



Dr. G. Lee Watkins

Pre-Op Checklist

My Surgery Date is Scheduled For: _____

COVID-19 Swab Date Range: _____

1. Patient is required to have a COVID-19 Swab performed 7 days prior to surgery. COVID Testing is now being done at The Draw Station. They are located at 425 Homer Road, Minden, LA 71055. Be sure to take your lab ticket with you, which is in your green folder, because you will not be tested without it. If you have covid testing done elsewhere, be sure they can fax a copy to our office at least 3 days prior to your surgery. Our fax number is 318-716-1112.
2. Please call the office at 318-716-1111 and let us know when the testing has been done so we can submit proper documentation needed for surgery. Failure to contact us will delay your procedure and may result in postponement or cancellation of your surgery.
3. We will call you approximately 1 week before your surgery to give you the time and date that scheduling department will call you to discuss pre-admit questions. They will also be contacting you the day before surgery to let you know what time you need to arrive for your scheduled surgery. If you do not receive this call at the scheduled time, please call our office ASAP.
4. Remember, ABSOLUTELY NOTHING TO EAT OR DRINK AFTER MIDNIGHT THE NIGHT BEFORE SURGERY!!
5. All patients and accompanying visitors must wear a face mask from home on day of surgery.

Post-Op Appointment Date: _____

Time: _____

***** 24 HOUR NOTICE IS NEEDED TO CANCEL SURGERY*****