

IMPORTANT MEDICATION INFORMATION

For any patient taking certain diabetic, weight loss, or blood thinning medications, proper holds are critical to ensure your safety during your procedure. Failure to hold these medications will result in the cancelation of your procedure. You should have been given instructions on when to stop these medications. If you were not, please call our office for instructions or if you have any questions or concerns at 610-431-3122. The following are a list of the medications that require you to hold prior to your procedure:

1 DAY HOLD	Liraglutide (Victoza and Saxenda) Exenatide (Byetta)
2 DAY HOLD	Apixaban (Eliquis) Rivaroxaban (Xarelto) Dabigatran (Pradaxa-may be 4 days if kidney function is compromised) Edoxaban (Savaysa) Cilostazol (Pletal)
3 DAY HOLD (Last dose taken 3 days prior to procedure. Procedure day should be day 4)	Canagliflozin (Invokana) Canagliflozin/Metformin (Invokamet) Canagliflozin/Metformin XR (Invokamet XR) Dapagliflozin (Farxiga) Dapagliflozin/Metformin (Xigduo) Dapagliflozin/Metformin XR (Xigduo XR) Dapagliflozin/Saxagliptin (Qtern) Dapagliflozin/Saxagliptin/Metformin (Qternmet XR) Empagliflozin (Jardiance) Empagliflozin/Metformin (Synjardy) Empagliflozin/Metformin XR (Synjardy XR) Empagliflozin/Linagliptin (Glyxambi) Empagliflozin/Linagliptin/Metformin XR (Trijardy XR) Ertugliflozin (Steglatro) Ertugliflozin/Metformin (Segluromet) Ertugliflozin/Sitagliptin (Steglujan)
4 DAY HOLD	Warfarin (Coumadin)
5 DAY HOLD	Clopidogrel (Plavix) Prasugrel (Effient) Ticagrelor (Brilinta) Phentermine (Adipex-P, Lomaira, Qsymia)
7 DAY HOLD (Last dose must be 7 full days prior to procedure. May be longer depending on normal day of the week medication is taken)	Semaglutide (Ozempic, Wegovy, Rybelsus) Exenatide (Bydureon) Dulaglutide (Trulicity) Tirzepatide (Mounjaro, Zepbound)
10 DAY HOLD	Ticlopidine (Ticlid)