

## **CT SCAN PREPARATION**

### **CT SCAN OF THE ABDOMEN and PELVIS:**

Most CT scans of the abdomen and pelvis require drinking oral prep prior to your study. You can pick up this prep prior to your scan at the BMC Imaging center. Along with the oral prep, it is important that you **drink extra water**. You may have a small meal prior to your exam. You may take your normal medications.

### **CT VIRTUAL COLONOSCOPY**

You will need to pick up a special prep from the Imaging Center and receive instructions at least 24 hours prior to your exam.

### **ALL OTHER CT SCANS**

The only preparation for all other CT Scans is to arrive well hydrated.

***IF YOU HAVE EVER HAD AN ALLERGIC REACTION TO IV IODINE CONTRAST, PLEASE NOTIFY THE IMAGING CENTER AT LEAST 24 HOURS PRIOR TO YOUR EXAM.***