

Management of emergency presentation with sedation

a) Management of Sedative Intoxication

Assessment

- Airway,
- Breathing, and
- Circulation (ABC)
- * Provided IM naloxone injection immediately if suspected opioid overdose (coma, pinpoint pupils, respiratory depression)



- Airway- remove blocking materials, if present.
- Breathing- Give oxygen
- Circulation – If possible, make venous access immediately and give IV fluid if patient is
 - hypotensive or dehydrative.
 - Do not give oral fluid or food to prevent aspiration or choking