


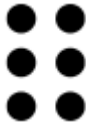


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Treatment of Hypoglycaemia

HCL pump



Information for patients,
relatives and carers

If your sensor shows hypoglycaemia but you have no symptoms, check with a finger prick before treatment

Glucose below 4mmols

Step 1

Give hypo treatment as per table and wait 15 minutes.
If your glucose reaches 4mmol before 15mins proceed to step 2

Sit down and relax while waiting 15 minutes

Step 2

Glucose above 4mmol

Resume activity
If due a meal, bolus maximum 5-10minutes before eating.

Glucose still below 4mmol

Check with finger prick to confirm
Return to step 1

In the event the child is unconscious do not put anything in the child's mouth.






Put child in recovery position and call for an ambulance.

Give Glucagon injection **if you are trained to do so**



Glucagon Dose— Over 25kg 1mg full dose

Under 25kg 0.5 mg half dose

Treatment		Carbs	Pre school	Infant school	Junior School	Secondary school
			1.5g	2.5g	5g	7.5g
Lift Chews		4g per chew	Not suitable	1/2 a chew	1 chew	2 chews
Dextro energy		3g per tablet	1/2 a tablet	1 tablet	1-2 tablets	2-3 tabs
Lift Juice		15g per bottle	6ml	10ml	20ml	30ml/ 1/2 bottle
Lucozade sport		6.5g per 100ml	25ml	40ml	75ml	115ml
Glucogel		10g per tube	1 Thumb width of tube	1/4 tube	1/2 tube	3/4 of tube

Treatment of hypoglycaemia should bring your glucose between 4 and 7 mmol.

If your glucose is too high after treatment consider reducing dose next treatment.

If you are experiencing frequent hypoglycaemia please contact your diabetes team

Hypo treatments can be prescribed by your gp.

Try and brush your teeth after hypo treatment and see your dentist regularly to maintain good oral health.