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## Quick Reference Guide Guardian™ 4 smart CGM system

A smart<sup>†</sup> CGM system that gives more than just numbers No calibrations required.

#### **Getting started**

### **Initial CGM settings**

Low limit	3.4 mmol/L
Alert before low	OFF
Alert on low	ON
Rate Alert	OFF
Cnoozo	20 minutes

High limit:	13.9 mmol/L
Alert before high:	OFF
Alert on high:	OFF at initiation
Rate Alert:	OFF
Snooze:	2 hours

#### **Education**

#### Bolus adjustment guidelines using trend arrows<sup>1</sup>

$\uparrow \downarrow$	1 to 2mmol/L change in glucose in previous 20 minutes
$\uparrow\uparrow\downarrow\downarrow$	2 to 3mmol/L change in glucose in previous 20 minutes
$\uparrow\uparrow\uparrow$ $\downarrow\downarrow\downarrow$	>3mmol/L change in glucose in previous 20 minutes

#### Patients using mealtime insulin can be taught to adjust doses based on the on-screen trend arrows.

no arrow	No change in dose	no arrow	No change in dose
$\downarrow$	Decrease dose by 10%	$\uparrow$	Increase dose by 10%
$\downarrow \downarrow$ or $\downarrow \downarrow \downarrow$	Decrease dose by 20%	$\uparrow \uparrow$ or $\uparrow \uparrow \uparrow$	Increase dose by 20%

#### If glucose is low before meal, instruct patient:

- Do not bolus while glucose is low.
- Treat the low.
- After treating the low and the glucose is within target, calculate the bolus to cover the meal.

#### If glucose is at or above target before a meal:

- Check for trend arrows
- Calculate the bolus for the meal using guidelines shown above

### Follow up

Metric	Time above <sup>2</sup> 13.9 mmol/L	Time above <sup>2</sup> 10.0 mmol/L	Time in Range <sup>2</sup> 3.9 - 10.0 mmol/L	Time below <sup>2</sup> 3.9 mmol/L	Time below <sup>2</sup> 3.0 mmol/L	HbA1c³	Coefficient of Variation (CV) <sup>2</sup>	Sensor Use <sup>4</sup>
Goals	<5%	<25%	>70%	<4%	<1%	<7% (<53 mmol/mol)	<36%	≥ 85%

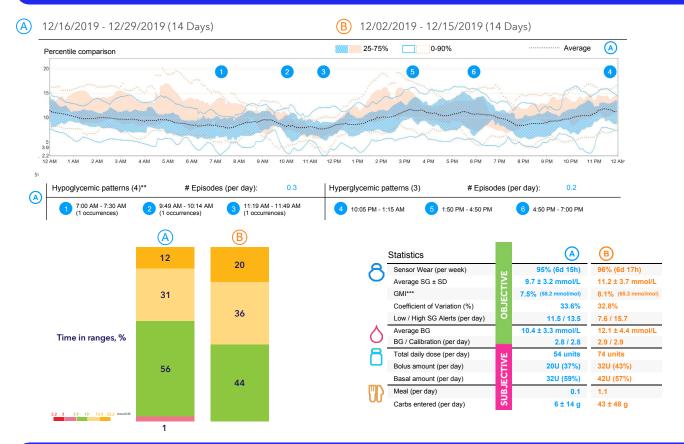
Review the Assessment & Progress Report for information on Time in Range, below and above Range, Coefficient of variation and sensor use.

# Personalised patient goals may be different to what is in the table. Action may not be required if personalised goals are met.

<sup>†</sup> Smart CGM predicts future high and low sensor glucose events up to 1 hour in advance and provides access to additional algorithms and insights that can inform users of clinically relevant glucose

<sup>\*</sup>If CGM readings do not match symptoms or expectations, use a blood glucose meter to make diabetes treatment decisions. Refer to System User Guide

#### Carelink™ report - assessment & progress



#### If goals are not met, assess patient's medications and behaviours

Use Sensor & Meter Overview report to evaluate:

Time above Range is high

- Pre-prandial glucose: if rise occurs, counsel patient on bolusing earlier before meal
- Post-prandial glucose: if glucose is rising more than 1.7-3.3 mmol/L, assess oral medications, GLP-1, and/or mealtime bolus insulin
- Fasting glucose: assess bedtime glucose and behaviours, oral and injectable medications, basal insulin

Time below Range is high Use Sensor & Meter Overview report to assess:

- Amount and/or timing of oral medications
- Basal insulin dose
- Amount and/or timing of bolus insulin
- Inconsistent food intake
- Exercise
- Alcohol consumption

If Sensor Use is < 85%

- Educate on sensor use and care
- Explore reasons for underuse

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See the device manual for detailed information regarding the instructions for use, indications, contraindications, warnings, precautions, and potential adverse events. For further information, contact your local Medtronic representative.

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#### ALWAYS FOLLOW THE DIRECTIONS FOR USE (IFU)

For detailed information regarding indications, contraindications, warnings, precautions, and potential adverse effects, please consult the IFU. Always consult a Health Care Professional before making treatment decisions, and to see if this product is suitable for you.

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