

Welcome to Lasky Clinic Surgical Center – Day of Surgery

PARKING

The journey begins with your arrival at Lasky Clinic. The Lasky Clinic is a free standing building in a residential area in Beverly Hills. Although our address is 201 S. Lasky Drive, the main entrance is located on Charleville. Unlike most medical buildings in Beverly Hills, parking is not a dreadful task; in fact it is abundant and easy to access. There is metered parking that accepts both quarters and credit cards on the streets surrounding the clinic and during the summer months you may even find ample two hour free parking located along Lasky Drive. Should you find yourself without the proper change, just ask Viviana or Jennifer at the front desk and they will be happy to assist you.

SURGERY

When you enter the building you will be greeted by one of our receptionists and we ask that you please take a moment to check in and they will direct you to the appropriate office. If you are scheduled for surgery, someone will show you back to your private pre and post-operative suite and our medical team will be ready to answer any last minute questions you may have. Family or friends may stay with you until you are taken into the operative suite, at which time we invite them to relax and stay in one of our several waiting areas. If they would like to venture out, we are within walking distance of downtown Beverly Hills. Again, please do not hesitate to ask anyone for assistance.

Before You Arrive:

- Make arrangements for transportation. You will not be allowed to drive yourself home nor leave the Center unattended. THIS IS FOR YOUR SAFETY. Also, you must arrange for a responsible adult to be with you at home after your procedure for the first twenty-four hours post-op.
- Leave all of your valuables at home. This includes money, jewelry, and handbags.
- Know your financial responsibility before arriving the day of the procedure. All payments should be completed by your surgical coordinator at the time of your pre-op. Payments will not collected by the surgical center on the day of surgery.

- Do not have anything to eat or drink after midnight the day before your procedure UNLESS instructed by your surgeon, gastroenterologist, or anesthesiologist. This includes WATER, alcohol, caffeinated beverages such as coffee and tea. NOTE: failure to follow this instruction will result in the cancellation of your procedure.
- Bathe or shower. Please do not apply any make up or lotions to your skin.
- Remove contact lenses. Please bring reading glasses if necessary to review consent forms.
- <u>Wear loose-fitting, comfortable clothing.</u> Clothes that close down the front rather than pull over your head are best. No pantyhose or tight fitting pants.
- **Dentures.** You may wear your dentures but be prepared to have them removed for your procedure.

Day of Your Surgery:

- Arrive as directed by your surgical coordinator. If you are not sure of what time to arrive please call your doctor's office to confirm. If you have a 7AM arrival time it is not necessary to arrive any earlier. A member of our staff will open the doors at 7AM sharp to greet you. If you are running late please call the clinic at (310)277-4572.
- Upon arrival you will be greeted by a member of our staff and instructed to complete
 and sign your admitting forms. If you have not already done so, please bring a copy of
 your insurance card along with any financial payment due. Leave all other valuables at
 home.
- <u>Medications.</u> Bring a <u>list</u> of ALL medications you are currently taking. Please have your prescriptions filled and all medications with you to surgery.
- <u>Telephone number where you will be staying post surgery.</u> The receptionist and RN should be given the telephone number where you can be reached after surgery.
- <u>Post-Surgical Instructions.</u> The person caring for you will be instructed in your post-surgical care when they arrive for pick up once the surgeon has discharged you.