

SURGERY CHECKLIST:

A 20% deposit of the professional fees is required to hold a specific date of surgery. This deposit is non-refundable with the exception that you are not medically cleared for your surgery. We reserve the right to cancel or reschedule due to medical clearance not being completed (this may include a toxicology screening).

All patients are required to obtain medical clearance. We will send the medical clearance orders directly to your physician's office. Medical clearance usually consists of a Physical, Blood work and EKG. Additional testing may be required by Dr. Rosenthal for your safety and wellbeing since your surgery will be under general anesthesia.

We strongly suggest that you schedule an appointment with your PCP or Specialist if you have underlying medical issues such as Hypertension, Diabetes, or any kind of Blood related disorders. You should make the appointment at least **3-4 weeks before** your surgical date. This allows a small window in case you are called back to see the doctor due to an unfavorable result from any of the tests. **It is your responsibility to make sure that your medical clearance is received in a timely manner, at least 5 days prior to the surgical date, as Dr. Rosenthal will also need to review your results. If for some reason you need assistance please call our office so we can help facilitate the process.**

2-3 weeks before your surgical date, you will be required to come into the office for a pre-operative visit with our medical staff. The purpose of this visit is to review all pre and post surgery instructions, sign all surgical consents, take 'before' photos and answer any other questions you may have. Please **DO NOT** wear any make-up if you are having facial surgery, as we will ask you to remove it. Please allow an hour and a half for this visit.

The remaining balance of your surgical fees will be collected at the pre-op visit. Please come prepared to finalize payment, unless you have discussed arrangements with the office.

You will receive a call from the Ambulatory Surgery and Anesthesia Center a week before the surgery date. It is suggested that if you have questions pertaining to anesthesia that you advise them at this time. Writing a checklist with questions will help make sure your concerns are discussed and explained. If for some reason you miss the call, please make an effort to call back.

You must be sure that you have made arrangements for someone to pick you up after your surgery and stay with you for 24 hours. All patients are required to return to the office the following day for your first postoperative visit. You will not be able to drive yourself to this appointment. If you would like us to arrange a caregiver, we are happy to arrange this service. *Remember to stop by your pharmacy and pick up your medications and any supplies you were asked to have on hand at home before surgery.

My signature below indicates that I understand what is stated above:

_____ Date: _____