

Your physician has requested an overnight "sleep study" in order to evaluate you current medical condition.

Location: 2665 North Decatur Road, Suite 435 (4th floor) Decatur, GA 30033

ENTER ON THE FIRST FLOOR BY USING THE DOORBELL ON THE FIRST FLOOR (VALET PARKING AREA). IN ORDER TO REACH SOMEONE IN THE CENTER OR CALL 404-501-5927. IF YOU CANNOT GET INTO THE BUILDING PLEASE CALL US.

Park next to the 2665 building....free parking!!!!

Preparing for your sleep study:

We want your stay to be comfortable and restful. We anticipate that you will have questions. If so, please call us at 404-501-5927.

A note about Cancellation:

In order to best serve all of our patients, it is extremely important that appointment cancellations and no-shows are kept to a minimum. We kindly ask that you call and give **24 hrs. notice of cancellation** the day prior to your scheduled appointment. **Failure to provide proper notification will result in a \$100 cancellation fee!!**

The Sleep Center:

Sleep studies are conducted 7 days a week at this center. Patients are asked to arrive between 8-8:30pm. The many features of the sleep center include tempurpedic beds, hotel-like suites with private bathrooms, flat screen televisions with DVD, 24 hr. security, and individual temperature control for each room, as well as **lifetime access to the medical records.**

The sleep study...what is it?

We ask that you arrive at 8:30 pm. The study starts about 9:30PM and ends between 5-6AM. It is performed in a private room with a queen-size bed. Small, non-invasive wires are attached to the head, behind the ears, and near the eyes. A few electrodes are placed on the chest and legs. A sleep study monitors brain waves, heart rhythm, breathing pattern, oxygen level, snoring, leg movements and body position. We ask that you do not get up during the night by yourself. Our staff is always ready and available to assist needs.

What to bring:

You will need to bring your medication(s), driver's license, insurance card, a snack (if necessary – fridge on site), reading materials, loose fitting pajamas or a two piece t-shirt and shorts. We ask that you shower, do not apply lotion or grease to scalp or skin and avoid hairspray, gel or grease prior to the study. It's best to do hair after the study. Please NO MAKEUP.

After the study:

It normally takes up to 7 business days for the final diagnosis to be completed. You'll be notified when the interpretation is finalized. You can either make an appointment to see your

referring physician to discuss the findings or consult with one of our sleep specialists. If you have not heard from anyone after 7 business days please feel free to contact us with questions at 404-501-5927.