

My provider's name _____ Patient name: _____
Clinic phone number _____ Date of plan: ____/____/____

HOW MUCH INSULIN TO TAKE TO CORRECT MY BLOOD SUGAR

____ First thing in the morning

When to check my
blood sugar: _____ Before meals

____ At bedtime

____ Whenever I feel my blood sugar is low or high

My mealtime insulin is: _____

My breakfast-time insulin dose is: _____ My lunch-time insulin dose is: _____ My dinner-time insulin dose is: _____

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150 - 199	Additional units to take: _____
200 - 249	Additional units to take: _____
250 - 299	Additional units to take: _____
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More than 350	Take _____ additional units AND call my provider.

Low blood sugar symptoms:
sweaty, pale, hungry, irritable, lack
of coordination, sleepy

Call my provider if low blood
sugar is happening regularly,
or more than one time per day

High blood sugar symptoms:
dry mouth, thirsty, weak,
headache, trouble seeing,
frequent urination

My long-acting insulin is: _____

My dose is _____ units at _____

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