## LOW FIBER DIET RECOMMENDATIONS

| Foods to Eat | Foods to Avoid |
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| Bread, cereals, and grains <br> - Cereals without whole grains, added fiber, seeds, raisins or other dried fruit <br> - Crackers, zwieback, melba, and matzoh (no cracked wheat or whole grains) <br> - Plain pasta or noodles <br> - Pretzels <br> - White breads, waffles, French toast, plain white rolls, or white bread toast <br> - White flour for baking or making sauces <br> - White rice | Bread, cereals, and grains <br> - Bran <br> - Brown or wild rice <br> - Coconut <br> - Graham crackers <br> - Granola <br> - Kasha (buckwheat) <br> - Nuts or seeds <br> - Wheat germ <br> - Whole grains, cracked grains, or whole wheat products |
| Vegetables: <br> - Strained vegetable juices without pulp or spices <br> - Tender, well-cooked fresh or canned vegetables without seeds, stems or skins: carrots, green or wax beans, spinach, lima beans, pumpkin, asparagus tips | Vegetables: <br> - Raw or steamed vegetables <br> - Vegetables with seeds <br> - Sauerkraut <br> - Winter squash, peas, broccoli, Brussel sprouts, cabbage, onions, cauliflower, peas, and corn |
| Fruits and desserts <br> - Canned fruit without seeds or skins (not pineapple) <br> - Melons, except watermelon <br> - Ripe bananas <br> - Sherbet and popsicles <br> - Strained or clear juices | Fruits and desserts <br> - All berries, figs, dates, and raisins <br> - Prune juice and prunes <br> - Raw or dried fruit |
| Milk/Dairy <br> - Cheese, including cottage cheese <br> - Cream sauces, soups, and casseroles <br> - Custard or pudding <br> - Ice cream or frozen desserts (without nuts) <br> - Milk, plain or flavored <br> - Sour cream <br> - Yogurt without seeds or granola | Milk/Dairy <br> - Yogurt with seeds, berries or nuts |
| Meat and other Proteins <br> - Peanut butter without nuts <br> - Eggs <br> - Ground, well cooked tender beef, lamb, ham, veal, pork, fish, poultry, and organ meats | Meat and other proteins <br> - All beans, nuts, peas, lentils, and legumes <br> - Processed meats, hot dogs, sausage, cold cuts <br> - Tough, fibrous meats with gristle |
| Other foods and condiments <br> - Clear jellies <br> - Hard candy, marshmallows, and plain chocolate <br> - Margarine, butter, cream, and oils <br> - Mayonnaise and mild salad dressings <br> - Plain gravies, bouillon and broth <br> - Sugar, honey, and syrup | Other foods and condiments <br> - Marmalade <br> - Pickles, olives, relish, and horseradish <br> - Popcorn <br> - Potato chips |

