

Get started with the FreeStyle Libre 2 system







The FreeStyle Libre 2 system overview



Components of the FreeStyle Libre 2 system





Applicator used to apply sensor



Sensor pack



Sensor

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The FreeStyle Libre 2 ecosystem



















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The FreeStyle Libre 2 system features







Real-time glucose readings sent straight to your smartphone^{1,2}



Calibration-free – no need to enter a code, no finger prick for calibration



Optional, real-time glucose alarms³

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The FreeStyle Libre 2 system features







Small size (35mm x 5mm) – about the size of a £2 coin



Automatically¹ captures readings day and night. Patients can scan for glucose readings anytime, even during a signal loss



Water-resistant²



Strong Bluetooth with 6 metre range with no obstructions



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1. 60 minutes warm-up required when starting the sensor. 2. The sensor is water-resistant in up to 1 metre (3 feet) of water. Do not immerse longer than 30 minutes.

No more finger pricking²

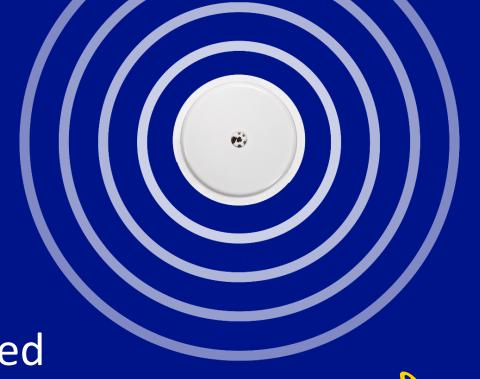


Accurate, stable, and consistent over 15 days¹ – no finger pricks², no user calibration, no code entry

Finger prick tests are only necessary if glucose readings and alarms don't match symptoms or expectations.



Apply your sensor and get started





1. Wash, clean, and dry

Select a site on the back of your upper arm that stays flat during normal activity.

Clean skin with non-moisturising, fragrance-free soap and water. Use an alcohol wipe to clean the skin and let air dry before proceeding.





2. Prepare applicator

Open the sensor pack by peeling back the lid. Remove the cap from the sensor applicator. Align the dark marks on the applicator and sensor pack.

On a hard surface, press down firmly on sensor applicator until it comes to a stop and then lift.



Do NOT put the cap back on as it may damage the sensor.

3. Apply

Apply the sensor to the back of your upper arm.

Press the sensor applicator firmly onto the prepared area. Listen for a click.

After a few seconds, slowly pull back, leaving the sensor on the skin.



Wash, clean, and dry the back of the upper arm



Assemble the sensor pack and applicator then apply your sensor to the prepared area on the back of the upper arm



Start your sensor with your iOS device













Start your sensor with your Android device













Start your sensor with your smartphone

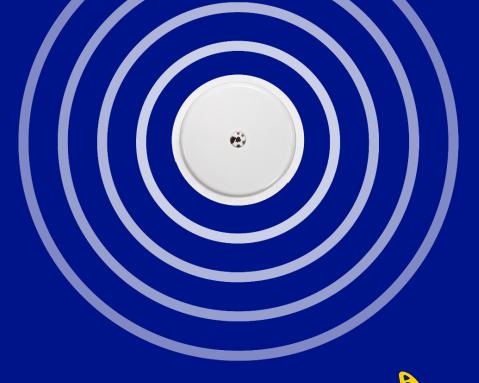
Start your sensor with a scan, then wait 60 minutes to begin receiving glucose readings automatically 1 to your smartphone 2



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The FreeStyle Libre Link App







Home screen

Main menu

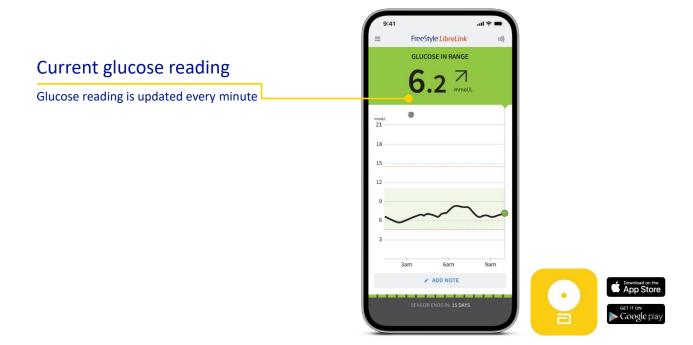
Tap here for settings







Home screen



Home screen

Background colours

The background colour reflects your current glucose reading.



High glucose reading (above 13.3 mmol/L)



Between the target glucose range and either high and low glucose level



Within the target glucose range



Low glucose reading (below 3.9 mmol/L)

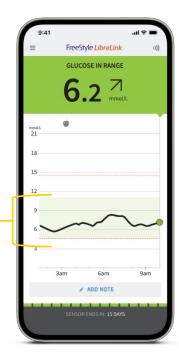


Home screen

Target glucose range

The graph shows your target glucose range. This is not related to glucose alarm thresholds

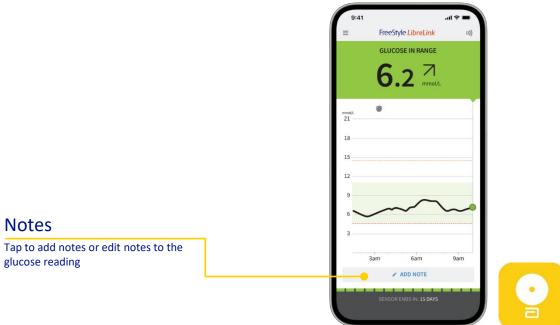
Note: It is set at 3.9–10 mmol/L and can be customised. Work with your healthcare professional to set your target glucose range.







Home screen







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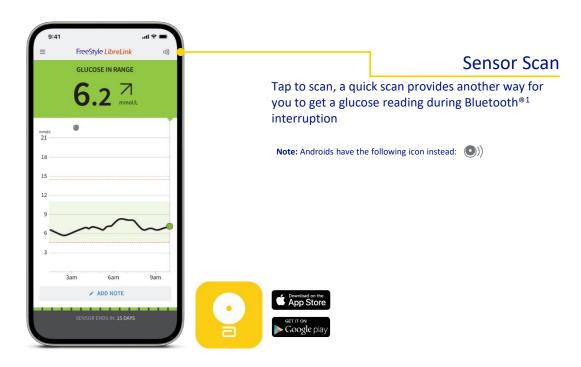




Sensor life

Sensor life displays the number of days of wear remaining on your sensor

Home screen



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Glucose trend arrows

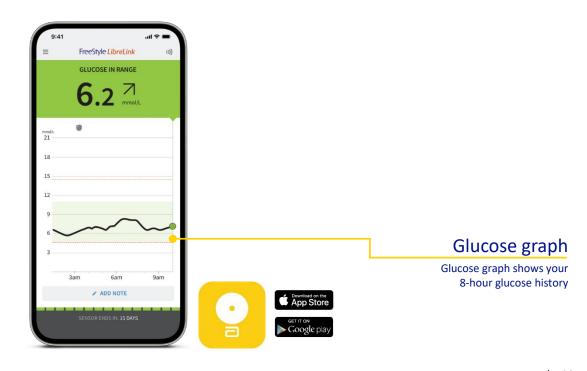
- Rising quickly more than 3 mmol/L in 30 minutes
- Rising 1.8–3 mmol/L in 30 minutes
- Changing slowly < 1.8mmol/L in 30 minutes
- Falling 1.8–3 mmol/L in 30 minutes
- Falling quickly more than 3 mmol/L in 30 minutes



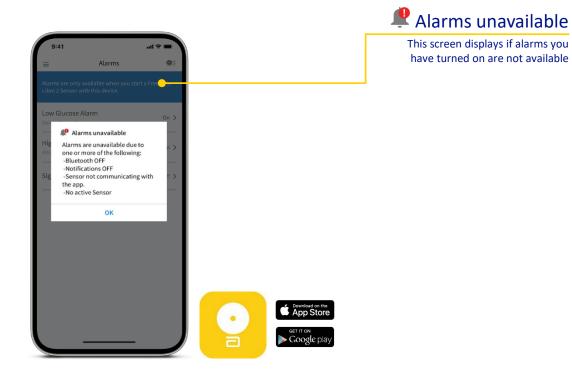
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Sensor technology

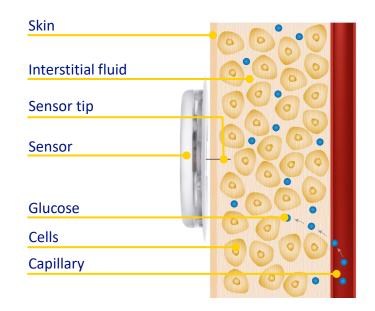




Understanding interstitial glucose measurement

FreeStyle Libre 2 system

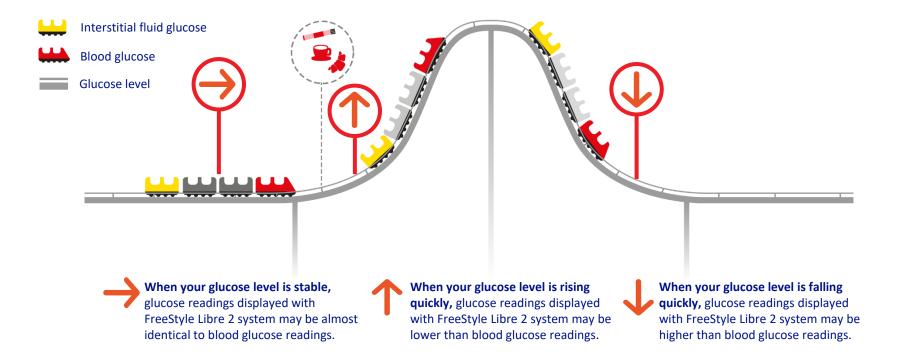
The FreeStyle Libre 2 system measures glucose in the interstitial fluid. Blood glucose and sensor glucose are closely related but not identical.



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Understanding interstitial glucose measurement

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The FreeStyle Libre 2 system and driving

- The DVLA (Driver and Vehicle Licensing Agency)
 has permitted the use of flash glucose monitoring systems
 for the purpose of driving with Group 1 drivers.
- Drivers using the FreeStyle Libre 2 system must get a confirmatory finger prick glucose level in the following circumstances:
 - if their glucose level is 4.0mmol/L or below;
 - if they have symptoms of hypoglycaemia;
 - if their readings are not consistent with their symptoms;
 - if they have become hypoglycaemic or have indication of impending hypoglycaemia.
- Flash glucose monitoring systems are not legally permitted for the purposes of Group 2 drivers.

For more information visit www.gov.uk/diabetes-driving

Optional alarms





Difference between using app and reader

Automatic glucose readings on the app¹

Start the FreeStyle Libre 2 sensor with the FreeStyle LibreLink app

Scanning experience with reader

Start the FreeStyle Libre 2 sensor with the reader





Provides alarms and glucose readings automatically² on the app

Note: you can still scan for glucose readings anytime³, even during a signal loss.



Provides alarms and glucose readings with a scan on the FreeStyle Libre 2 reader

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Optional alarms on the FreeStyle LibreLink app

The sensor has a built in **Bluetooth** transmitter.

The sensor **transmits every minute data** that may result in an alarm to the FreeStyle LibreLink app¹

When the glucose **passes** the **set threshold**, an alarm is generated.

Take action!







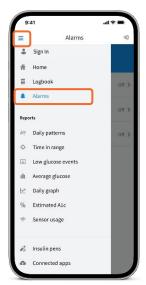
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Optional alarms

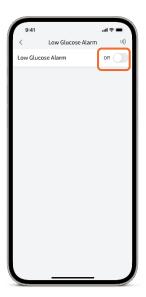
All alarms are disabled by default

1. Tap Alarms in the **Menu**¹



2. Touch **Low Glucose Alarm** and turn on alarm (which is disabled by default)





3. Scroll to select **Low Glucose Value**² for alarms





Please check the website for more information about device compatibility before using the app.

1. Notifications will only be received when alarms are turned on and the sensor is within 20 feet (6 metres) unobstructed of the reading device. You must enable the appropriate settings on your smartphone to receive alarms and alerts; see the FreeStyle LibreLink User's Manual for more information. 2. 3.9 mmol/L is the default Low Glucose Alarm level and can be set between 3.3-5.6 mmol/L.

Optional alarms

Turn on 'Override Do Not Disturb' in your alarm settings.

Turn 'On' if you want the alarm to always play a sound and appear on the lock screen even if

- Your iPhone is muted or 'Do Not Disturb' is enabled on your phone
- Your Android phone's media volume is muted

As soon as a low or high glucose alarm is turned on, **the lost signal alarm is enabled automatically** for the first time.



Optional alarms

Select alarm tone.

 For each Alarm (Low, High and Signal Loss) you can choose between having a Custom alarm tone (a developed alarm sound intended to allow differentiation between alarms based on sound alone) or a Standard alarm tone (alarm sound set in your phone's settings).



Dismissing an alarm¹



- Tap on the push notification
- App will open to home screen
- View current glucose value

Viewing the glucose value in the app will dismiss the glucose alarm.

Note: If you have the app open when an alarm is generated, viewing the home screen will dismiss the alarm notification.

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LibreView





LibreView

Share your glucose data with your diabetes team





Connect to a clinic

Use the FreeStyle LibreLink app¹ to share your glucose data with your diabetes team



LibreView

Better informed doctor's appointments

You and your diabetes team can have more effective conversations about your glucose patterns and trends²





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Sign up and share data with LibreView



Option 1

Your HCP can supply you with the unique ID number of your practice



Option 2

Your HCP can send you an email invitation to join their practice





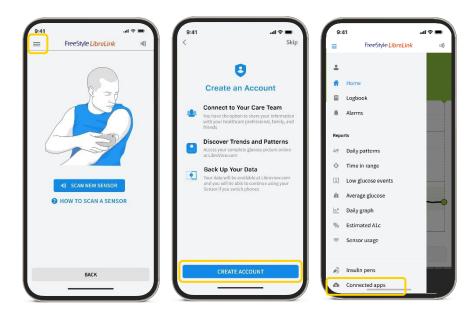


Note: To access your LibreView account go to www.LibreView.com and log in with your FreeStyle LibreLink app¹ username and password.

HCP=healthcare professional.

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Connect to your diabetes team via LibreView Clinic ID



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Share your glucose data with family or caregivers



FreeStyle LibreLink

Share glucose readings and alarms¹





LibreLinkUp

Together with LibreLinkUp²

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Current glucose reading and trend arrow

The current glucose reading determines the background colour that is displayed

Interactive glucose graph

Slide your finger over the graph and see how your contact's glucose level has changed over the last 12 hours

No recent data

When your connection's app has lost connectivity with the LibreLinkUp server for a specified amount of time



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Alarm thresholds

Dashed lines indicate the levels at which you will receive a high or low glucose alarm. Alarms are optional and can be customised.

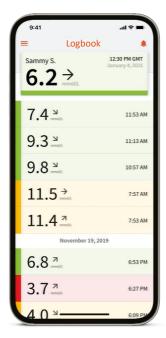
Target glucose range

The green area is the target glucose range set by the FreeStyle LibreLink user.

Glucose readings and alarms history

The logbook displays glucose events for the last two weeks.

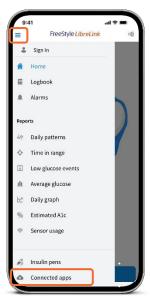




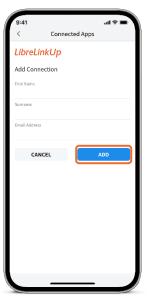
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FreeStyle LibreLink¹ users who want to share their data with friends, family and carers will take the following steps:







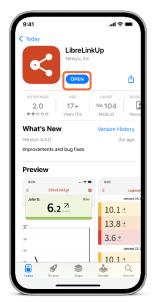
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Followers create a LibreLinkUp¹ account and accept the invitation from the FreeStyle LibreLink user.²







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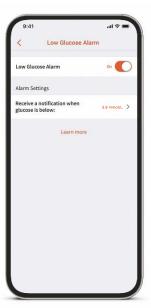
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Settings

Customize how you want to be notified about Low Glucose Alarms



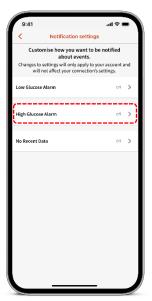


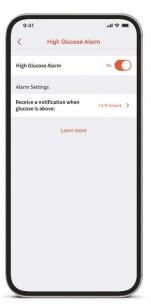


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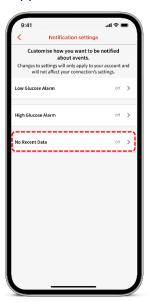




Settings

No Recent Data – when your connection's app has lost connectivity with the LibreLinkUp server for a specified amount of time.









System education and support





The FreeStyle Libre 2 system tutorials and downloads

Visit our website for:

- Video tutorials on how to use the FreeStyle Libre 2 system
- How to use its data to support your diabetes management
- Product Specifications and User Manuals



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Sensor support form

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Disposal information



Sensor

Remove and wipe down with disinfectant, and dispose as electrical waste (same as a battery)



Applicator

Yellow biohazard bag/sharps bin



Sensor packaging

General waste

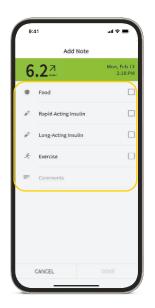
The FreeStyle LibreLink app reports





Adding notes in the FreeStyle LibreLink app





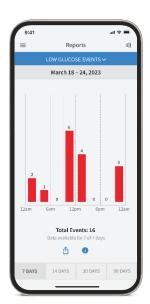




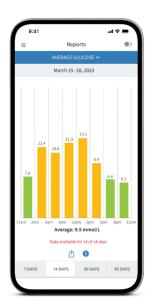
Reports in the FreeStyle LibreLink app



Time in Range



Low Glucose Events



Average Glucose



Logbook

Reports in the FreeStyle LibreLink app



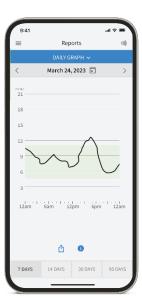
Daily patterns



Estimated A1c



Sensor usage



Daily graph

Logbook in the FreeStyle LibreLink app

Information captured in the Logbook

- Notes:
 - Food
 - Rapid-Acting Insulin
 - Long-Acting Insulin
 - Exercise
 - Comments
- Glucose Values via a scan





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The FreeStyle Libre 2 system and Time in Range





Time in Range

What is Time in Range

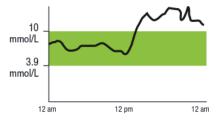
Time in Range is the percentage of time that a person spends with their blood glucose levels in a target glucose range

Target Glucose Range

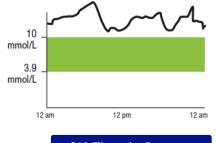
Typically: 3.9-10.0 mmol/L^{1,2}

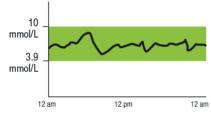


Here are different examples of Time in Range:



50% Time in Range





0% Time in Range

100% Time in Range

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More Time in Range. Better Glucose control

Why is Time in Range important?



When your Time in Range increases, your HbA1c decreases

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Every 10% increase in Time in Range can lower HbA1c by 0.8% in type 1 and type 2 patients¹



Every 5% (~1 hour per day) increase in Time in Range is associated with clinically significant benefits²



Increased risk of microvascular complications is associated with decreased Time In Range³

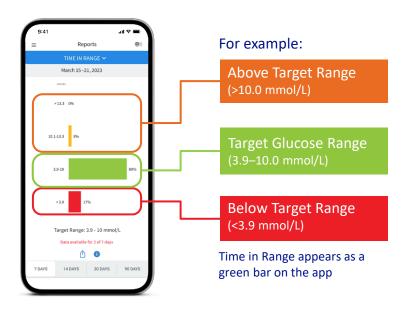


Guidelines recommend spending at least 70% of your Time in Range (3.9-10 mmol/L)^{2,4} HbA1c is average glucose over the last 2-3 months.

Time in Range report

The FreeStyle Libre 2 system automatically calculates the percentage of time you spend in, above, or below target range

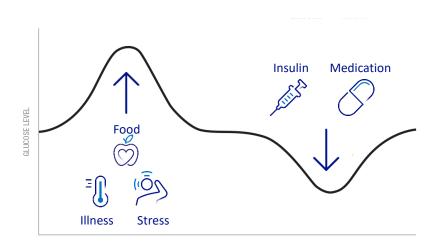
This Time in Target report shows a person who spent **80% of their** day in target glucose range



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Impact on Time in Range

Learn how daily activities impact your glucose



Suggested tips:

- Reduce big disturbances such as heavy carbs
- Keep checking your glucose
- Repeat what works for you

Using the FreeStyle Libre 2 reader





The FreeStyle Libre 2 reader



How to scan your FreeStyle Libre 2 sensor with your FreeStyle Libre 2 reader



1. Press the Home Button to turn on the reader.



3. Hold the reader within 4cm of the sensor to scan it. A beep (if the sounds are enabled) or a vibration will confirm that sensor has been activated. Once you activate a sensor with a reader, it can only be used with that reader.



2. Press 'Start new sensor' on the screen.



4. 1 hour after starting a new sensor the patient can get their glucose results. You will now be able to scan the sensor to check your glucose.

Important Information: If you start your FreeStyle Libre 2 sensor with your FreeStyle Libre 2 reader you will not receive real-time glucose readings, even if you use the updated FreeStyle LibreLink app as your second device. You will need to scan to get your glucose reading on both devices. Glucose alarms are only received on the device used to start the sensor.

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1. Touch the settings² symbol



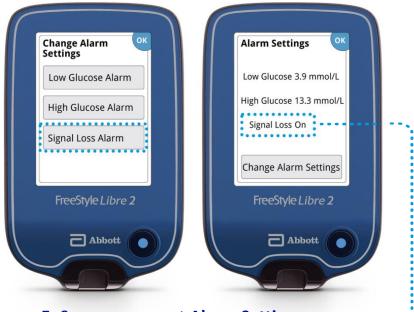
2. Touch Alarms then Change Alarm Settings



3. Turn on Alarm (alarms are off by default)



4. Use arrows to set Low and High Glucose Alarms²



5. See your current Alarm Settings

Signal loss alarm is automatically turned on the first time a glucose alarm is set



6. Adjust Sound & Vibration



