

Post-Sedation Instructions for Midazolam

Midazolam is a medication which has a drowsy/amnestic effect and it may take up to 12 hours for the full effect of the medication to wear off. Please watch your child closely for the rest of the day. If your child falls asleep, put the child on their side between two pillows for support in case of vomiting. It is important that you follow these additional instructions:

Food and drink

Please feed your child a soft diet (i.e. yogurt, smoothies, jello) until the "freezing" wears off in about 1-3 hours. After this, resume a normal diet.

Activities

Please keep your child quietly at home and supervised by an adult for the rest of the day. Don't take your child to any scheduled activities, like swim lessons or hockey that day.

Transportation

Please do NOT rely on public transportation to get home. You will be expected to take your child straight home after the appointment.

Medications

Resume normal medications as directed by your dentist.

If your child experiences acute pain or has any other post-operative problem, please don't hesitate to call the office at 604 343-3810. For any after hour emergencies please call Dr. Millenaar at 604-551-7462 (mobile), or contact Dr. Smita at 778 682-5584 (mobile)