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Cystoscopy

Your doctor has recommended that you undergo a special test called a Cystoscopy.

This is a simple procedure designed to evaluate the lining of you bladder, urethra (and prostate for men).

It uses an ultra thin, lighted telescope and sterile water for irrigation.

This can cause some discomfort and pressure momentarily. Because of increased sensitivity in a man's urethra, anesthetic jelly is administered. The entire procedure lasts only a few minutes.

An antibiotic may be given prior to the examination and a second pill is given to be taken 12 hours later. If you require special antibiotics due to artificial joint prostheses, heart valve murmur, or surgery, please notify your doctor and the medical assistant.

You do not need to stop any routine medication for this procedure.

After the procedure you can resume normal activity. You may experience some burning and bleeding upon urination. If a stent was removed mild flank discomfort may be noted.

These symptoms should clear within 24 hours and can be lessened by drinking fluids and avoiding alcohol or spice.

Please call your doctor at (516) 437-4228 if symptoms persist, fever over 101 degrees ensues, or if you have any questions.