

BRONCHOSCOPY

- Do not have anything to eat or drink for 12 hours prior to your bronchoscopy.
- Hospital will contact patient prior to procedure
- Hospital will advise correct entrance and registration area
- If you are taking medications such as Coumadin, Plavix, aspirin, or any other blood thinners, please discuss this with your physician.
- Plan to be at the hospital approximately 2 to 3 hours for your procedure.
- You **MUST** have a responsible companion with you. This person will stay in the waiting room and drive you home. If you cannot arrange for a companion, the procedure may need to be rescheduled
- Beaumont Personal Assistance Services formerly known as Helping Hands is a paid service offered by Beaumont for those who have no companions or ride for your procedure. Please call **248-743-6667**, so that you may have somebody to pick you up, stay with you during your procedure and bring you back to your residence after.
- Should an emergency arise prior to or proceeding your bronchoscopy, please call the office at: 248-556-5582.