Instructions For Sitzmarks®

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Do not take any laxatives, enemas, or suppositories prior to beginning this test or anytime during the test.

1. You will be given 1-3 Sitzmarks® capsules containing radiopaque markers.

2. One (1) capsule will need to be swallowed with water at 9:00am daily until all capsules are taken.

3. On Day 4, you will need to have an x-ray done around 9:00am at the hospital of your choice. An order will be provided to you for that x-ray.

4. If you have the x-ray done at a facility other than St. Francis Medical Center or Glenwood Regional Medical Center, you will need to bring a copy of the x-rays to your doctor’s office for review.

5. Occasionally, it is necessary to repeat the x-ray on day 7. Your nurse will advise you if this is necessary.