

Suffolk Surgery Center

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Guidelines for Pre-Operative Testing

Procedures Requiring No Pre-Operative Testing:

1. Procedures requiring only local/topical anesthesia administered by the Surgeon
2. Laser Procedures.

Minor Procedures With Anesthesia:

Minor procedures include:

- Cataract removal
 - Endoscopy procedures
 - Removal of superficial cutaneous lesions
1. EKG required for patients 50 years of age and older.
 2. Pregnancy test for females of reproductive age.

All Other Procedures:

1. EKG required for patients 50 years of age and older
2. Pregnancy test for females of reproductive age.
3. CBC
4. SMA 7
5. PT/PTT
6. 6. CXR, as per the physician

Additional tests may be ordered at the discretion of the physician conducting the medical clearance, surgeon, or anesthesiologist.