

Short-acting insulin dosing schedule per weight category (if hyperglycaemia observed pre-operatively)

<u>AGE</u> (years)	<u>APPROXIMATE</u> <u>WEIGHT*</u> (kg)	<u>INSULIN DOSE:</u> 0.05 units per kg <i>for glucose readings</i> <i>between 15 and 20</i> <i>mmol/L</i>	<u>INSULIN DOSE:</u> 0.1 units per kg <i>for glucose readings</i> <i>above 20 mmol/L</i>
2	10 – 14	0.5	1
3	14 – 16	0.5	1.5
4	16 – 18	1	1.5
5	18 – 20	1	2
6	20 – 24	1	2.5
7	24 – 28	1.5	2.5
8	28 – 32	1.5	3
9	32 – 36	2	3
10 – 11	36 – 44	2	4
12 – 13	44 – 52	3	5
14 – 15	52 – 60	3	6
16 – 17	60 – 68	3	7
18 – 19	68 – 76	4	8
20 – 21	80 – 84	4	8