## **Sick Day Management Guidelines for Type 1 Diabetes**

## Sick with Vomiting

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	Check B.S. every 1-2 hrs.	Check B.S. every 2-3 hrs.	Check B.S. every 2 hrs.
Checking and Insulin Dosing	Check urine ketones with each void or diaper change <i>or</i>	Check urine ketones with each void or diaper change <i>or</i>	Check urine ketones with each void or diaper change or
	Check blood ketones each time B.S. is measured	<ul> <li>Check blood ketones each time B.S. is measured</li> <li>May need extra RAPID- ACTING insulin (NovoLog, Humalog)</li> <li>Mod. urine ketones or Blood ketones &gt; 1.0 :</li> <li>→ Give Humalog or NovoLog</li> </ul>	Check blood ketones each time the B.S. is measured
	<ul> <li>May need to ↓ insulin dose:     (am N, Lente, Ultralente by 30-50%)</li> <li>For urine ketones &gt; moderate or     blood ketones &gt; 1.5 and B.S.&lt; 150;</li> </ul>		• <u>Mod</u> . urine ketones or Blood ketones > 1.0;  → Give Humalog or NovoLog  (10% of total daily dose or
	<ul> <li>call BDC staff for help</li> <li>For urine ketones &gt; moderate or blood ketones &gt; 1.5 and if B.S is now &gt;150 (after liquids with sugar), go to either column B or C</li> <li>If on insulin pump:</li> <li>➤ with vomiting and B.S. &lt;60, disconnect or suspend pump until B.S&gt;80</li> <li>➤ if B.S. continues &lt; 80, consider temporary basal rate of 50-75% until B.S. &gt; 80</li> </ul>	(5-10% of total daily dose or correction dose x1)  ➤ Repeat ketone checks every 2 hrs until urine ketones < mod or blood ketones < 0.6  • Large urine ketones or  Blood ketones > 1.5;  → Give Humalog or NovoLog  (10-20% of total daily dose or correction dose x1)  ➤ Repeat every 1-2 hrs until urine ketones < mod or blood ketones < 1.0  Questions? Call BDC staff.	correction dose x1)  ➤ Repeat ketone checks every 2 hrs until urine ketones < mod or blood ketones < 0.6  • Large urine ketones or Blood ketones > 1.5;  → Give Humalog or NovoLog  (20% of total daily dose or double correction dose x1)  ➤ If on insulin pump, give the first dose of insulin with a syringe, then change site of infusion
			Repeat every 2 hrs until urine ketones < mod or blood ketones < 1.0  Questions? Call BDC staff.
Oral Fluids	<ul> <li>Give fluids with sugar (Gatorade, apple juice, pedialyte, popsicles, tea with honey (if child is over 1 yr. of age) or sugar)</li> <li>If vomiting, wait 30-45 min., then give only sips of clear fluid every 15 min.</li> <li>If vomiting with B.S. &lt; 60, may use low dose Glucagon (1 unit per year of age) AND call M.D.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Give fluids: half water and some with sugar (1-2 oz/hr./year of age, until ketones neg.)</li> <li>Call primary M.D. if infection or fever</li> <li>Call BDC staff if urine ketones large or blood ketones &gt;1.5 after trying fluids and extra insulin for 4 hrs.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Give fluids, 2-16 oz. per hour (use smaller amount for very young child)         (Use water and other fluids with calories and no caffeine)</li> <li>Provide enough calories to keep B.S. near 150</li> <li>Call BDC staff if urine ketones are large or blood ketones &gt;1.5 and vomiting continues for &gt; 4 hrs</li> </ul>

Abbreviations: BDC (Barbara Davis Center), MD (Doctor), BS (Blood Sugar), hrs (hours), > (greater than), < (less than), ↓ (lower, decrease), oz (ounces)