



**DAVID M. RODIN, MD**  
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Dear \_\_\_\_\_,

You are scheduled for a transrectal ultrasound guided prostate biopsy on:

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To prepare for this examination, you will be given a prescription for antibiotics and you will need to purchase a Fleets enema. See below.

Notify the office immediately if you are on blood thinners (such as Coumadin, Plavix, or Aggrenox). If you are taking aspirin, ibuprofen, or any medications that contain these medications, you must stop them **one week** prior to your procedure.

PLEASE ADVISE US IF YOU HAVE HAD ANY OF THE FOLLOWING:

- Joint replacement (hip, knee, etc.)
- Heart Valve Replacement
- Heart Murmur
- Need to take antibiotics prior to going to the dentist

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Stop blood thinners one week prior to your procedure or as instructed by Dr. Rodin
- Fill your antibiotic prescription and take one pill the morning of your procedure and one pill the evening of the day of your procedure or as otherwise directed by Dr. Rodin
- Administer the Fleets enema at home the morning of your procedure

No fasting is necessary. You may eat lightly the day of your procedure. If you have any questions, please call the office at 288-3301.