

To: All pharmacists
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Subject: Substitution of Colytely® for Halflytely®

Substitute 2000 ml of Colytely and 4 bisacodyl 5 mg delayed release tablets for prescriptions written for Halflytely. 2000 ml of Colytely has the same active ingredients as 2000 ml of Halflytely. Mix 4 liters of water with Colytely and then dispense 2 liters to patient. Throw out remainder.

Oral administration: Swallow all four bisacodyl delayed release tablets with water (do not chew or crush). Wait for a bowel movement (or a maximum of 6 hours) then drink 1 glass (8 oz) of the solution every 10 minutes. Drink all the solution.

Active Ingredients:	HalfLyteLy®	CoLYTELY®
polyethylene glycol 3350	210 g	420 g
sodium bicarbonate	2.86 g	5.72 g
sodium chloride	5.60 g	11.2 g
potassium chloride	0.74 g	1.48 g
bisacodyl 5 mg delayed release tablets	4	
Volume per unit	2 L	4 L
Cost per unit	\$34.10	\$4.03