



Nutrition for the Non-nutritionist

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Objectives

- Discuss the food sources of macronutrients and the effect on diabetes
- Discuss various nutrition strategies for diabetes management
- Provide an Introduction to Carbohydrate counting
- Provide nutrition strategies for people with complications or comorbidities
- Discuss the nutrition strategies for sick day management

Goals of Nutrition Therapy

- Maintain or improve the quality of life, nutritional and physiological health
- Prevent complications
- Treat complications, comorbid conditions and concomitant disorders

Goals of Nutrition Therapy

- Meet glycemic, blood pressure and lipid goals
- Attain or maintain healthy body weight
- Delay and prevent complications
- Nutritional needs
 - Personal, cultural preferences
 - Health and numeracy literacy
 - Access to healthful foods
 - Willingness and ability to make behavior changes

Food is to be Eaten and Enjoyed





It's not just about
blood glucose



Components of Food

Carbohydrate

Carbohydrate



Carbohydrate  **Glucose**

Carbohydrate

- ▣ Primary source of fuel
 - ▣ Controlled not restricted
- ▣ RDA 130 g/day
- ▣ Sugar and Fibre are contained within carbohydrate values

Quality and Quantity

Carbohydrate

Awareness



Carbohydrate counting



Legend

	1 cup (250 mL)		1 tablespoon (15 mL)		Choose more often
	½ cup (125 mL)		1 teaspoon (5 mL)		Choose less often
	¼ cup (60 mL)		measure after cooking		
			1 ounce (30 grams) by weight		

INCHES: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8

CARBOHYDRATE CONTAINING FOOD

1 serving=15 g available carbohydrates or 1 carbohydrate choice:

GRAINS & STARCHES

1.5x2.5 in		1 slice	¾ cup			½ large	¾ small	1.5x2.5 in	1 slice	¾
1 (6 in)		¾				7	¾ cup	10	10	¼ (6 in)
½ cup	½ (6 in)	½ medium	¾ cup			1 (4 in)	¾ (6 in)	½ (12 in)	2 (5 in)	

FRUITS

1 medium		1 small	2		15	15	2 medium			
½ medium		1 medium	1 large	1 medium	¾ cup	2 medium				

MILK & ALTERNATIVES

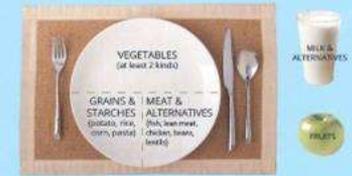
			4			¾ cup	¾ cup	¾ cup		

OTHER CHOICES (sweet foods and snacks)

	3			3	2 in square		½ small	1 bar (28 g)	7 large/30 sticks	3

Beyond the Basics

Meal Planning for Healthy Eating and Diabetes Management



Meal Plan

TIME									
CARBOHYDRATES <i>(grams / choices)</i>									
GRAINS & STARCHES									
FRUITS									
MILK & ALTERNATIVES									
OTHER CHOICES									
VEGETABLES									
MEAT & ALTERNATIVES									
FATS									

VEGETABLES

MEAT & ALTERNATIVES

			1 large							
¾ cup										
		2			1.75x0.75 in (85 g)					

FATS

¾	1 slice								¼	

Beyond the Basics

- Each food 'Choice' contains approximately 15 grams of carbohydrate
- **Portion size is important**
- Groups containing carbohydrate are:
 - Grains and Starches
 - Fruits
 - Milk Products
 - Others

Beyond the Basics

— This needs to be filled out!

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1.5x2.5 in		1 slice	$\frac{1}{2}$ cup			$\frac{1}{2}$ large	$\frac{1}{2}$ small	1.5x2.5 in	1 slice	$\frac{1}{2}$
 Chapati, roti, tortilla, whole wheat	 Corn, kernel	 English muffin, whole grain	 Pasta, cassioia			 Cereal, flake, unsweetened	 Crackers, soda type	 CROUTONS	 French fries	 Naan bread
1 (6 in)		$\frac{1}{2}$					7	$\frac{1}{2}$ cup	10	$\frac{1}{2}$ (6 in)
 Mashed sweet potato	 Pita bread, whole wheat	 Potatoes, boiled, baked	 Rice, millet	 Soup, thick type			 Pancake, waffle	 Pita bread, white	 Pizza crust	 Taco shells
$\frac{1}{2}$ cup	$\frac{1}{2}$ (6 in)	$\frac{1}{2}$ medium	$\frac{1}{2}$ cup				1 (4 in)	$\frac{1}{2}$ (6 in)	$\frac{1}{2}$ (12 in)	2 (5 in)

FRUITS

 Apple	 Applesauce, unsweetened	 Banana	 Blackberries, strawberries	 Blueberries	 Cherries	 Grapes	 Kiwi			 Mixed dried fruit
1 medium		1 small	2		15	15	2 medium			
 Mango	 Melon	 Orange	 Peach	 Pear	 Pineapple	 Plum	 Canned fruit in juice			 Juice
$\frac{1}{2}$ medium		1 medium	1 large	1 medium	$\frac{1}{2}$ cup	2 medium				

MILK & ALTERNATIVES

 Chocolate milk, 1%	 Evaporated milk, canned	 Milk, low fat	 Milk powder, skim	 Soy beverage, flavoured	 Soy beverage, plain	 Soy yogurt, flavoured	 Yogurt, low fat plain	 Yogurt, artificially sweetened		
			4			$\frac{1}{2}$ cup	$\frac{1}{2}$ cup	$\frac{1}{2}$ cup		

OTHER CHOICES (sweet foods and snacks)

 Milk pudding, skim no sugar added	 Popcorn, air-popped low fat			 Arrowroot, gingersnap cookies	 Biscuits or cake, unfrosted	 Jam, jelly, honey	 Muffin	 Oatmeal granola bar	 Pretzels, low fat	 Sugar
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Rice, millet

$\frac{1}{3}$ cup 

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 Mashed sweet potato 1/2 cup	 Pita bread, whole wheat 1/2 (6 in)	 Potatoes, boiled, baked 1/2 medium	 Rice, millet 1/2 cup	 Soup, thick type 1 cup			 Pancake, waffle 1 (4 in)	 Pita bread, white 1/2 (6 in)	 Pizza crust 1/2 (12 in)	 Taco shells 2 (5 in)

FRUITS

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 Mango 1/2 medium	 Melon 1 cup	 Orange 1 medium	 Peach 1 large	 Pear 1 medium	 Pineapple 1/2 cup	 Plum 2 medium	 Canned fruit in juice 1 cup			 Juice 1 cup

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Blackberries, strawberries



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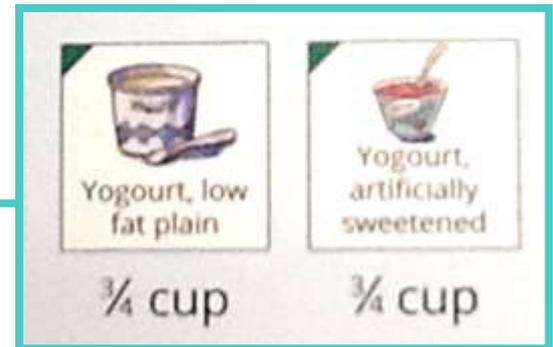
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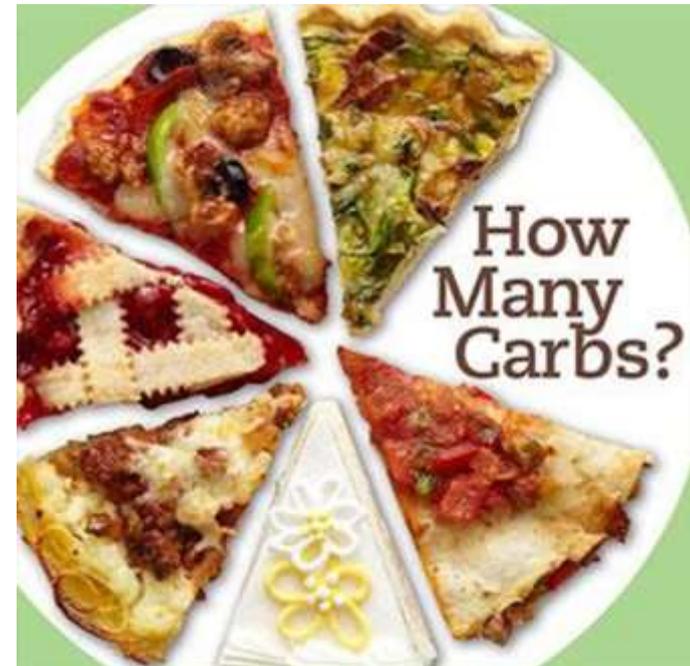
- Parsnips,
 - peas and
 - winter squash
- are considered

1 Carbohydrate Choice



**Know the food
portions of the
Beyond the Basics
poster**

Carbohydrate Counting



Carbohydrate Counting

- ▣ **Basic**

- Reading a label to identify 1 'Food Choice'

- ▣ **Intermediate**

- Comparing the portion from a nutrient analysis to the budget of carbohydrate for a meal

- ▣ **Advanced**

- Determining the amount of insulin to take based on the carbohydrate content of the meal

Carbohydrate Counting

- ▣ Type 1
- ▣ Insulin Pump
- ▣ Type 2 looking for tighter control
- ▣ Pregnancy

Health Literacy: Levels

1. Basic
2. Communicate and interact
Extract information and apply
3. Critical Thinking
Analyze information



60 %
population
Level 2 or
below

Carbohydrate Counting

Patient Requirements

- ▣ Literacy Skills
- ▣ Numeracy Skills
- ▣ Desire to do the work
- ▣ Equipment

Carbohydrate Counting: Labels

Nutrition Facts	
Valeur nutritive	
Per 1/2 cup (55 g) pour 1/2 tasse (55 g)	
Amount	% Daily Value
Teneur	% valeur quotidienne
Calories / Calories	210
Fat / Lipides	7 g 10 %
Saturated / saturés + Trans / trans	0.5 g 3 %
Cholesterol / Cholestérol	0 mg
Sodium / Sodium	10 mg 1 %
Carbohydrate / Glucides	32 g 11 %
Fibre / Fibres	5 g 18 %
Sugars / Sucres	8 g
Protein / Protéines	7 g
Vitamin A / Vitamine A	2 %
Vitamin C / Vitamine C	0 %
Calcium / Calcium	4 %
Iron / Fer	15 %

Serving size in cups
and grams

Carbohydrate in grams
Don't use %

Fibre
Subtract from
carbohydrate

Sugar alcohol would
be listed here

Nutrient Information available from:

- Food labels
- Nutrient content of common foods
- Calorie King
- My Fitness Pal
- Many apps

Carbohydrate Counting

Portion Size



Carbohydrate Counting

500 Rule

Calculate Total Daily Dose (TDD) of insulin

**500 divided by TDD =
grams of carbohydrate covered by 1 unit
of rapid insulin**

Carbohydrate Counting- 500 Rule

Sarah takes 20 units of SBE glargine and 30 units of lispro

Her TDD $20 + 30 = 50$ units

Calculating her Insulin to Carbohydrate ratio using 500 Rule

$$500/50 = 10$$

Therefore 1 unit of insulin would cover 10 grams of carbohydrate

Carbohydrate Counting- 500 Rule

Sarah eats a sandwich and a small apple for lunch.

	Carbohydrate
Sandwich	30 g
Apple(small)	<u>10 g</u>
	40 g

1 unit of insulin covers 10 g carbohydrate

$$40/10 = 4$$

Sarah would take 4 units of insulin

Carbohydrate Counting - 500 Rule

Sample Question # 1

Abdul uses aspart 10 units at breakfast, 6 units at lunch and 12 units at dinner. He takes 32 units of detemir at bedtime.

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- 1) 1:10
- 2) 1:15
- 3) 1:3
- 4) 1:8

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Carbohydrate Counting- 500 Rule

Question # 2

A patient has type 2 diabetes. She uses humalog 25 units at breakfast, 10 units at lunch and 15 units at dinner. She takes 50 units of basaglar at bedtime.

Using the 500 Rule what would her insulin to carbohydrate ratio be?

0

2) 1:5

3) 1:6

4) 1:8

Insulin to Carbohydrate ratio

grams carbohydrate

units of rapid insulin

= 1 unit of insulin per _____ gm CHO

Insulin to Carbohydrate ratio

Lorne's breakfast is package of regular instant oatmeal, 125 ml of milk, 30 ml raisins, 10 ml of brown sugar and a pinch of cinnamon. He takes 10 units of rapid insulin for this meal.

	Carbohydrate
Oatmeal	17.0 g
Milk	6.0 g
Raisins	7.5 g
Sugar	<u>10.0 g</u>
Total	40.5 g

Insulin to Carbohydrate ratio

Lorne's breakfast is 200 ml of oatmeal, 125 ml of milk, 30 ml raisins, 10 ml of brown sugar and a pinch of cinnamon. He takes 10 units of rapid insulin for this meal.

$$\frac{\text{\# grams carbohydrate}}{\text{\# units of rapid insulin}} = 1 \text{ unit of insulin per } \underline{\hspace{1cm}} \text{ g Carbohydrate}$$

$$\frac{40}{10} = 4$$

*I:C ratio would be 1:4

Calculating Carbohydrate

Tanya's Lunch

250 ml rice, salad, chicken, 1 banana

Calculation:

	Carbohydrate(grams)
Rice	45
Salad	0
Chicken	0
<u>Banana</u>	<u>20</u>
Total	65

Calculating Carbohydrate

Tanya's I:C Ratio is 1:10
1 unit to cover 10 grams of carbohydrate

Lunch

250 ml rice, salad, chicken, 1 banana = 65 grams
of carbohydrate

65 divided by 10 = 6

This person would take 6 units of insulin

Carbohydrate Counting

Tim Horton bagel and soup

Bagel 58 grams

Soup 24 grams

Total 82 grams

I:C ratio of 1 unit to cover 8 grams

This meal requires 10 units of insulin

Carbohydrate Counting

Sample Question # 3

Brandon has type 1 diabetes. He uses a 1:9 insulin:carbohydrate ratio. How much insulin would he take for the following meal?

500 ml cooked pasta

75 ml tomato sauce & 6 Meatballs

1 slice garlic bread

Caesar salad with croutons

- 1) 5 units
- 2) 10 units
- 3) 9 units
- 4) 12 units

Carbohydrate Counting

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Total Fibre 30-50 g/day

Insoluble

- Improved bowel habits



Total Fibre 30-50 g/day

Soluble (10-20g)

- Decrease post meal blood glucose
- Decrease LDL
- Delayed gastric emptying



Sugar

Sucrose (fructose) 10% energy



Sugar

Calculations

Carbohydrate has 4 calories per gram

Example

2000 calories

10% would be 200 calories

To get grams divide calories by # grams

Divide by 4

$200/4 = 50$

Sugar

50 grams of added sugar are allowed within 2000 calorie diet



Components of Food

Protein

Protein

- RDA 0.8 – 1.0 g/kg body weight
- Restricted in renal disease
- Most protein food contain fat
 - (meat and alternatives, milk, nuts)
- Encourage meat alternatives
 - Plant based protein
- Low fat selections

Protein

Fatty Fish 2-3 times/week

- ❖ Salmon, tuna, sardines, trout



Components of Food

Fat

Total Fat 20- 35 %

- Saturated less than 9% energy
- Trans fats: minimal
- Polyunsaturated include omega 3
- Monounsaturated preferred

Calculating Percentage of Fat

2000 calories

- 30% fat = 600 calories
- Divide 600 by 9
- Fat has 9 calories per gram
- $600/9 = 66$

66 grams of fat

Strategies for Nutrition Management

Prediabetes
Type 1
Type 2

Type 1

- ❖ Insulin to match carbohydrate
- ❖ Prevent hypoglycemia
- ❖ Adjust for activity
- ❖ Sick day management to prevent hypo or hyperglycemia

Strategies for Prediabetes and Type 2

- Weight loss or maintenance
- Portion Control
- Low GI
- Reduced refined carbohydrate
- Physical activity

Prediabetes

Reduce the risk of diabetes and potential risk of cardiovascular disease

Weight loss of 7% of body weight

Portion Control/ low GI

Exercise (moderate) 150 minutes/week

**Decreased incidence of diabetes by 58%
in Diabetes Prevention Program (DPP)**

Type 2



People with type 2 should maintain regularity in timing and spacing of meals to optimize glucose control

Early Type 2

- ❖ Reduction in energy to promote weight maintenance or loss
- ❖ Portion control
- ❖ Low GI/high fibre
- ❖ CHO distribution
- ❖ Dietary pattern of choice
- ❖ Physical activity

Later Type 2

- ❖ Reduction in energy to promote weight maintenance or loss
- ❖ Portion control
- ❖ **CHO distribution**
- ❖ Low GI/high fibre
- ❖ Dietary pattern of choice
- ❖ Physical activity

Type 2- Basal Insulin

- ❖ **Portion control**
- ❖ Reduction in energy to promote weight maintenance or loss
- ❖ **CHO consistency**
- ❖ Low GI/high fibre
- ❖ Dietary pattern of choice
- ❖ Physical activity

Type 2- Basal /bolus

- ❖ **Portion control**
- ❖ Reduction in energy to promote weight maintenance or loss
- ❖ **CHO consistency.....CHO counting**
- ❖ Low GI/high fibre
- ❖ Dietary pattern of choice
- ❖ Physical activity

Nutrition Strategies

No perfect combination of food types!

Food Intake is Individualized

- Carbohydrate 45-60%
- Protein 15-20%
- Fat 20-35%

Dietary Patterns or Food Strategies

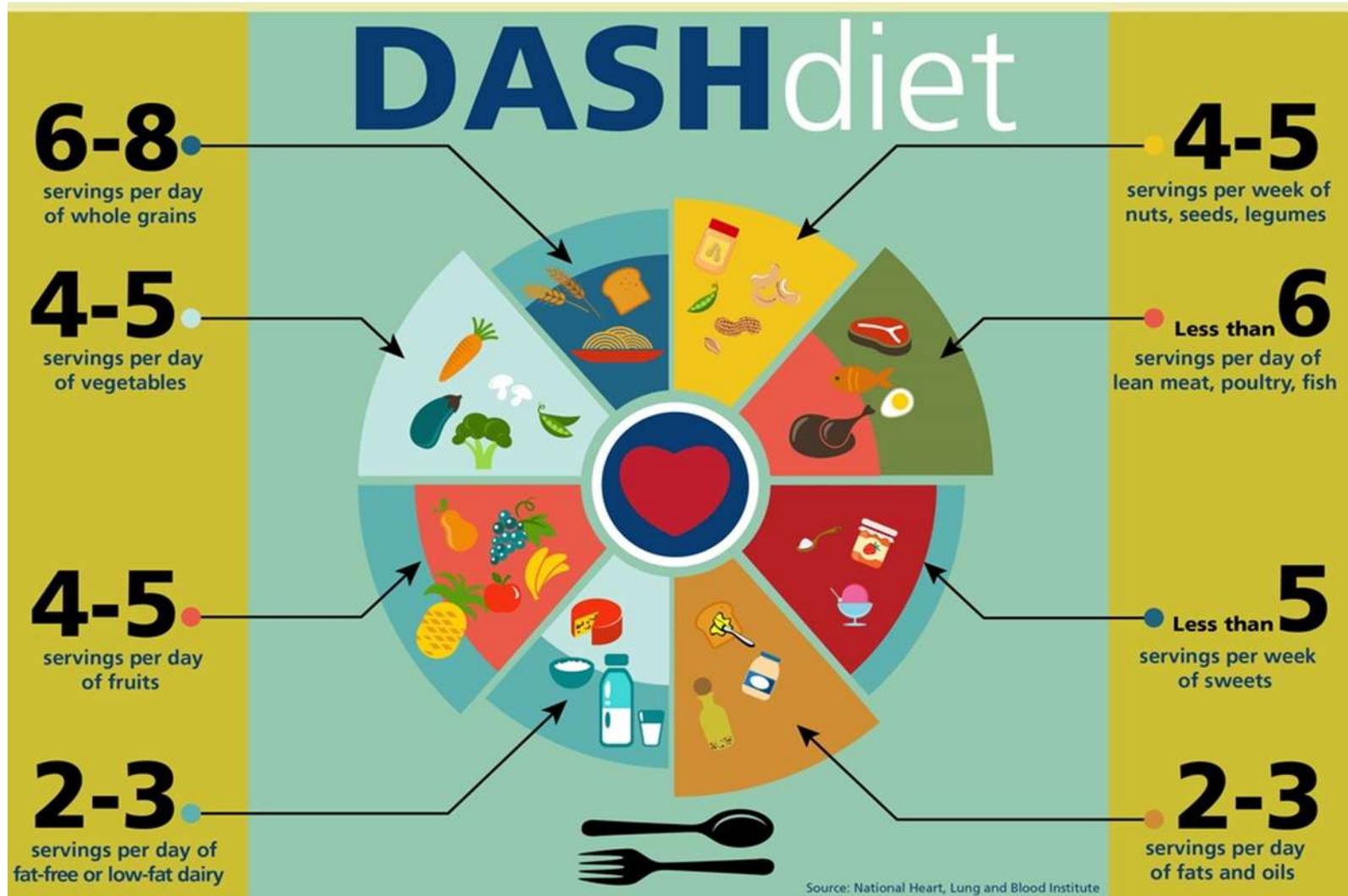
- Mediterranean
- DASH
- Portfolio
- Vegetarian
- Increased fruit and vegetables
- Increased legumes
- Add nuts

Mediterranean Diet

- Fresh Vegetables
- Fresh Fruit
- Whole Grains
- Wine in moderation
- Fish
- Legumes/beans
- Nuts for snacks
- Olive oil 4 Tbsp/day (1/4 c)
- Red or processed meat is limited



DASH Dietary Strategies to Stop Hypertension



Portfolio Diet

- Vegetarian (vegan) style of eating
- Daily inclusion of:
 - Nuts 50 g
 - Plant sterols 2 g
 - Soy Protein 50 g
 - Viscous (soluble) Fibre 10-25 g





**Know basic
differences between
the DASH diet
Mediterranean and
Portfolio diet**

Teaching Tools

Canada's Food
Guide
Just the Basics

Just the basics



Diabetes is a condition in which your body cannot properly use and store food for energy. The fuel that your body needs is called glucose, a form of sugar. Glucose comes from foods such as fruit, milk, some vegetables, starchy foods and sugar.

To control your blood glucose you will need to eat healthy foods, be active and you may need to take pills and/or insulin.

Here are some tips to help you until you see a registered dietitian.

Tips:	Reasons:
Eat three meals per day at regular times and space meals no more than six hours apart. You may benefit from a healthy snack.	Eating at regular times helps your body control blood glucose levels.
Limit sugars and sweets such as sugar, regular pop, desserts, candies, jam and honey.	The more sugar you eat, the higher your blood glucose will be. Artificial sweeteners can be useful.
Limit the amount of high-fat food you eat such as fried foods, chips and pastries.	High-fat foods may cause you to gain weight. A healthy weight helps with blood glucose control and is healthier for your heart.
Eat more high-fibre foods such as whole grain breads and cereals, lentils, dried beans and peas, brown rice, vegetables and fruits.	Foods high in fibre may help you feel full and may lower blood glucose and cholesterol levels.
If you are thirsty, drink water.	Drinking regular pop and fruit juice will raise your blood glucose.
Add physical activity to your life.	Regular physical activity will improve your blood glucose control.

Plan for healthy eating



- Eat more vegetables. These are very high in nutrients and low in calories.
- Choose starchy foods such as whole grain breads and cereals, rice, noodles, or potatoes at every meal. Starchy foods are broken down into glucose, which your body needs for energy.
- Include fish, lean meats, low-fat cheeses, eggs, or vegetarian protein choices as part of your meal.
- Have a glass of milk and a piece of fruit to complete your meal.
- Alcohol can affect blood glucose levels and cause you to gain weight. Talk to your healthcare professional about whether you can include alcohol in your meal plan and how much is safe.



Low-Fat Dairy

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&

Fruit



Just the Basics- Concepts

- Eat 3 meals per day
- No more than 6 hours without eating
- Limit sweets
- Limit high fat foods
- Increase high-fibre foods
- Drink water
- Include physical activity

Other Aspect of Nutrition Strategies

Sweeteners
Alcohol
Glycemic Index

Sweeteners

Sweeteners		Sugar Alcohols
	Acceptable Daily Intake (ADI) mg/kg body weight	*Sugar alcohols do not have Acceptable Daily Intake (ADI). Large amounts (>10g/day) can cause diarrhea, cramps, gas and bloating.
Acesulfame potassium	15	Erythritol
Aspartame	40	Hydrogenated starch hydrolysates
Cyclamate	11	Isomalt
Erythritol	1,000	Lactitol
Neotame	2	Maltitol
Saccharin	5	Maltitol syrup
Stevia glycosides	4	Mannitol
Sucralose	8.8	Sorbitol
Tagatose	80	Sorbitol syrup
Thaumatococin	0.9	Xylitol

Sweeteners that **INCREASE** blood glucose levels

Sweetener	Forms & uses	Other things you should know...
Sugars (Some examples)		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Agave syrup • Barley malt • Brown rice syrup • Brown sugar • Corn syrup • Dextrose • Fructose • Fruit juice concentrates • Glucose • High fructose corn syrup • Honey • King sugar • Invert sugar • Lactose • Maltodextrins • Maltose • Maple syrup • Molasses • Sucrose • White sugar 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Used to sweeten foods and beverages • May be found in medications 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sugars are carbohydrates that can affect your blood glucose, weight and blood fats. • There is no advantage to those with diabetes in using one type of sugar over another. • Sugars may be eaten in moderation by people with diabetes. Up to 10% of the days calories can come from added sugar. Their effect on blood glucose levels will vary. Talk to your dietitian about how to fit sugars into your meal plan.

Sweeteners that **DON'T INCREASE** blood glucose levels

Sweetener	Forms & uses	Other things you should know...
Sugar Alcohols		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hydrogenated starch hydrolysates (HSH) • Isomalt • Lactitol • Maltitol • Mannitol • Palatinit • Polydextrose • Polyol syrups • Polyols • Sorbitol • Xylitol 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Used to sweeten foods labelled "sugar free" or "no added sugar" • May be found in cough and cold syrups and other liquid medications (e.g. antacids) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sugar alcohols are neither sugars nor alcohols. Small amounts are found naturally in fruits and vegetables. They can also be manufactured. • They are only partly absorbed by your body, have fewer calories than sugar and have no major effect on blood glucose. • Check product labels for the number of grams of sugar alcohols per serving. If you eat more than 10 grams of sugar alcohols a day, you may experience side effects such as gas, bloating or diarrhea. • Talk to your dietitian if you are carbohydrate counting and want to use foods sweetened with sugar alcohols.

Health Canada has approved the following sweeteners as safe if taken in amounts up to the Acceptable Daily Intake (ADI). These sweeteners may also be used in medications. Please read the label. Ingredients may change. New products may be available.

Sweetener	Common/ Brand name	Forms & uses	Other things you should know...
Acesulfame Potassium (Ace-K)	Not available for purchase as a single ingredient	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Added to packaged foods and beverages only by food manufacturers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Safe in pregnancy* ADI=15 mg/kg body weight per day For example, a 50 kg (110 lb) person could have 750 mg of Ace-K per day. One can of diet pop contains about 42 mg of Ace-K.
Aspartame	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Equal® NutraSweet® Private label brand 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Available in packets, tablets or granulated form Added to drinks, yogurts, cereals, low calorie desserts, chewing gum and many other foods Flavour may change when heated 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Safe in pregnancy* ADI=40 mg/kg body weight per day For example, a 50 kg (110 lb) person could safely have 2000 mg of aspartame per day. One can of diet pop may contain up to 200 mg of aspartame.
Cyclamate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sucaryl® Sugar Twin® Sweet'N Low® Private label brand 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Available in packets, tablets, liquid and granulated form Not allowed to be added to packaged foods and beverages Flavour may change when heated 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Safe in pregnancy* (Be cautious of exceeding the ADI) ADI=11 mg/kg body weight per day For example, a 50 kg (110 lb) person could have 550 mg of cyclamate per day. One packet of Sugar Twin® contains 254 mg of cyclamate.
Saccharin	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hermesetas® 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Available as tablets Not allowed to be added to packaged foods and beverages 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Safe in pregnancy* ADI=5 mg/kg body weight per day For example, a 50 kg (110 lb) person could have 250 mg of saccharin per day. One tablet of Hermesetas® contains 12 mg of saccharin. Available only in pharmacies
Sucralose	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Splenda® 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Available in packets or granulated form. Added to packaged foods and beverages Can be used for cooking and baking 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Safe in pregnancy* ADI=9 mg/kg body weight per day For example, a 50 kg (110 lb) person could have 450 mg of sucralose per day. One packet of Splenda® contains 12 mg of sucralose; one cup (250 mL) contains about 250 mg of sucralose.
Steviol glycosides	Stevia-based sweeteners such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Stevia Truvia Krisda Pure Via 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Table top sweeteners Added to drinks, breakfast cereals, yogurt, fillings, gum, spreads, baked products, snack foods 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Safe in pregnancy* ADI= 4mg /kg body weight per day For example a 50kg (110 lb) person could have 200mg of Stevia per day. A 30g portion of breakfast cereal may contain 11 mg of steviol glycosides

*For nutritional reasons, pregnant women should not consume excessive products containing artificial sweeteners, since such foods could replace more nutritious foods.

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**Know the
acceptable daily
intake for
aspartame and
sucralose.**



Alcohol

- Beer: 360 ml (12 fl oz) regular strength(5 % alcohol)
- Spirits: 45 ml (1.5 fl oz) (40% alcohol)
- Wine: 150 ml (5 fl oz) (12% alcohol)



Alcohol

- Men 15 drinks/week
 - No more than 3 per day
- Women 10 drinks/week
 - No more than 2 per day



Alcohol and Type 1

Caution due to the risk of Hypoglycemia

- Symptoms can be mistaken for being drunk
- Hypoglycemia can be delayed up to 24 hours
- Do not take insulin for the carbohydrate in alcoholic beverages



To prevent Hypoglycemia Risk

- ❑ Have food when having alcohol
- ❑ Decrease insulin
- ❑ Monitor blood glucose (especially before bed and during the night)
- ❑ Tell someone you have diabetes



Alcohol and Type 2

- Hypoglycemia if they use secretagogues or insulin
- Concern if they are a poor eater or miss meals
- Contributes to weight gain
- Increases blood pressure and triglycerides



Glycemic Index

Grains and Starches

Low Glycemic Index (55 or less) Choose Most Often	Medium Glycemic Index (56 to 69) Choose Less Often	High Glycemic Index (70 or more) Choose Least Often
<p>Breads: Heavy Mixed Grain Breads Spelt Bread Sourdough Bread Tortilla (Whole Grain)</p> <p>Cereal: All-Bran™ Cereal All-Bran Buds™ With Psyllium Cereal Oat Bran Oats (Steel Cut)</p> <p>Grains: Barley Bulgur Mung Bean Noodles Pasta (Al Dente, Firm) Pulse Flours Quinoa Rice (Converted, Parboiled)</p> <p>Other: Peas Popcorn Sweet Potato Winter Squash</p> <p>Additional foods: 1. 2. 3.</p>	<p>Breads: Chapati (White, Whole Wheat) Flaxseed/Linseed Bread Pita Bread (White, Whole Wheat) Pumpkinseed Bread Roti (White, Whole Wheat) Rye Bread (Light, Dark, Whole Grain) Stone Ground Whole Wheat Bread Whole Grain Wheat Bread</p> <p>Cereal: Cream of Wheat™ (Regular) Oats (Instant) Oats (Large Flake) Oats (Quick)</p> <p>Grains: Basmati Rice Brown Rice Cornmeal Couscous (Regular, Whole Wheat) Rice Noodles White Rice (Short, Long Grain) Wild Rice</p> <p>Other: Beets* Corn French Fries  Parsnip Potato (Red, White, Cooled) Rye Crisp Crackers (e.g. Ryvita Rye Crispbread™) Stoned Wheat Thins™ Crackers</p> <p>Additional foods: 1. 2. 3.</p>	<p>Breads: Bread (White, Whole Wheat) Naan (White, Whole Wheat)</p> <p>Cereal: All-Bran Flakes™ Cereal Corn Flakes™ Cereal Cream of Wheat™ (Instant) Puffed Wheat Cereal Rice Krispies™ Cereal Special K™ Cereal</p> <p>Grains: Jasmine Rice Millet Sticky Rice White Rice (Instant)</p> <p>Other: Carrots* Potato (Instant Mashed) Potato (Red, White, Hot) Pretzels Rice Cakes Soda Crackers</p> <p>Additional foods: 1. 2. 3.</p>

* Most starchy/sweet vegetables (e.g. peas, parsnip, winter squash) provide 15 g or more carbohydrate per 1 cup serving. Beets and carrots often provide less than 15 g carbohydrate per serving (marked above with *). Most non-starchy (or free) vegetables (e.g. tomato and lettuce) have not been assigned a GI because they have very little carbohydrate and have very little effect on blood sugar.

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Breads:

Heavy Mixed Grain Breads
Spelt Bread
Sourdough Bread
Tortilla (Whole Grain)

Cereal:

All-Bran™ Cereal
All-Bran Buds™
With Psyllium Cereal
Oat Bran
Oats (Steel Cut)

Grains:

Barley
Bulgur
Mung Bean Noodles
Pasta (Al Dente, Firm)
Pulse Flours
Quinoa
Rice (Converted, Parboiled)

Grains:

Basmati Rice
Brown Rice
Cornmeal
Couscous
(Regular, Whole Wheat)

Cereal:

All-Bran Flakes™ Cereal
Corn Flakes™ Cereal
Cream of Wheat™ (Instant)
Puffed Wheat Cereal
Rice Krispies™ Cereal
Special K™ Cereal

Glycemic Index

Fruits		
Low Glycemic Index (55 or less) Choose Most Often	Medium Glycemic Index (56 to 69) Choose Less Often	High Glycemic Index (70 or more) Choose Least Often
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Apple Apricot (Fresh, Dried) Banana (Green, Unripe) Berries Cantaloupe Grapefruit Honeydew Melon Mango Orange Peach Pear Plum Pomegranate Prunes 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Banana (Ripe, Yellow) Cherries (Bottled) ▲ Cherries (Fresh) Cranberries (Dried) Figs (Fresh, Dried) Grapes Kiwi Lychee Pineapple Raisins 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Banana (Brown, Overripe) Watermelon
<p>Additional foods:</p> <p>1. _____</p> <p>2. _____</p> <p>3. _____</p>	<p>Additional foods:</p> <p>1. _____</p> <p>2. _____</p> <p>3. _____</p>	<p>Additional foods:</p> <p>1. _____</p> <p>2. _____</p> <p>3. _____</p>

Some fruits have not been assigned a GI because they contain less than 15 g of available carbohydrate per serving (e.g. lemon and lime).



Many fruits and vegetables fall in the low or medium GI categories.

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Glycemic Index

Meat and Alternatives

Low Glycemic Index (55 or less) Choose Most Often	Medium Glycemic Index (56 to 69) Choose Less Often	High Glycemic Index (70 or more) Choose Least Often
Baked Beans Chickpeas Kidney Beans Lentils Mung Beans Romano Beans Soybeans/Edamame Split Peas	Lentil Soup (ready-made) Split Pea Soup (ready-made)	
Additional foods:	Additional foods:	Additional foods:
1. 2. 3.	1. 2. 3.	1. 2. 3.

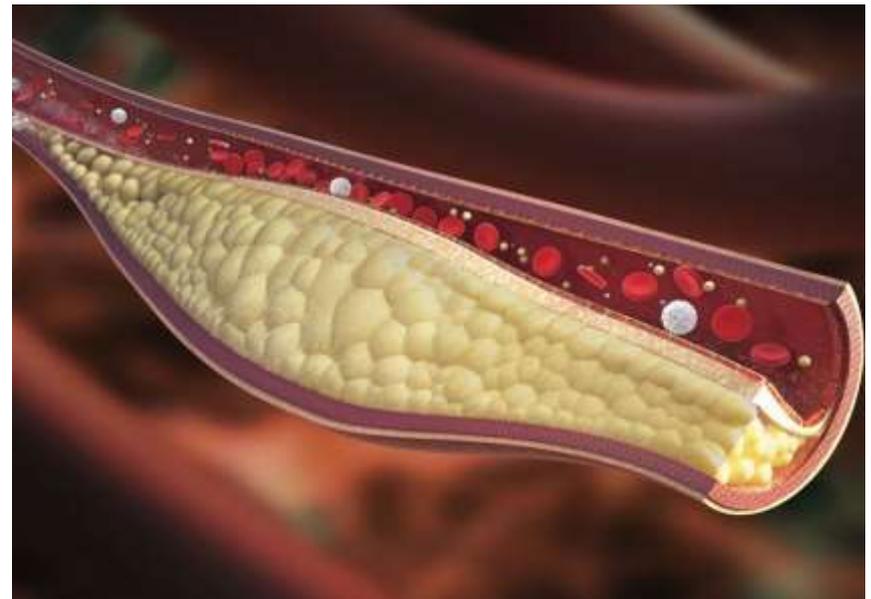
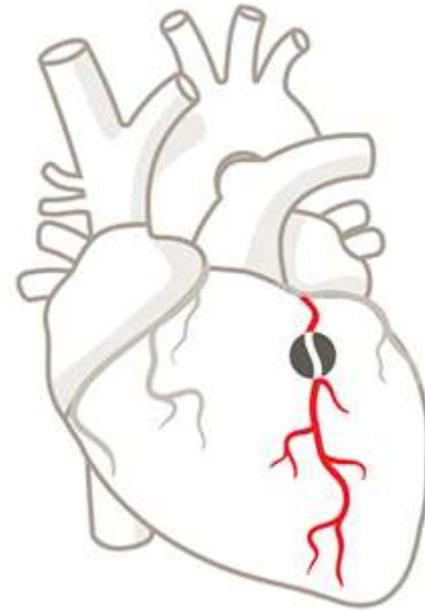


Complications and Comorbidities

Dyslipidemia
Hypertension
Gastroparesis
Renal
Celiac

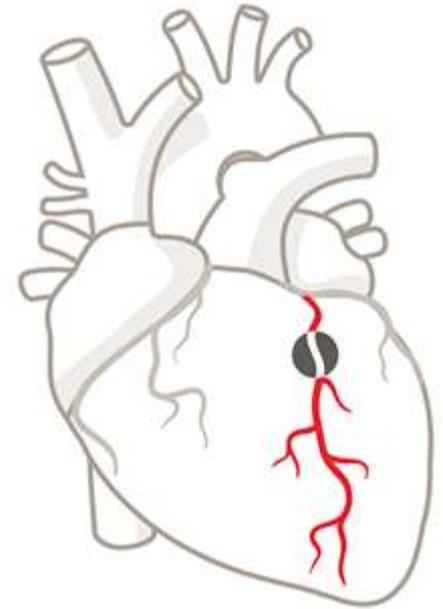
Dyslipidemia

- Patient's Goal
 - ↓Weight
 - ↑Physical Activity
 - D/C Smoking



Dyslipidemia

- Dietary Interventions
 - ↑Fibre
 - ↓Saturated Fat
 - ↑Monounsaturated Fat
 - ↓Dietary Cholesterol
 - Omega 3
 - Plant sterols
 - ↑Soy products



Hypertension



Change in
Systolic Blood Pressure
mmHg

DASH

8-14

Sodium restriction

2-8

Alcohol reduction

2-4

Weight reduction (10 kg)

5-20

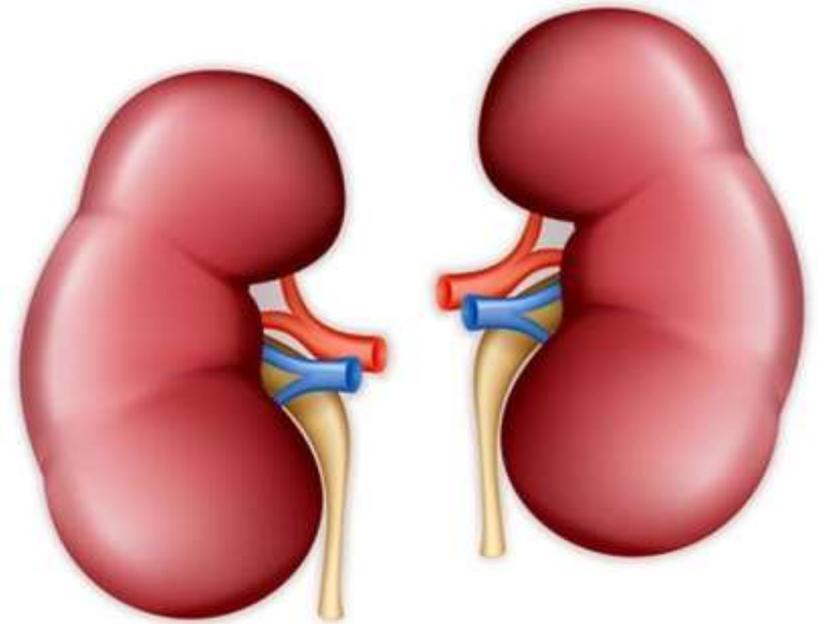
Increased physical
Activity

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Kidney Disease

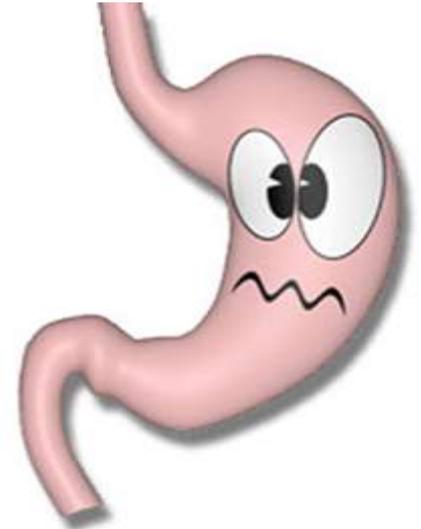
Complex Diet

- Potassium
- Sodium
- Phosphorus
- Protein
- Fluid



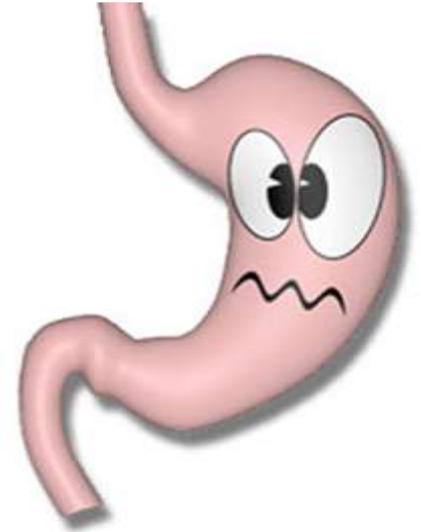
Blood Pressure and blood glucose control are important!

Gastroparesis



- Type of neuropathy
- Delayed gastric emptying (1-2 hour delay)
- Postprandial hypoglycemia
- Underdiagnosed
- Both Type 1 & Type 2

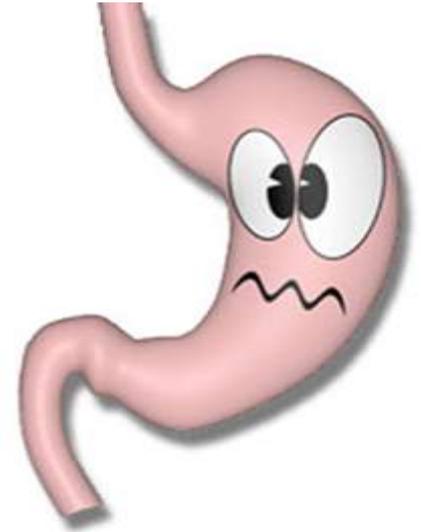
Gastroparesis



Symptoms:

- ❑ Nausea
- ❑ Vomiting
- ❑ Early Satiety
- ❑ Bloating
- ❑ Abdominal Pain
- ❑ Postprandial fullness
- ❑ Erratic Blood Glucose

Gastroparesis



Dietary Recommendations

- ❑ Low fat
- ❑ Low fibre
- ❑ Small meals
- ❑ Liquid based meals
- ❑ Avoid alcohol
- ❑ Avoid carbonated beverages

Celiac Disease

*Gluten FREE diet

- ❑ No wheat, rye, barley
- ❑ Oats can be used cautiously
- ❑ Gluten is HIDDEN in many
- ❑ Foods e.g. soy sauce



Long Term Risk:

Malabsorption of iron & calcium

Strategies for Sick Day Management



Sick Day Management

- Maintain Blood glucose:
 - ❖ preventing hyperglycemia (DKA)
 - ❖ Hypoglycemia
- Prevent dehydration



Sick Day Management

Convert solids to fluids to maintain carbohydrate intake

Contains 10 gm Carbohydrate

Apple Juice	75 ml
Cranberry Juice(white)	50 ml
Cranberry Cocktail	75 ml
Cranberry Cocktail low cal	250 ml
Gatorade	200 ml
Grape Juice(white)	50 ml
Powerade	200 ml
Regular Jello	50 ml
Regular Gingerale	125 ml
Popsicle	1 stick



Sick Day Management

Sick Day food choices 15 grams of carbohydrate

Apple Juice	125 ml
Cranberry Cocktail	125 ml
Cranberry Cocktail low cal	325 ml
Gatorade	300 ml
Grape Juice(white)	75 ml
Powerade	300 ml
Regular Jello	75 ml
Regular Gingerale	175 ml
Popsicle	1.5 stick

Ice Cream	125 ml
Tomato Soup	250 ml
Cream of Chicken Soup	325 ml
Chicken Noodle Soup	325 ml



Sick Day Management

Blood Glucose mmol/L	Blood Ketones mmol/L	Urine Ketones	Action Required My rapid insulin is _____
< 3.9	negative		Decrease pre-meal insulin
4.0- 16.0	<0.6	+ or -	Usual insulin dose
4.0 – 16.0	≥ 0.6	Small light purple +2	Add an Extra 10% in addition to pre-meal dose
>16.0	<0.6	+ or -	Add an Extra 10% in addition to pre-meal dose
>16.0	$\geq 0.7- 1.4$	Moderate purple +3	Add an Extra 15% in addition to pre-meal dose
>16.0	$\geq 1.5 – 3.0$	Large dark purple +3	Add an Extra 20% every 4 hours in addition pre-meal dose Contact your Dr. or healthcare team as soon as possible.

Sick Day Management

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Patient Resources
Tools and Resources
Management

Stay Safe When You Have Diabetes and Are Sick or at Risk of Dehydration



You are at risk of dehydration if you have any of the following:

- Vomiting
- Diarrhea
- Fever
- Excessive exposure to heat and/or humidity without drinking enough



DRINK plenty of fluids, with minimal sugar (unless you have been told to limit fluids)

- Consider electrolyte replacement solutions (such as Gastrolyte®, Hydralyte®, Pedialyte®), clear soups or broths, water, diet soda (e.g. diet ginger-ale), watered down apple juice
- Limit caffeine (from coffee, tea and soda drinks) which makes dehydration worse



PREVENT low blood sugar (hypoglycemia).

If you cannot eat your usual foods, try any of the following foods, each containing about 15g of carbohydrates.

- 1 cup milk*
- ½ cup juice
- ½ cup applesauce
- ½ cup regular Jell-O
- ½ cup flavoured yogurt*
- ½ cup ice cream* or sherbet
- ½ cup regular soft drink (avoid caffeinated drinks)
- ¼ cup pudding or ½ cup sugar-free pudding
- 1 twin popsicle



* Consider avoiding these foods if vomiting or diarrhea

IF YOU ARE USING INSULIN, you need to check your blood sugar more often and you might need to adjust the amount of insulin you inject

IF YOU ARE EATING LESS THAN NORMAL, and the symptoms last more than 24 hours, you should **TEMPORARILY STOP:**

Certain Diabetes Pills

- Secretagogues: e.g. Gliclazide (Diamicon®), Glyburide (Diabeta®), Repaglinide (GlucoNorm®)



If the symptoms last more than 24 hours and you continue to be dehydrated, or at risk of dehydration, you should also TEMPORARILY STOP:

Certain Blood Pressure / Heart Medications

- ACE Inhibitors: e.g. Enalapril (Vasotec®), Fosinopril (Monopril®), Lisinopril (Prinivil®/Zestril®), Perindopril (Coverlyl®), Quinapril (Accupril®), Ramipril (Altace®), Trandolapril (Mavik®)
- ARBs: e.g. Candesartan (Atacand®), Eprosartan (Teveten®), Irbesartan (Avapro®), Losartan (Cozaar®), Olmesartan (Olmotec®), Teimisartan (Micardis®), Valsartan (Diovan®)

All Water Pills

- e.g. Chlorthalidone (Hygroton), Furosemide (Lasix®), Hydrochlorothiazide, Indapamide (Lozide®), Metolazone (Zaroxolyn®), Spironolactone (Aldactone®)

Certain Diabetes Pills

- Metformin (Glucophage® or Glumetza®)
- SGLT2 Inhibitors: e.g. Canagliflozin (Invokana®), Dapagliflozin (Forxiga®), Empagliflozin (Jardiance™)

Anti-Inflammatory Pain Medications

- e.g. Ibuprofen (Advil®/Motrin®), Celecoxib (Celebrex®), Diclofenac (Voltaren®), Ketorolac (Toradol®), Naproxen (Aleve®/Naprosyn®)

Note: The list above does not include the names of medications that come in combination (2 medications in one tablet).

Ask your pharmacist to tell you:

The medications I need to TEMPORARILY STOP are:

When I am eating less than normal:

When I am dehydrated:

This personalized list last reviewed (date):

Note: RESTART these medications when you are eating and drinking normally.

Call your health-care team (Pharmacist, Doctor, Nurse Practitioner, Nurse, Dietitian) and/or go the Emergency Department

- If you cannot drink enough fluids
- If you don't know which medications to stop
- If you don't know how to adjust your insulin
- If you have been told to check your ketones and they are moderate to high
- If you have any of the following that are not getting better: vomiting, diarrhea, stomach pain, frequent urination, extreme thirst, weakness, difficulty breathing or fever



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