



Patient Discharge Instruction

# Bronchoscopy

## After your Bronchoscopy:

- Resume your normal diet after 3 hours
- Go home and rest for the day
- Continue with your regular medications and inhalers

## DO NOT:

- No driving for 24 hours
- No alcohol beverages for the next 24 hours
- No making of any major decisions or signing any legal documents until tomorrow

## It is normal to experience:

- A sore throat for 24 – 48 hours
- Bloody sputum for 24 hours
- Fever/chills
- Poor balance walking due to the medication you have received
- Decreased coordination
- Inability to remember events of the procedure or surrounding the procedure

## If You Experience:

- Severe pain in the neck or chest
- Significant shortness of breath
- Increasing amounts of bloody sputum
- Fever and/or chills the day following the procedure

## Contact your Respiriologist

If you are unable to contact your Respiriologist, report to the **NEAREST** Emergency Department.

Please bring this paper with you to the Emergency Department

## Follow-up Appointment

Book a follow-up appointment at the office of your Respiriologist for 10 days from now.

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