

Key Points for T-Slim Insulin Pump Users

Meals & Snacks

Carbohydrate counting is still needed!
Give insulin 15 minutes before eating—enter carbohydrate value into the pump, confirm request, deliver insulin using blue tick.

Cannula & Infusion Sets

Change every 3 days, watching a video to remind you how to do this can help!

**REMEMBER:
IF IN DOUBT
CHANGE IT OUT!**

The Pump

- ◆ Needs to stay on all the time
- ◆ Can be disconnected for 1 hour for swimming or showering/bathing (don't forget to suspend the pump)
- ◆ Charge the pump everyday for 30 mins, can be charged while attached but not in bed overnight
- ◆ Keep in Control-IQ 90% of the time, indicated by diamond in top left corner of the pump front screen

Sensor

The sensor is connected via Bluetooth to the pump and is part of the closed-loop system.

**If a sensor stops working the pump is still delivering insulin, it will switch to Manual mode and deliver the pre-set basal rate.
(No need to revert to pens or remove pump)**

Hypoglycaemia

May still happen, but will need less hypo treatment to treat.

The pump will suspend insulin delivery, no need to remove the pump.

Hyperglycaemia

(If glucose levels above **14mmol** for 2 hours and not resolving) .
See hyper flow charts for pumps.

1. Check for ketones
2. Give double correction via pen if ketones above 0.6mmol.
If ketones 0.6mmol or below no pen correction—go to step 4
3. Waste insulin if correction given via pen
4. Change cannula
5. Reattach pump and re-start insulin
6. Call for help if you need support - 01225 825331

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