SUTAB.
- Do not take oral medications within 1 hour of starting each dose of SUTAB.
- If taking tetracycline or fluoroquinolone antibiotics, iron, digoxin, chlorpromazine, or penicillamine, take these medications at least 2 hours before and not less than 6 hours after administration of each dose of SUTAB.

### Liquids That Are OK to Drink

- Coffee or tea (no cream or nondairy creamer)
- Fruit juices (without pulp)
- Gelatin desserts (no fruit or topping)
- Water
- Chicken broth
- Clear soda (such as ginger ale)

### Important Reminder for Patients

- SUTAB is an osmotic laxative indicated for cleansing of the colon in preparation for colonoscopy in adults.
- Be sure to tell your doctor about all the medicines you take, including prescription and non-prescription medicines, vitamins, and herbal supplements. SUTAB may affect how other medicines work.
- Medication taken by mouth may not be absorbed properly when taken within 1 hour before the start of each dose of SUTAB.
- The most common adverse reactions after administration of SUTAB were nausea, abdominal distension, vomiting, and upper abdominal pain.
- Incidents of patients ingesting the desiccant contained in the bottles have been reported, be sure to discard both of the desiccants as instructed.
- Contact your healthcare provider if you develop significant vomiting or signs of dehydration after taking SUTAB or if you experience cardiac arrhythmias or seizures.
- If you have any questions about taking SUTAB, call your doctor.

To learn more about this product, call 1-800-874-6756.

**SUTAB**<sup>®</sup>  
(sodium sulfate, magnesium sulfate, and potassium chloride)  
Tablets  
1.479 g/0.225 g/0.188 g



### The Dosing Regimen

SUTAB is a split-dose (2-day) regimen. A total of 24 tablets is required for complete preparation for colonoscopy. You will take the tablets in two doses of 12 tablets each. Water must be consumed with each dose of SUTAB, and additional water must be consumed after each dose.

### Day 1, Dose 1 – On the Evening Prior to Colonoscopy

#### Swallow the 12 tablets with the first 16 ounces of water

**STEP 1** Open 1 bottle of 12 tablets. **Remove and discard the desiccant.** Remove and discard the desiccant from the second bottle and close the bottle. Use the second bottle for the second dose on the morning of the colonoscopy.



**STEP 2** Fill the provided container with 16 ounces of water (up to the fill line). **Swallow 1 tablet every 1 to 2 minutes. You should finish the 12 tablets and the entire 16 ounces of water within 20 minutes.**



Tablets not shown actual size.



**IMPORTANT:** If you experience preparation-related symptoms (for example, nausea, bloating, or cramping), pause or slow the rate of drinking the additional water until your symptoms diminish.

#### Drink the additional two 16 ounces of water

**STEP 3** Approximately **1 hour** after the last tablet is ingested, fill the provided container again with 16 ounces of water (up to the fill line), and drink the entire amount over 30 minutes.

**STEP 4** Approximately **30 minutes** after finishing the second container of water, fill the provided container with 16 ounces of water (up to the fill line), and drink the entire amount over 30 minutes.

### Day 2, Dose 2 – The Morning of the Colonoscopy (5 to 8 hours prior to the colonoscopy and no sooner than 4 hours from starting Dose 1)

#### Swallow the other 12 tablets with another 16 ounces of water

- Continue to consume only clear liquids until after the colonoscopy.
- Repeat Step 2 to Step 4 from Day 1, Dose 1.
- If you experience preparation-related symptoms (for example, nausea, bloating, or cramping), pause or slow the rate of drinking the additional water until your symptoms diminish.
- Complete taking all SUTAB tablets and water at least two hours prior to colonoscopy.



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Please read the full Prescribing Information and Medication Guide in the kit.

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