

Sedated Echocardiogram Discharge Instructions- Versed® (midazolam)

In an emergency, call 911 or go to your local emergency room.

What should I expect when I go home?

Your child received Versed® (midazolam) for their sedated echocardiogram today. These are the things you need to keep in mind:

- For at least the next **2 hours**, you must observe your child **closely**. Their coordination may not be normal during that time, it will slowly improve over the next 2 hours.
- For at least the next **2 hours**, do not let your child walk independently.

What do I need to know about my child's medications?

- You may give prescribed medications as scheduled
- **Do not** give your child medications that can cause drowsiness (for example: cold medications such as Benadryl®) for the first 24 hours after sedation.

Who do I call if I have questions?

For any questions or concerns after discharge, please call Pediatric Cardiology:

- During business hours, Monday-Friday between 8am-5pm call: (734) 764 - 5176
- After hours, on weekends, holidays call: (734) 936 - 6267 and ask for the Pediatric Cardiology resident on call.

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