

## **Digestive Health Center**

## MEDICATIONS FOR WEIGHT LOSS OR DIABETES INSTRUCTIONS

If you take a certain **medication for weight loss or diabetes**, you should hold the medication for one dose prior to the procedure. If you take one of these medications once a week, hold it starting the week prior to the procedure. If you take one of these medications daily, hold it starting the day before the procedure. These medications include but may not be limited to:

- Liraglutide (Saxenda or Victoza)
- Semaglutide (Ozempic or Wegovy)
- Dulaglutide (Trulicity)
- Exenatide (Byetta)
- Tirzepatide (Mounjaro) (Zepbound)
- Exenatide extended release (Bydureon BCise)
- Lixisenatide (Adlyxin)
- Semaglutide (Rybelsus)
- Insulin Degludec/Liraglutide (Xultophy)
- Insulin Glargine/Lixisenatide (Soliqua)

If you take one of the medications below for type 2 diabetes, heart failure, or chronic kidney disease you should hold the medications for 3 days prior to your procedure.

- Empagliflozin (Jardiance)
- Canagliflozin (Invokana)
- Dapagliflozin (Farxiga)
- Ertugliflozin (Steglatro)
- Bexagliflozin (Brenzavvy)

Please make sure you follow the above instructions to prevent your procedure from being cancelled. You may restart the medication immediately after the procedure.