Medtronic

INSULIN PUMP BASICS

Designed to give the user more flexibility and better control……

Insulin Type: *Rapid Acting Only (Humalog, Novolog or Apidra)*

Basal - *Background Insulin* -   Will not be changing – delivers continuously

Bolus - *Given with meals*   Amount will change based on BG and carbs.
Can also bolus for correction. Will enter "0" for carbs not eating with correction.

Main Menu: Bolus, Suspend, Basal, Reservoir + Set, Utilities

Act Button   The same as an enter button. Anytime a screen flashes ACT must be pushed to activate.

Bolus Wizard   Check Blood sugar – Press B button, put in BG and hit ACT – this is the same as an enter button.

Calculate carbohydrate from meal, enter carbs after blood sugar entered and hit ACT. Will prompt you.to Complete the dose.

Bolus History   Allows you to see past boluses given. Under bolus menu.

Suspend   Will stop insulin delivery if needed. Will also stop basal rate unless resumed. Very important to resume basal since there is no long acting insulin on board. Under main menu. Can stop bolus delivery if needed.

Status Screen   Press esc one time past blank or home screen.
Quick review. Can view last bolus dose, alarms, basalrate

Daily Totals   Found in Utilities menu. Allows you to see bolus, basal, blood sugars, alarms – more detailed than status screen.

Alarm   Closed circle –no insulin deliver (empty reservoir, suspended, kinked tubing or bent canula)
To clear alarm press ECS then ACT

Must have insulin and syringes available in case insulin delivery stops and can't be restarted.