# **Training Information for MiniLink™ REAL-Time Transmitter Upgrade**



## 1. Charging the MiniLink transmitter - the transmitter is rechargeable

- You must fully charge your MiniLink transmitter before using it for the first time. See your user guide for instructions.
- •It can take up to 8 hours to charge a new or fully depleted transmitter.
- •Once the transmitter is fully charged, the transmitter will charge in less than 20 minutes after each 3 day glucose sensor use.
- •If you are unable to charge after each use, a fully charged transmitter will function continuously for approximately 14 days without charging. After 14 days of continuous use, or after receiving a low transmitter alarm, the MiniLink transmitter can take about 2 hours to fully charge.

Note: Store the transmitter in the battery charger when not using the system.

## 2. Battery alarms are different when using the MiniLink Transmitter and RF transmitter

Battery Alarms	MiniLink Transmitter	RF Transmitter
Bad Transmitter	The transmitter battery is depleted. Need to recharge the transmitter immediately.	Need to buy a new transmitter soon.
Low Transmitter	The transmitter battery is close to running out. Need to recharge the transmitter when the sensor is finished.	Need to buy a new transmitter soon.

### 3. Transmitter Connection to Glucose Sensor

- You will NOT hear a beep when connecting the transmitter to the glucose sensor. You will continue to hear and FEEL a 'click' when the side arms connect to both sides of the transmitter
- A **green light** will flash on the transmitter to **confirm a good connection** exists. It may take up to 20 seconds before you see the green light flash
- The flat side of the transmitter (with the serial number printed on it) should be placed toward the body when connecting the transmitter to the glucose sensor

### 4. Disconnecting the transmitter

• When you disconnect the transmitter from the battery charger, you must wait at least 30 seconds before plugging it back into the charger

### 5. Optional Tape

• Extra tape is completely optional. Only a small amount of tape underneath the glucose sensor holds both the glucose sensor and transmitter in place. If you feel more secure using additional tape, you certainly can do so.

#### 6. Waterproof

• You do not need to wear tape over the system to protect it from water. The MiniLink Transmitter is fully waterproof.

Note: Make sure you change the transmitter ID programmed into your insulin pump and enter the MiniLink Transmitter ID.

To do this, go to > Sensor Menu > Sensor Set Up > Edit settings > Transmitter ID and scroll up and ACT each digit of the serial number located on the flat side of the transmitter

