GASTROSCOPY AT ST. JOSEPH'S HOSPITAL

LOCATION: 50 CHARLTON AVENUE EAST HAMILTON, ON L8N 4A6

ENDOSCOPY UNIT 3rd FLOOR OF THE MARY GRACE WING

Date:

Check-in Time:

Please call Dr. Fergani's office at least 2 days prior to confirm your procedure: 905-297-8434

Preparation:	NOTHING TO EAT OR DRINK FOR 6 HOURS
	BEFORE YOUR CHECK-IN TIME.
	* If your appointment is after 12 PM (noon) you may
	have a light breakfast, except for dairy products.
	(eg: toast)

Blood Thinners: If you are taking blood thinners, follow the instructions given to you by Dr. Fergani.

Iron Products: Stop taking iron supplements 5 days before your scope.

Reminder:YOU WILL NEED TO HAVE A RIDE HOME.
It is preferred if your driver stays in the Hospital
during the duration of your appointment.
If unable to stay for the appointment, a staff
member will call your driver when you are ready to
be picked up.
Your driver MUST come up to the Endoscopy unit to
pick you up. You cannot leave the Unit by yourself.

If taking a Taxi, someone still has to ride with you.

YOU WILL BE AT THE HOSPITAL FOR <u>AT LEAST 2 HOURS</u>. YOU WILL NOT BE ABLE TO DRIVE FOR THE REST OF THE DAY!