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PRE-OPERATIVE TESTS

If you are **60 years old or older**, we require:

- An EKG within the last six months
- CBC (blood work) within the last 2 weeks of surgery

If you have **high blood pressure**, we require:

- An EKG within the last six months

Please note:

- You will need to make arrangements to get pre-operative lab work and EKG done with your primary care doctor
- Some patients may need medical clearance from their primary care doctor
- Our offices can provide you with a name of a walk-in clinic that can accommodate these tests without an appointment
- You may be required to have additional tests after the nurse anesthetist has reviewed your chart. We will contact you if additional tests are needed.

These tests need to be received in our office two weeks prior to surgery.