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The Use of Chemical Restraints Reduces Agitation in Patients Transported by Emergency Medical Services

1) Sudden death of patients transported with physical restraints is thought to be caused by which of the following?

- Positional asphyxia
- Severe acidosis
- Excited delirium
- All of the above

2) The first step to deescalating a situation should be what?

- Physical restraints
- Physically engaging a patient
- Communicate in a calm voice toward the patient
- Chemical Restraint

3) The use of chemical restraints decreased the frequency of injury to providers by agitated patients.

- True
- False

4) The use of chemical restraints reduced the overall agitation of patients.

- True
- False

5) The ideal chemical sedative should have which of the following characteristics?

- Quick onset
- Multiple modes of administration
- Minimal side effects
- Short duration of action
- All of the above

6) If available, chemical restraints are used in approximately 60% of agitated patients

- True
- False