



Post – Op Instructions for patients undergoing intravenous sedation

Since the 1st April 2018 new charges for sedation services have been invoked. There is now a charge of £59.10 if you wish to have sedation unless you are exempt from charges.

AFTER TREATMENT

Although you think you have recovered quite quickly, the effects of your sedation may not have worn off completely until the next day. For the first 24 hours after the procedure it is important that you:

- **DO** go home with your escort and rest quietly for the rest of the day
- **DON'T** drive a vehicle or operate any form of machinery for 24 hours.
- **DON'T** sign any important documents or make irreversible decisions
- **DON'T** take any other form of sedatives, including alcohol
- **DON'T** do any vigorous activity
- **DON'T** be responsible for a minor
- **DON'T** nurse (breast feed) an infant if you are breast feeding.
- **DON'T** go out alone

After your visit, you will not remember much at all. Simply go home and rest, and if you have any questions or concerns call the surgery on [0161-302-1584](tel:0161-302-1584) and we will be glad to help you.