This is a protocol for sedating an adult (>17 years of age) patient that had an advanced airway placed (ETT or supraglottic) while obtunded. This does not allow providers to sedate a patient in order to place an advanced airway.

**Indication:** Patient is starting to awaken, gag, spasm, etc. and provider is concerned for self-extubation, tube dislodgement, provider/patient safety

**Contraindications:**
- Known hypersensitivity/allergy

**Requirements:**
- Patient is >17 years of age

**Intervention:**
- 50 micrograms of Fentanyl (Sublimaze) IV/IO/IM
  AND
- 2mg Midazolam (Versed) IV/IO/IM

Dose may be repeated every 5 minutes as needed to achieve sedation. If sedation using other medications (such as Ketamine) is needed, contact Medical Control.

**Side Effects:**
- Hypotension

**Administration Notes:**
- Do not mix medications in a single syringe. Administer separately.