What to Expect at Your Pre-Op Appointment

Now that you are on the schedule, the following information will guide you through your next steps.

**At your Pre-Op, we will:**

- Sign consent forms.
- Take any necessary preoperative photographs.
- Discuss necessity for any post-operative garments.
- Obtain a current height and weight.
- Go over prescriptions.
- Instruct you regarding what medications and vitamins to avoid prior to surgery.
- Review how and when to pay anesthesia and facility fees.
- Collect remaining fees of Dr. Wendel’s portion.

**Bring the Following to your Pre-Op:**

- A list of questions that you would like answered.
- Current Medication List.
- Method of Payment: We accept all major Debit/Credit Cards, Cash, Cashier’s Check, CareCredit, and personal checks from established surgery patients only. We do not accept Health Savings Accounts (HSA).***
  - *Person with name on card has to be present at the time of payment or card must be on file for payment taken over the phone.
  - *If paying with your debit card, your daily limit may need to be increased. Please contact your bank prior to your pre-op appointment to let them know the amount to be processed (Note: charge will be processed by Crestmoor Surgical Associates).

**At your Pre-Op you will be given:**

- Confirmation of the date and time of surgery.
- A personalized pre-op packet, detailing how to prepare and what to expect during and after your procedure(s).
- Instructions detailing how and when to pay surgical facility and anesthesia charges.
- Directions to the surgical facility.
- Consent forms.

**Your Pre-Op is an opportunity to:**

- Answer all questions and concerns regarding your procedure(s).
- Provide you with prescriptions needed after your surgery.
- Schedule your first postoperative follow up appointment.

**Please Note:** If a refill is required on any narcotic pain medication, a written prescription is required and may not be phoned into any pharmacy. This is a requirement from the government.

If you need to change either date, please let us know as soon as possible. Should you have any questions or concerns at any point during your surgery process, don’t hesitate to contact us at (615) 921-2100.

Please come prepared with all requested items. See you soon!

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