MIDWEST EAR, NOSE & THROAT SPECIALISTS, P.C.

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INSTRUCTIONS FOR ALLERGY TEST

Four (4) days prior to your allergy test DO NOT TAKE THE FOLLOWING MEDICATIONS:

Allegra Zyrtec Singulair Clarinex Claritin Astelin Tricyclic Antidepressants : Doxepin (Sinequan) or Amitriptyline (Elavil)

Two (2) days prior to your allergy test

DO NOT TAKE THE FOLLOWING MEDICATIONS:

Antihistamines (such as Benadryl or any medication containing antihistamine) Antidepressants Sedatives Muscle relaxants Vitamin C Beta Blockers that may be present in blood pressure or eye drop medication <u>Beta Blockers may include:</u> Carvedilol (Coreg) Metoprolol (Lopressor) Nadolol (Corgard) Propanolol (Inderal)

YOU MAY TAKE THE FOLLOWING MEDICATIONS:

Asthma medications	Blood Pressure pills other than *Beta Blockers
Aspirin	Hormones (thyroid medicine etc.)
Excedrin	Water pills (diuretics)
Tylenol	Plain decongestants (no added antihistamines)
Birth control pills	Alkalol nasal irrigation solution
Nasal steroid sprays: (Astepro and Nasonex)	

.. Please wear something with short sleeves or sleeveless

.. Children under age 19 must be accompanied by a parent.

...Be sure to bring your insurance card(s).

.. Please give 24 hour notice if possible to cancel this test

Feel free to call us if you have any questions. Thank you.