



MAKOplasty Surgery Requirements W/ Dr Durkin @ Salt Creek Surgery Center.

530 N. Cass Ave Westmont, IL 60559 Phone: 630-968-1800

You will need someone to drive you and stay the entire duration of your surgery.

CT SCAN (MAKOplasty protocol)

You need to call AMITA central scheduling department at **630-856-7070** to schedule the CT scan. This test needs to be done **within 30 days of your surgery**. As soon as you schedule your CT scan, call your primary care doctor / specialist to schedule a surgical clearance appointment a few days after CT scan and testing is done.

Pre-op testing

CBC, CMP, UA, EKG, Chest X-ray, HgA1C less than 8 (within 3 months of surgery for diabetic patients) These tests will need to be done within **30 days of your surgical date**. The pre-surgical lab work should be completed at the hospital on the same day as the CT scan at the outpatient lab. No appointment is needed. **Make sure you complete all required tests. Call Colleen 630-455-2621 once your appointment with your CT scan and clearance appointments are scheduled.**

Nicotine user; you will be required to stop smoking **1 month prior to surgery**. Nicotine can stay in your body for up to 2 weeks. You will be given an order to test your nicotine and metabolite levels **2 weeks before** surgery. **If you test positive for nicotine your surgery will be rescheduled.**

Clearance for surgery

It is **your responsibility** to contact your primary care physician / specialist for an appointment **within 30 days to clear you for surgery**. Colleen will send your physician a letter requesting clearance along with the pre-surgical testing results for them to review. Your physician will need to fax your medical clearance to Colleen at **630-455-7124**.

Salt Creek Surgery Center asks that **you complete** the online registration with One Medical Passport (www.saltcreeksurgerycenter.com).

Pre-Op physical therapy

You will **receive a call** from our physical therapy department to schedule your pre-op PT appointment. This appointment will include a subjective and objective assessment, fitting for any durable medical equipment needed, braces, slings etc and teaching of proper use, gait training and post-operative exercises, home modifications. **TKA / UKA MAKE POST-SURGICAL OUTPATIENT THERAPY 5-7 DAYS AFTER SURGERY.**

Flomax Prescription

MALE PATIENTS ONLY will have a 7 day prescription of Flomax sent to your pharmacy.

Questions, please call one of our team – PHONE (630) 455-2621 FAX (630) 455-7124

Emily Giese - Physician Assistant

Stephanie Ransom – SA/ATC/OTC/PE

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Colleen Cusick - surgery scheduler/admin. Assistant

The surgery center will call you anytime **after 4:00pm the night before** your surgical date to let you know the time of your surgery and when to arrive.