

Sedation Checklist for Ordering Providers

To ensure that your patient's exam or procedure is scheduled timely and appropriately, please complete this form and fax it back to us. Note that answering 'yes' does not mean that your patient will need anesthesia, only that our Sedation Team will need to do further screening with the parents. Thank you for choosing Children's Healthcare of Atlanta Sedation Services.

Exam being ordered and diagnosis:

Previous need for anesthesia?	YES	NO
Previous complications with sedation or anesthesia?	YES	NO/NA
Children >2 years old: Born >2 weeks before due date?	YES	NO/NA
If yes, is child >52 weeks post-conceptual age?	YES	NO/NA

* Please note, we can feed and bundle most infants until about 2 months of age. Our physicians may sedate babies <52 weeks PCA if necessary, however the child will have to be admitted for inpatient obs for 12 hours after sedation.)

Child older than 2: Is the child obese? (Z-score >2.5)

If MRI, does the child have any implanted medical devices? YES NO

HEART:	Any cardiac defect/disease? (ex. CHF, cyanotic heart disease , myocarditis, vascular ring)	YES	NO
LUNGS:	Sleep disordered breathing? If a sleep study is ordered, sedation should be scheduled after results are obtained.	YES	NO
	Any respiratory infection in last 4 weeks	YES	NO
	Oxygen requirement	YES	NO
	History of airway malacia	YES	NO
	Infant with BPD or PHTN	YES	NO
	Severe or poorly controlled asthma	YES	NO
	Aspiration history or failed OPMS	YES	NO
NECK:	Cervical spine instability (ex Down Syndrome or injury)	YES	NO
	Suspected or known abscess, mass, or organ enlargement with potential to obstruct airway	YES	NO
HEENT:	Vocal cord dysfunction, injurt or stridor	YES	NO
	Inability to control secretions	YES	NO
	Micrognathia	YES	NO
	Macroglossia	YES	NO
	Cystic hygroma	YES	NO
	Unable to open mouth fully	YES	NO
GI:	GERD requiring treatment beyond PPI or H2 blocker	YES	NO
	Vomiting more than once in last 48 hours	YES	NO
SYNDROMES:	Any syndrome with dysmorphology affecting mouth, airway, neck ROM or chest expansion	YES	NO
	Mitochondrial disorder	YES	NO
HEMATOLOGY:	HGB <8	YES	NO