



# CARDIOLOGY

## OF CENTRAL ALABAMA

### ○ TEE

- Please register at **OUTPATIENT SURGERY REGISTRATION** the day prior to your procedure. Take your order sheet with you.
- **YOU WILL NEED SOMEONE TO REMAIN AT THE HOSPITAL WITH YOU DURING THE PROCEDURE. YOU WILL BE UNABLE TO DRIVE FOR 24 HOURS AFTER THE PROCEDURE. THEREFORE, YOU WILL NEED SOMEONE TO DRIVE YOU HOME.**
- If you have any questions, please call our office at 256-234-2644.
- Please report to Russell Medical Center on the day of your assigned TEE.
- Upon arrival please go to Out Patient Surgery.
- You will be prepared for the procedure and given further instructions. If an emergency arises, your case may be delayed or rescheduled.
- Please do not eat or drink anything after midnight.
- Please continue to take all medications as usual with sips of water.
- If you are diabetic, please do not take your diabetic tablet or Insulin the morning of your catheterization unless instructed to do so.
- If you are taking Coumadin, you will need to stop your Coumadin on the day you are told at the office prior to your TEE.
- \*Please bring all of your medications with you to take while at the hospital.



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<http://www.heartline.org/echocardiography/tee.htm>

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