

Check finger stick glucose Q 1 hr for the first 4 hours, then Q 3hrs (3:00, 6:00, 9:00, 12:00, 15:00, 18:00, 21:00, and 24:00), but give sq insulin if indicated only 4/day (6:00, 12:00, 18:00, and 24:00)

IV Saline	SQ Human Regular Insulin (Humulin R or Novolin R) Sliding Scale			
Start at rate indicated below and adjust if indicated each time glucose is checked.	Start at Level 1. If at the end of the first 24 hours, the previous two glucose levels remain ≥ 180 mg/dL, advance to Level 2. If after 24 hours on Level 2, the previous two glucose levels remain ≥ 180 mg/dL, proceed to Level 3. In Level 3, give a one-time subcutaneous basal insulin injection (Glargine) at a dose equal to 40% of previous day's entire insulin dose and continue Level 2 insulin dose.			
mL/hr	Glucose (mg/dL)	Level 1 Insulin dose (units)	Level 2 Insulin dose (units)	Level 3 One time sq basal insulin (Glargine) and continue Level 2 Insulin dose (units)
5	>450	8	16	16
5	400-450	7	14	14
5	351-399	6	12	12
5	300-350	5	10	10
5	251-299	4	8	8
5	200-250	3	6	6
5	180-199	2	4	4
4	80-179	0	0	0
0	<80	See hypoglycemia protocol (Click Here)		