

HNE AREA Intensive Care

Approved For: JHH and CMN ICU's

MORPHINE/FENTANYL AND MIDAZOLAM

Trade Name:

Presentation:

Indications: Used in sedation regime for VENTILATED PATIENTS ONLY

Administration: 50mg of morphine and 50mg of Midazolam are diluted up to a total of 50mls with normal saline or 5% dextrose as ordered. If fentanyl is used, 500 micrograms of fentanyl and 50mgs of Midazolam are diluted up to a total volume of 50mls as above.

Dose range: 1 to 4mls per hour. Increase only with medical discussion

Dose

Precautions

Compatibilities: **Incompatible with:** Aminophylline, Heparin, phenytoin, thiopentone, sodium bicarbonate, diazepam, phenobarb

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