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MYOCARDIAL DIETARY RESTRICTIONS FOR THALLIUM CARDIAC STRESS TESTS CPT CODE: N/A UPDATED: MARCH 2012 1. No caffeine or decaffeinated beverages, including teas, energy drinks, coffee and sodas with caffeine. Decaffeinated sodas are ok. 2. No chocolate 3. No smoking 4. You make have a light meal between parts 1 and 2 of the stress test. An example is a bowl of clear broth soup, piece of fruit and beverage (see point 1) or a small salad with a cup of soup and beverage (see point 1). Out-patients are to return to Radiology Reception at G3/3 at ______. In-patients will return to Nuclear Medicine at E1/3 at ______. Please call 225-6094 with any questions. Within UWHC, please dial 9 first. Reviewed By: S. Perlman, D. Fuerbringer Scott B. Perlman, MD, MS Derek Fuerbringer, CNMT

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