

Flash Glucose Scanning (FGS) system agreement For Patients aged 19 and over

This form should be completed by the patient and/or their carer and an NHS diabetes specialist.

Agreement to use the flash glucose scanning (FGS) system

You have been given an FGS system and the Diabetes Team expect you to take responsibility for using it correctly.

Patient's name	
Consultant name	
Unit/Hospital number	
Diabetes specialist nurse (DSN)	

I/We agree to:

- Attend all appointments as required by the Specialist Diabetes Team and GP.
- Attend the recommended FGS training and take the advice of the diabetes team to understand what the device is showing and what action to take.
- Share blood glucose testing and FGS scanning information with your diabetes specialist team by adding the Practice ID code given to your LibreView® account settings.
- Upload data from either the FreeStyle Libre® handset or via LibreLink® app regularly, as advised by your diabetes specialist team.
- Agree to your data being shared for the purposes of audit.
- Attend (or have attended) an appropriate diabetes education programme.
- Perform at least eight scans per day as well as using standard blood glucose testing strips at the frequency advised by the diabetes team.
- Agree to change to a lower cost blood glucose testing meter and strip if requested to do so.
- Contact Abbott for further supplies if the sensor falls off before it is due to be changed.
- Use my standard blood glucose testing strips if I lose any sensors.

I/We understand that the sensors will no longer be provided if the above conditions are not met and:

- The sensor is worn for less than 70% of the time.
- Scans are carried out less than eight times per day.
- Appropriate actions, as advised by the diabetes team are not carried out.
- The results below have not been achieved by the six-month review or improvement is not maintained at each annual review *[Delete as appropriate]*
 - Improved hypoglycaemia awareness
 - A reduction in the number of hypoglycaemic events
 - A reduction in the number of diabetic ketoacidosis events
 - Reduction in HbA1c of 0.5%/5mmol/mol or more
 - Improvement of Time in Range
 - Reduction in number of hospital admissions
 - Improvement in psycho-social wellbeing

- Clear benefit to carer support and glucose monitoring for type 1 diabetes patients unable to self-monitor blood glucose due to disability
- For patients who are pregnant, the supply of sensors will be stopped after 12 months total treatment period (inclusive of post-delivery period) – unless the patient fulfils any of the other criteria for funding.
- No longer fulfil the criteria for funding.

Funding for sensors is for a time-limited period. FGS are a developing technology and therefore the current funding agreement will be reviewed regularly.

I/We understand that:

- A maximum of 26 sensors will be provided over any 12-month period. (**NB.** If a sensor proves to be defective, you must contact the manufacturer to arrange a replacement).
- Funding for treatment may be stopped in the future.

	Patient	Carer	Consultant/DSN
Signed			
Print name			
Date			

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