

FIVE TIPS FOR DEVICE PLACEMENT

CHOOSE HEALTHY SKIN

Avoid broken skin, scabs, cuts, and scraps, and any area of healing irritation. Wait at least a week before reusing a site.



PINCH IT UP

People wear sensors on many different parts of the body—abdomen, buttocks, hips, legs, arms, forearm. Choose an area that has enough fat to “pinch”, and an area that is comfortable for you.



NO BENDY AREAS

Do not place devices in areas where the skin creases with bending, like the waistline.



ROTATE

Try to use as many sites as possible! Even if you use only one or two areas of the body, make sure to rotate sites 1-2 inches away from other sites.



SWOLLEN TISSUE

Insulin infusion can cause swelling under the skin called lipohypertrophy. If this is present, try not to inject insulin/place infusion sets in this tissue. CGM sensors are okay.

