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## Adult Glucose Tolerance Test Preparatory Diet

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- This diet must be followed for 3 days prior to the day of your Glucose Tolerance Test (G.T.T.).
- The GTT measures your body's ability to use CARBOHYDRATES properly. For the test to be valid (correct), the CARBOHYDRATE intake must be at least 290 grams each day.
- Protein (meats, fish, cheese, etc.) and FATS (margarine, oils, nuts, etc.) may be used in normal amounts.
- This diet pamphlet includes a list of commonly used CARBOHYDRATE foods and the average amount of CARBOHYDRATE GRAMS in each.
- You can plan your daily intake of CARBOHYDRATE foods from the list provided. A sample menu is planned for you. (See page 2)

Your test will be scheduled for 8:45 a.m. on \_\_\_\_\_ Do not eat or drink anything after midnight the night prior to your test. You must come in fasting for your test at 8:45 a.m. We will draw your blood fasting, and then give you 100 grams of glucola. We will then draw your blood once every hour for the next 3 hours. Bring along a high protein snack so you may eat immediately after your 3-hour G.T.T.

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## SAMPLE MENU FOR 250 + GRAM CARBOHYDRATE DIET

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### SUBSTITUTIONS

FOOD ITEM	AMOUNT or SERVING	CARBO-HYDRATE GRAMS	FOOD ITEMS	AMOUNT or SERVING SIZE	CARBO-HYDRATE GRAMS
<b>BEVERAGES:</b>			<b>BREADS AND OTHER STARCHES (con't)</b>		
<b>MILK</b>			Dried beans or peas		
Whole 2%. low fat, skim	8 ounces*	10	Casseroles	1/3 cup	15
Buttermilk	8 ounces*	10	Canned, all sweetened		
Chocolate Milk	8 ounces*	25	<b>FRUITS:</b>		
Cocoa (made with milk)	8 ounces*	20	<b>RAW</b>		
Milkshakes (any type)	8 ounces*	25	Apple, orange, pear, peach, plum	1 medium	50
Yogurt, plain	8 ounces*	10	Banana	2	50
Yogurt, fruit flavored	8 ounces*	40	Cantaloupe	1/4	50
<b>CARBONATED</b>			Grapes	12 whole	50
(regular or sweetened)	12 ounces	30	Watermelon	1 slice (3")	50
<b>FRUIT JUICES</b>			Canned, all sweetened		
Apple, pineapple, cider	8 ounces	30	<b>SNACK FOODS and DESSERTS:</b>		
Grape, hawaiian punch, nectars	8 ounces	40	Cake with icing	1 slice (1/12)	15
Grapefruit, orange	8 ounces	20	Candy bar (1 oz. or more);	1	15
Tomato	8 ounces	10	Ice Cream	1/3 cup	15
<b>BREADS AND OTHER STARCHES</b>			Marshmallows	2 medium	15
Bread, any kind	1 slice	15	Pie	1 slice (1/12)	15
Buns (hamburger, hot dogs)	1 slice	20	Popcorn	1 1/2 Cups	15
Biscuits, muffins	1	15	Popsicle	1 whole	15
Cereals, cooked	1/2 cup	15	Potato chips	1 cup (10-12)	15
ready to eat, unsweetened	3/4 cup	15	Pretzels	1/2 cup	15
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Crackers	8 or more	15	Sherbet	1/2 cup	15
Macaroni, noodles, spaghetti and rice	1/2 cup	15	Cookies	2	15
Vegetables			<b>MISCELLANEOUS:</b>		
Beans, carrots, peas	1/3 cup	8	Apple butter	1 tablespoon	5
Corn	1/3 cup	15	Chocolate syrup	1 tablespoon	5
Potatoes, white	1/2 cup or 1	15	Honey	1 teaspoon	5
Potatoes, french fried	8 large	15	Jelly, jam	1 teaspoon	5
Potatoes sweet	1/3 cup	30	Maple or Pancake syrup	1 tablespoon	5
			Soup, any kind except clear broths	1/2 cup	5
			Sugar	1 teaspoon	5