

## **RADIOLOGY**

### *Barium Enema*

Your physician has requested an examination which requires the cleansing of your large intestine (colon). In order to help your physician to obtain the best possible examination, it is essential that your colon be as clean as possible. Therefore, be sure to follow all instructions that are provided in the prep packet. You can obtain the colon prep from the Radiology department.

### *I.V.P.*

Take 2 1/1 oz. Of X-Prep at 4:00 P.M. on day prior to exam. Only clear liquids for supper on evening prior to examination. Do not eat or drink anything after midnight until after examination.

### *Upper G.I.*

Do not eat or drink anything after midnight on day prior examination. After completion of X-Ray examination, may take a mild laxative to help eliminate barium.

### *Gallbladder*

Eat regular supper.

Starting at 6:00 p.m. 2 days prior to examination, swallow 1 package of gallbladder tablets, one at a time with water. Follow same procedure with second package of pills, 1 day before exam. You may have juice or coffee in the morning before exam, unless UGI is also scheduled.