# SEMAGLUTIDE & TIRZEPATIDE CHEAT SHEET

### HOW TO MAKE THE MOST OF YOUR WEIGHT LOSS JOURNEY

1. YOU MUST DRINK THE WATER! A MINIMUM of 64 ounces of water a day required for the medicine to do its job!

CHEAT IT: What counts as water? Unsweetened tea, sparkling water, flavored water (Mio, Crystal Light), Powerade or Gatorade zero!

If a jug of water seems overwhelming, set a mini goal: two bottles of water by 10 am and two bottles of water by 2 pm and you've met your minimum.

Hot tip: Cocktails are okay, but they don't count as water :) #nicetry

#### 2. YOU MUST TAKE THE FIBER!

CHEAT IT: If every day feels like too much, start with half a serving of fiber every other day!

Hot tip: We recommend PGX or Metamucil.

3. FATTY & FRIED FOODS can cause nausea at any dose. Eat the queso with caution just in case!

CHEAT IT: Take your fiber before you eat to increase satiety.

<u>Hot tip:</u> We do not provide a specific diet at the beginning because we want you to focus on fiber and water. Eat as closely to the Mediterranean diet as possible and increase plant-based portions in general.

- STOP EATING WHEN YOU FEEL FULL to avoid bloating and nausea. If you're still hungry 30-60
  minutes later, it's okay to eat more.
- 5. START OVER THE COUNTER PRILOSEC DAILY ON AN EMPTY STOMACH to prevent nausea and heartburn symptoms if needed.
- 6. CELEBRATE EVERY VICTORY! Lost inches? Lost bloat? Feeling better? Lost 2 lbs.? Let's celebrate at your next visit!
- 7. MOVE MORE! Even if it's 10 minutes a day. You know we had to say it!
- 8. YOU ARE GOING TO NEED AN EXIT PLAN! Discuss this with your provider as you get closer to your health goals. There is no fast start or stopping!

# Remember it takes a village, and WE ARE YOUR VILLAGE!

## XOXO,

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