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**Endoscopy Case Guidelines**

1. Every patient must have: COVID-19 testing done three days in advance of the endoscopy procedure. Please see the enclosed information sheet that indicates sites of testing. Testing must be done at centers where results can be obtained within 24 to 48 hours. Do not use a testing site where results will take longer than that time to obtain.

**(As of 5/17/21 at Dr. Wasan's discretion MOST FULLY VACCINATED patients will not require COVID testing)**

2. If the COVID-19 test result is positive, the endoscopy case will be canceled. Further instructions will be given after that.

3. You are required to have a ride at the time of endoscopy. However, the visitor is not allowed to enter the building. Visitors and patients will be called after their procedure is complete to review results.

4. This is also a reminder to review your endoscopy preparation instructions.

5. If at any point you develop symptoms including: fever/chills, cough, shortness of breath, sore throat, muscle aches, diarrhea, abdominal pain or any other suspicious symptoms please notify the surgery center and Dr. Wasan's office immediately. This applies to symptoms prior to the procedure and after the procedure.

6. If you have any questions or problems, please call Dr. Wasan's office at 703-724-4480.

**Thank you for your cooperation with these instructions and guidelines.**

-- The office of Dr. Sanjeev M. Wasan and the Loudoun Ambulatory Surgery Center.