Hybrid Closed Loop and Pregnancy Workshop

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Process

Attend Pregnancy Clinic	Acceptance of HCL	Follow up
Offer HCL (CamAPS FX	Set up HCL within 2-6	2 follow up appointments
only)	weeks of acceptance in	within 1 st 6 weeks from
	group session (1-1 where	HCL start (Face to face or
Offer switch to those on	required)	virtual)
other systems		
	If person declines	Point of contact Mon-Fri
Provide written	CamAPS FX, advise all	
information via email/	other HCL systems	Continue to remain
print out.	presently not licensed for	under Pregnancy team.
	pregnancy. Discuss with	Review with DSM/ DSN 2-
Commence 5mg Folic	Diabetes & Pregnancy	3 weeks postnatal and
acid once daily if not on	lead if suboptimal control	Review with Prof Meek/
already	on multiple daily	Dr Morrison around 12
	injections	weeks postnatal

NOTE:

If a person is opting to remain on a system that is used outside of license for pregnancy despite a documented conversation with a Diabetes Consultant, discuss with patient need to revert to CSII.

Whilst awaiting HCL start...

Pre-meal bolusing (10-15 minutes pre meals) Re-balance basal and bolus and use appropriate insulin to carb ratios

Use of bolus advisor apps (e.g. Diabetes M app)













Use of Ultra rapid acting insulin (Lyumjev)

Use the 30-60-90 rule for those who do not Carbohydrate count (Prof Choudhary)

Review of dietary advice, reduce carbs /meal

HCL Onboarding

ASAP in pregnancy

Non-carb countersset carbs with dietitian prior to HCL start

Digital packs available

Groups/ 1-1

Point of contact

Time in Pregnancy range improvements seen within days

Trust the system!

Tips for success (by trimester)

	Trimester 1	Trimester 2	Trimester 3	Postnatal
	Nausea & Vomiting common	 Rapidly increasing INSULIN RESISTANCE- 		Weight (set to booking weight or
	 Hypos common 	Tighten ICR		postnatal weight if weighed in KG)
	 Use of Slowly absorbed meal 	Weight (KG)		 Personal Glucose target >6
•	function /50:50 split	 Pre-meal bolusing 		mmol/l
•	 Sick day rules 	• Use of BOOST post r	meal if required	Use of Ease Off function (particularly)
•	■ Personal Glucose Target ≤	 Tighter AIT (3 hours 	typical for ultra rapid	with breastfeeding)
	5.5 mmol/l*	acting)		 Targets- change to 3.9-10 mmol/l
		 Personal Glucose t 	target ≤ 5mmol/I*	 Just as important as pregnancy with
	- INSULIN SENSITIVE			hormone fluctuations and adapting
	• Site rotation important at all			to motherhood
	times!			- INSULIN SENSITIVE

Key points for Success

Right Settings

- DTN setting recommendations
- Glucose 4.5-5 mmol/l

Challenge behaviours

- Fake carbing
- Overriding
- Overtreatment

Keeping phone close by

Set changes

Timing of insulin – late/ missed bolus

TRUST THE SYSTEM

 If results are not happening-likely user error!

Labour & Delivery

- Continue on HCL (current settings & utilise birthing partner)
- Site Selection- Back / Upper abdomen
- Sensor on arm
- Use of Ease off / Boost as required
- UHL use 5-8mmol/l for glucose target in labour
- HCL Passport with clear plan



