SICK DAY MANAGEMENT GUIDELINES FOR TYPE 1 DIABETES

Blood Sugar Leve	l ⇒	Low to Normal	Moderate to High 150-300	High > 300
Blood Sugar Leve B.S. Checks And Insulin Dosing	+ + + + + + + + + + + + + + + + + + +	Check B.S. every 1-2 hours May need to ↓ insulin dose: (a.m. NPH by 30-50%) Lantus may not need adjusting If on an Insulin Pump: • with vomiting and B.S. < 60, disconnect or suspend the pump until B.S. are > 80 • if B.S. continues between 60-80 then consider a temporary basal rate of 50-75% until B.S. are > 80	Check B.S. every 2-3 hours May need extra RAPID ACTING insulin (Novolog or Humalog) If on an Insulin Pump: • give the first dose of insulin with a syringe, then change the site for the infusion set	Check B.S. every 2 hours Check Urine Ketones with each void or diaper change Moderate urine Ketones: give Humalog or Novolog correction dose × 1½ Large urine Ketones: give Humalog or Novolog correction dose × 2 check urine ketones every 2 hours until ketones < moderate If on an Insulin Pump: give the first dose of insulin with a syringe, then change the site of the infusion set check urine ketones every 2 hours until ketones < moderate may need temp basal rate of 120% if B.S. remain in the 200's
Treatment With Oral Fluids		Give fluids with sugar, ie: Gatorade, apple juice, Pedialyte, popsicles If vomiting, wait 30-45 min., then give only sips of clear fluids every 15 min. If vomiting with B.S. < 70 use Low Dose Glucagon: 1 unit per year of age, with a max of 20 units. Check B.S. after 15 min., if B.S. are still < 70 repeat glucagon (up to 3 doses)	Give fluids (water): As a goal give 1oz. per year of age per hour Call your pediatrician or primary care doctor if fever, infection or dehydration are present	Give fluids (water): As a goal give 1oz. per year of age per hour Call your pediatrician or primary care doctor if fever, infection or dehydration are present