

# PEDI BEHAVIORAL PB-03

# **AGGRESSIVE/VIOLENT**

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History and Physical:	
Historical Findings	Physical Findings
<ul><li>Known violence</li></ul>	<ul><li>Agitation</li></ul>
<ul><li>Aggression</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Offensive posture</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>Combative</li></ul>
	<ul><li>Hallucinations</li></ul>
	<ul><li>Tachycardia/Hypertension</li></ul>

#### **Assessment:**

- Behavioral assessment
- Differential Diagnoses: Toxins, Thyroid storm, Head injury, psychosis
- Mental status
- BGL
- Subject in Custody Risk Assessment Score (if applicable)

Clinical Management Options:	
Interventions	Pharmacology
<ul> <li>Reassure patient</li> <li>Soft restraints if patient is physically harmful</li> <li>Oxygen therapy as appropriate</li> <li>Vascular Access: obtain as soon as possible after patient safety sedation medications have</li> </ul>	Sedation Management
been administered IM.	

#### Consult

None

### **Considerations:**

- This procedure applies to patients being treated under implied consent and IS NOT to be used on patients specifically refusing transport
- If possible, inquire about medication allergies