Prevention of allergic reaction:

If you had previously an allergic reaction, especially difficulties with breathing, rash all over your body or heart failure after iodine was given to you, read these instructions:

Before planned procedure you should ask you GP to prescribe you:

**Prednisone 40 mg by mouth at 12 hours and 2 hours prior to contrast injection and 2 tablets of Phenergan (tablet 25mg each) 2 hours before surgery.**

In acute cases we will give you Hydrocortisone 200 mg IV 1 hour prior and 3 hours post contrast injection.

If your GP can not give you the script ask us >48 hours before planned admission and we will organize a script to be sent to you.

Never forget to remind the surgeon or the anesthetist about your allergies.