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CHAPTER 1 INTRODUCTION

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1.1 Introduction and Rationale

151 Resistance to frequent blood glucose monitoring is a major impediment to attaining good (lower
152 HbA1c level) glucose control. The Diabetes Control and Complications Trial (DCCT)
153 convincingly proved that glucose control closer-to-normal range (“tight” glycemic control) reduced
154 the likelihood of the eye, kidney, and nerve complications of diabetes. Increasing the frequency of
155 glucose monitoring was an important aspect of attaining improved glucose control in the DCCT.
156 As a result of the DCCT, many physicians have attempted to keep children and adults in very
157 “tight” glucose control. Unfortunately, the DCCT study also showed that the incidence of severe
158 hypoglycemia was three times higher in the intensively treated group compared with the standard
159 treatment group. The tools to safely implement tight glycemic control were not available to the
160 DCCT. The Navigator™ by Abbott Diabetes Care has been developed to assist in closer
161 monitoring of glucose levels.

163 The proper role of the Navigator in the management of type 1 diabetes in children has not been
164 determined. We are planning a randomized clinical trial (RCT) to compare the effect on glycemic
165 control, hypoglycemia, and quality of life of using a Navigator versus standard care. As a prelude
166 to the RCT, we will conduct a pilot study in which subjects will use the Navigator in their home
167 environment. The objectives of the pilot study will include:

- 168 • Assessment of the feasibility of using the Navigator continuous glucose sensor on a daily
169 basis
- 170 • Development and testing of algorithms for making adjustments to diabetes management
171 based on data from Navigator
- 172 • Assessment of accuracy of the Navigator
- 173 • Assessment of Navigator function during exercise and during a period of meal-induced
174 hyperglycemia
- 175 • Exploratory assessment of the effect of use of the Navigator and algorithms on A1c and
176 frequency of hypoglycemia

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178 As part of the inpatient assessment of the accuracy of the Navigator, the 4th generation sensor for
179 the Minimed Continuous Glucose Monitoring System, CGMS will also be assessed for accuracy.
180 There will be no additional blood requirements to perform this testing.

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1.2 Background on the Navigator

183 The Navigator was developed by Abbott Diabetes Care. This sensor uses a glucose oxidase based
184 electrochemical sensor, and is designed to measure blood glucose levels in a range of 20-500 mg/dl.
185 The sensor is inserted subcutaneously and measures interstitial glucose. In human studies the
186 interstitial glucose levels generally lag behind the blood glucose by 3 to 13 minutes.^(1, 2)

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188 The Navigator provides a glucose reading every 60 seconds (or 1440 readings a day). Each sensor
189 is designed to provide readings for up to 120 hours. It has alarms for hypoglycemia and
190 hyperglycemia and for projected high and low glucose values. The alarm set points can be adjusted
191 by the user. The Navigator also has a trend arrow indicating the glucose rate of change (>-2
192 mg/dL/min, -2 to -1 mg/dL/min, -1 to 1 mg/dL/min, 1 to 2 mg/dl/min, and >2 mg/dl/min). Subjects
193 can enter events, such as when they took insulin, ate, or exercised. The sensor requires calibration
194 values to be entered 3 times during the first day of wear at 1 hour, 3 hours, and 24 hours and does
195 not require additional calibration values. The values are entered directly into the Navigator which

196 has a Freestyle home glucose meter built into the unit. The Navigator has not yet been approved by
197 the FDA. The Navigator currently under review by the FDA will limit sensor wear to 3 days.

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199 **1.3 Synopsis of Study Protocol**

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201 **Study Design/Sample Size:** Pilot study with approximately 30 subjects using insulin pump therapy
202 and 30 subjects using Lantus/multiple daily injection (MDI) therapy.

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204 **Summary of Protocol**

- 205 1. Informed consent is obtained from eligible subjects (age 3 to <18 years, T1D for ≥ 1 year,
206 downloadable insulin pump or Lantus with MDI being used, computer with email access
207 available at home).
- 208 2. On the day of enrollment, a hemoglobin A1c is obtained, psychosocial questionnaires are
209 completed, and instructions are given for use of the Navigator sensor. The study personnel will
210 supervise the subject or parent inserting the Navigator sensor in the clinic and will instruct the
211 subject or parent to insert a second sensor at home in 5 days (or sooner if the sensor stops
212 working or is pulled out). To obtain a baseline assessment of glycemic variability, the
213 Navigator used during the first week will be blinded so subjects will not be able to view the data
214 from the sensor. The subject will be instructed to complete at least four glucose measurements a
215 day using the Freestyle meter built into the device.
- 216 3. Subjects using insulin pump therapy will return for a 24-hour CRC admission approximately
217 one week (7-12 days) after the enrollment visit. An approximately equal number of subjects
218 will insert a new sensor 4, 3, 2, and 1 day prior to the admission to allow for assessment of
219 accuracy over the lifespan of the sensor.
 - 220 • Areas where a Navigator sensor was worn during the first week will be assessed by study
221 personnel for any skin irritation.
 - 222 • Subjects will continue using the blinded Navigator sensor last inserted at home and a second
223 new sensor will be inserted by the subject or parent with supervision by study personnel.
 - 224 • A CGMS sensor will be inserted and calibrated one hour later.
 - 225 • An intravenous catheter will be inserted for reference glucose measurements, which will be
226 drawn every 30 minutes during the admission to send to a central laboratory to assess
227 accuracy of the Navigator and the CGMS.
 - 228 • The accuracy of subject/parent blood glucose testing using the Freestyle HGM will be
229 compared with the testing performed by trained study personnel using the same meter.
 - 230 • The accuracy of the subject's HGM being used at home may be tested.
 - 231 • The accuracy of other commercially-available home glucose meters may also be examined.
232 There will be no additional blood requirements to perform this testing.
 - 233 • For subjects ≥ 7 years old, an exercise session of moderate intensity will be completed in the
234 afternoon. This will allow for assessment of function of the Navigator during exercise and
235 assessment of the accuracy of detecting changes in blood glucose.
 - 236 • For subjects of sufficient weight to accommodate the volume of blood required, blood
237 glucose measurements will be made every 10 minutes for one hour after breakfast. This will
238 allow for assessment of the accuracy of the Navigator in detecting change during a period of
239 rising blood glucose.

- 240 • The pre-admission Navigator, HGM, and pump data will be reviewed and changes will be
241 made to diabetes management as needed. Subjects and parents will be provided with
242 extensive teaching to use the protocol-developed algorithms for changes to diabetes
243 management to be used in real time based on Navigator data after the subject leaves the
244 CRC.
- 245 4. Subjects using Lantus with MDI therapy will return for a Baseline Visit approximately one
246 week (7-12 days) after the enrollment visit.
- 247 • Areas where a Navigator sensor was worn during the first week will be assessed by study
248 personnel for any skin irritation.
- 249 • The pre-baseline Navigator, HGM, and pump data will be reviewed and changes will be
250 made to diabetes management as needed. Subjects and parents will be provided with
251 extensive teaching to use the protocol-developed algorithms for changes to diabetes
252 management to be used in real time based on Navigator data after the subject leaves the
253 visit.
- 254 5. Each subject will be provided with the instructions for downloading the Navigator.
- 255 6. A follow-up visit will be performed at 1, 3, 7, and 13 weeks after the CRC admission. The visit
256 windows will be ± 3 days at weeks 1, 3, and 7 and ± 1 week for week 13. Subjects may be asked
257 to insert a new sensor 5 days before some of the visits to allow for skin assessments by study
258 personnel after the sensor has been worn for 5 days.
- 259 • At each visit, the Navigator will be downloaded, diabetes management will be reviewed, and
260 compliance with use of the algorithms will be assessed. A study investigator will review the
261 glucose data generated by the Navigator, trends and, in conjunction with the nurse
262 coordinator make treatment recommendations. This will continue until enough collective
263 experience has developed for the nurse coordinator to make the insulin adjustments more
264 autonomously.
- 265 • At each visit, the subject's BG will be tested on his/her Freestyle meter and a Freestyle
266 meter at the clinic to assess the accuracy of the home meters over time.
- 267 • At the 3, 7, and 13-week visits, a psychosocial questionnaire regarding the frequency and
268 convenience of use of the algorithms will be administered.
- 269 • At the 7-week visit, HbA1c will be measured
- 270 • At the 13-week visit, HbA1c will be measured and psychosocial questionnaires will be
271 administered.
- 272 6. Phone contacts will be made with the subjects after 3 days (± 1 day), then at 2, 4, 8, and 10
273 weeks (± 3 days) following the CRC admission to review their diabetes management and assess
274 compliance with use of the algorithms. Phone contacts will also involve collection of diet data
275 as well as any illnesses, stressful events, and menstrual cycle data for females.
- 276 7. At the 13-week visit, subjects who are interested in continuing to use the Navigator will
277 continue in the study for another 13 weeks. Subjects who are not interested will be discontinued
278 from the study.
- 279 8. Subjects continuing in the study will be provided with additional sensors and instructed to use
280 them as frequently as they would like. Subjects will also be instructed to continue using the
281 algorithms for diabetes management.

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- At the 26-week visit, psychosocial questionnaires regarding the satisfaction with the Navigator as well as the algorithms will be administered, frequency of use of the sensors and continued compliance with use of algorithms will be assessed, and HbA1c will be measured.
 - At the 26-week visit, subjects will be given the choice to continue in the study until the device is approved by the FDA or until Abbott Diabetes Care can no longer provide supplies for the study. Subjects who agree to continue in the study will sign an addendum to the informed consent at the 26-week visit.
 - Subjects who continue in the study will return to the clinic every 3 months for a follow-up visit. The same procedures completed during the 26-week visit will be completed at each subsequent visit.
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CHAPTER 2
SUBJECT ELIGIBILITY AND ENROLLMENT

2.1 Study Population

Approximately 30 subjects using insulin pump therapy and 30 subjects using Lantus with MDI will be enrolled in this study at five clinical centers with approximately 12 enrolled at each center.

Enrollment will include approximately 20 subjects in each of the age groups of 3.0 to <7.0 years old, 7.0 to <12.0 years old, and 12.0 to <18.0 years old.

Subjects will include both males and females and an enrollment goal will be to achieve an approximately equal sex distribution in each age group.

A goal of recruitment will be to enroll approximately 10% minorities.

2.2 Eligibility and Exclusion Criteria

2.2.1 Eligibility

To be eligible for the study, all subjects must meet the following criteria:

- 1) Clinical diagnosis of type 1 diabetes and using daily insulin therapy for at least one year
The diagnosis of type 1 diabetes is based on the investigator's judgment; C peptide level and antibody determinations are not needed.
- 2) Age 3.0 years to less than 18.0 years
- 3) Subject has used a downloadable insulin pump or Lantus with MDI of a short-acting insulin (e.g. Humalog or Novolog) for at least 6 months
 - For subjects using MDI, NPH or Lente, if part of the insulin regimen, can only be given in the morning before breakfast.
- 4) Parent/guardian and subject understand the study protocol and agree to comply with it
- 5) Subjects ≥ 9.0 years old and primary care giver (i.e., parent or guardian) comprehend written English
This requirement is due to the fact that the questionnaires to be used as outcome measures do not have validated versions in Spanish or other languages.
- 6) Subject has a home computer with email access
- 7) For females, subject not intending to become pregnant during the next 3 months
- 8) No expectation that subject will be moving out of the area of the clinical center during the next 3 months
- 9) Informed Consent Form signed by the parent/guardian and Child Assent Form signed by the subject

2.2.2 Exclusion

Subjects who meet any of the following criteria are not eligible for the study:

- 1) The presence of a significant medical disorder that in the judgment of the investigator will affect the wearing of the sensors or the completion of any aspect of the protocol.
- 2) The presence of any of the following diseases:
 - Asthma if treated with systemic or inhaled corticosteroids in the last 6 months
 - Cystic fibrosis

- 338 • Other major illness that in the judgment of the investigator might interfere with the
339 completion of the protocol
340 ➤ *Adequately treated thyroid disease and celiac disease do not exclude subjects from*
341 *enrollment*
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343 3) Inpatient psychiatric treatment in the past 6 months for either the subject or the subject's
344 primary care giver (i.e., parent or guardian).
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346 4) Current use of oral/inhaled glucocorticoids or other medications, which in the judgment of the
347 investigator would be a contraindication to participation in the study.
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349 **2.3 Patient Enrollment and Baseline Data Collection**

350 Potential subjects will be evaluated for study eligibility through the elicitation of a medical history
351 and performance of a physical examination by a study investigator.
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353 **2.3.1 Historical Information and Physical Exam**

354 A history will be elicited from the subject and parent and extracted from available medical records
355 with regard to the subject's diabetes history and current diabetes management. A standard physical
356 exam (including vital signs and height and weight measurements) will be performed by the study
357 investigator or his or her designee (a pediatric endocrinologist, pediatric endocrine fellow, or a
358 pediatric endocrine nurse practitioner).
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360 **2.3.2 Informed Consent**

361 For eligible subjects, the study will be discussed with the subject and parent/legal guardian (referred
362 to subsequently as 'parent'). The parent will be provided with the Informed Consent Form to read
363 and will be given the opportunity to ask questions. Subjects will either be given the Child Assent
364 Form to read or it will be read to the child. If the parent and child agree to participate, the Informed
365 Consent Form and Child Assent Form will be signed. A copy of the consent form will be provided
366 to the subject and his/her parent and another copy will be added to the subject's clinic chart.
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368 Written informed consent must be obtained from the parent or guardian prior to performing any
369 study-specific procedures that are not part of the subject's routine care.
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371 **2.3.2.1 Authorization Procedures**

372 As part of the informed consent process, each subject will be asked to sign an authorization for
373 release of personal information. The investigator, or his or her designee, will review what study
374 specific information will be collected and to whom that information will be disclosed. After
375 speaking with the subject and their parent, questions will be answered about the details regarding
376 authorization.
377

378 **2.3.2.2 Special Consent Issues**

379 The study population for this study includes children and adolescents. The consent form and study
380 procedures will be discussed with each subject at a level in which they can understand. The study
381 staff will ask questions of each subject to assess the autonomy and understanding of the study.
382 Each subject will be asked to sign an assent form, if appropriate for the subject's age. Additionally,
383 the parent(s) and/or guardian(s) of each subject will be asked to sign the consent form. They will be
384 given the opportunity to ask questions throughout the study on all study related procedures.
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386 **2.3.3 Hemoglobin A1c Determination**

387 The DCA 2000 will be used for baseline measurement of hemoglobin A1c and diabetes
388 management decisions.

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390 **2.3.4 Questionnaire Completion**

391 The following questionnaires will be completed. They are described in chapter 6.

- 392 • PedsQL Diabetes Module
- 393 • Diabetes Self Management Profile (Treatment Adherence Questionnaire) – pump patients
394 only
- 395 • Fear of Hypoglycemia Survey – injection patients only

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397 **2.3.5 Instructions for Home Procedures**

398 Each subject will be provided with a Navigator and sensors. The Navigator will be blinded and
399 subjects will not be able to view the Navigator data during the first week of the study. The subject
400 and parent/guardian will be instructed to use the Navigator on a daily basis and will be instructed in
401 the use of the device including calibration of the device using the built-in Freestyle meter. In order
402 to assess accuracy throughout the lifespan of the sensor, approximately 25% of the subjects will be
403 asked to insert a new Navigator sensor four days before the scheduled CRC admission or Baseline
404 Visit, approximately 25% three days before, approximately 25% two days before, and
405 approximately 25% one day before the scheduled CRC admission or Baseline Visit.

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407 The subjects will be able to view the results of the Freestyle testing and will be instructed to
408 perform at least 4 blood glucose measurements per day prior to the CRC admission or Baseline
409 Visit. The measurements will be performed prior to each meal and before bed.

CHAPTER 3
INPATIENT CRC ADMISSION/BASELINE VISIT

3.1 Overview

About one week following the enrollment visit, subjects using Lantus with MDI will have a Baseline Visit. Subjects using insulin pump therapy will have an inpatient CRC admission of approximately 24 hours. For all subjects, the following will be done:

- Areas where a Navigator sensor was worn during the first week will be assessed by study personnel for any skin irritation.
- The Navigator, HGM, and pump data from the previous week will be reviewed and changes will be made to diabetes management as needed. Subjects and parents will be provided with extensive teaching to use the protocol-developed algorithms for changes to diabetes management to be used in real time based on Navigator data after the subject leaves the CRC.

For subjects using Lantus with MDI, an unblinded Navigator will be provided and instructions will be given for use of the device.

The procedures in the remainder of this chapter will be only be performed as part of the CRC admission for the subjects using insulin pump therapy:

- Subjects will continue using the blinded Navigator sensor last inserted at home and a second new sensor will be inserted by the subject or parent with supervision by study personnel.
- A CGMS sensor will be inserted and calibrated approximately one hour later.
- An intravenous catheter will be inserted for reference glucose measurements, which will be drawn every 30 minutes during the admission to send to a central laboratory to assess accuracy of the Navigator and CGMS.
- The accuracy of subject/parent blood glucose testing using the Freestyle HGM will be compared with testing performed using the same meter by study personnel.
- The accuracy of the subject's HGM used at home may be tested.
- The accuracy of other commercially-available home glucose meters may also be examined.
- For subjects ≥ 7 years old, an exercise session of moderate intensity will be completed in the afternoon.
- For subjects of sufficient weight to accommodate the volume of blood required, blood glucose measurements will be made every 10 minutes for one hour after breakfast.

3.2 Navigator Management and Procedures

3.2.1 Navigator Placement

At the time of admission, a skin assessment will be made for each area where a sensor was worn in the first week (see section 7.5.1).

Subjects will continue to wear the sensor that was placed at home. If it is not functioning at the time of admission, a new sensor will be inserted.

453 A second Navigator sensor will be placed by the subject or parent while being supervised by
454 study/CRC personnel. The time of placement and the placement site of each sensor will be
455 recorded. Section 3.5 details the procedures to be followed if a hypoglycemic alarm occurs.
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457 Calibration of the Navigator will be performed by study/CRC personnel. Freestyle readings for
458 calibration will be made to coincide with reference measurements.
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460 **3.2.2 Sensor Failure**

461 If a Navigator sensor fails with fewer than 4 hours of reference measurements remaining, it will not
462 be replaced.
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464 **3.3 Reference Glucose Measurements**

465 An intravenous catheter will be inserted in an arm vein. The area where the catheter will be inserted
466 may be numbed with Elamax or EMLA cream prior to catheter insertion.
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468 The reference measurements will be timed to be on the half-hour. If the catheter stops functioning,
469 it may be replaced at the discretion of the investigator.
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471 The clinical centers either will use reinfusion of blood or will discard blood with each blood draw,
472 depending on the standard practice at each center's CRC. The blood draws will be performed by
473 the method in standard use at the CRC. The blood samples will be sent to a central lab.
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475 **3.3.1 Volume of Blood Draws**

476 Each blood draw will require a blood volume of approximately 1.3 ml per blood draw at the
477 "discard" centers and 0.3 ml per blood draw at the "reinfusion" centers. At the "discard" centers,
478 the maximum number of blood draws based on the subject's weight will be calculated at the time of
479 admission so that the maximum blood volume drawn will not exceed 5% (at reinfusion centers, the
480 maximum blood volume drawn will not approach 5%). Section 7.5.7 provides further details on the
481 blood volume requirements.
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483 **3.3.2 Quality Control Specimens**

484 Approximately 5% of the reference blood samples will be collected in duplicate to send to the
485 central lab for quality control purposes.
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487 **3.4 Glucose Measurements with the Study Home Glucose Meter**

488 Bedside blood glucose monitoring will be performed using the Freestyle meter built into the
489 Navigator. If the need for a Freestyle blood glucose measurement does not coincide with a
490 reference blood draw, a fingerstick may be done to obtain capillary blood for the glucose
491 measurement. If a fingerstick test is performed, the subject or parent will perform a BG test at the
492 same time study personnel perform the BG test on the Freestyle meter in order to assess the
493 accuracy of subject/parent testing compared with the study personnel. Calibrations for the
494 Navigator will be performed by the CRC staff using fingerstick tests.
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496 **3.5 Blood Glucose Testing for Hypoglycemia**

497 If either a subject reports symptoms of hypoglycemia or a Navigator hypoglycemia alarm occurs
498 (for low blood glucose), the blood glucose will be checked on the Freestyle meter.
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500 A reference blood draw will be done if the Freestyle value is ≤ 70 mg/dL. A reference draw will be
501 made every 10 minutes until the BG is >70 mg/dL on the Freestyle meter. For subjects <7 , a

502 reference blood draw will be done if the Freestyle value is ≤ 80 mg/dL and additional draws will be
503 made every 10 minutes until the BG is >80 mg/dL.

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505 If an extra reference blood draw falls within 10 minutes of the next scheduled blood draw, then the
506 next scheduled blood draw will be skipped.

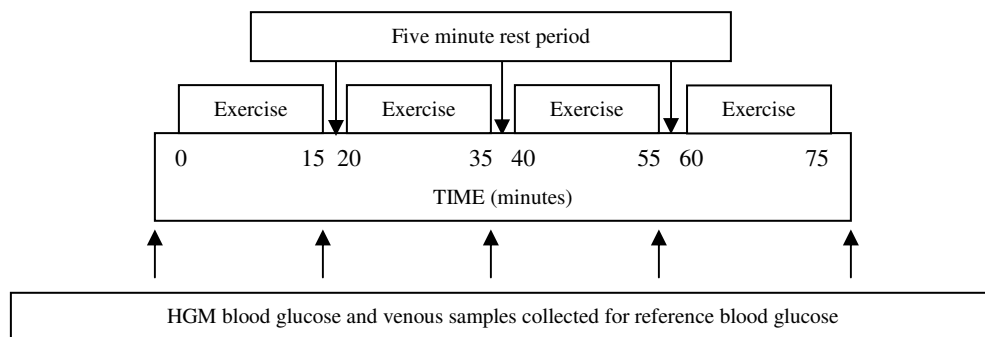
507 508 **3.6 Exercise Session**

509 For subjects ≥ 7 years of age, the exercise session will be performed in the afternoon. The basal rate
510 normally used at home on a sedentary day will be used by subjects during the CRC admission. In
511 order to enhance the assessment of the Navigator's ability to detect hypoglycemia, the basal rate
512 will be continued during the exercise session.

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514 Approximately 2 hours and again 1 hour before the scheduled start time for the exercise session, the
515 BG will be checked with the Freestyle meter. Insulin or a snack may be given at the discretion of
516 the investigator at either time to try to have the starting BG level between 80 and 200 mg/dL.

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518 Exercise will not begin if the subject's blood glucose is <80 mg/dL as measured by the Freestyle
519 meter. If the blood glucose level is 80 – 120 mg/dL, the subject will be given a snack of 15-30g of
520 carbohydrates and the exercise will begin.

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522 Exercise will consist of 15 minutes on a treadmill at a heart rate of approximately 140 followed by a
523 5-minute rest period. This cycle will be repeated 3 more times for a total of four 15-minute exercise
524 periods with 5-minute rest periods in between (75 minutes total). Subjects will be encouraged to
525 complete the exercise but will not be coerced to complete any remaining cycles if they are unable.
526 If the 4 cycles are not completed in 2 hours, the exercise will be stopped. A heart rate monitor will
527 be worn throughout the time of exercise to ascertain the effort exerted.



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540 If during exercise the BG drops to <70 mg/dL the subject will be given 15-30g of carbohydrate and
541 after 5-15 minutes, the BG will be rechecked. Exercise will not resume until the BG is >80 mg/dL.

542 543 **3.7 Post-breakfast Glucose Measurements**

544 In subjects of appropriate weight to accommodate the volume of blood required for testing, the
545 Navigator will be assessed following a physiologic rise in blood glucose after breakfast.

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547 Before starting the post-breakfast glucose measurements, a Freestyle blood glucose level will be
548 obtained. If the blood glucose level is ≥ 250 mg/dl, then the subject's usual insulin correction dose
549 will be given with breakfast. The meal dose (the dose for the carbohydrates to be consumed) will
550 not be given with breakfast, but will be given after the completion of the 10-minute blood draws.
551 The breakfast insulin correction dose (and the meal dose to cover the carbohydrate consumed) will

552 be withheld until after completion of the reference glucose sampling if the blood glucose level is
553 <250 mg/dL.

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555 Reference glucose levels will be obtained at baseline (when the subject finishes breakfast) and
556 every 10 minutes for 60 minutes.

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558 **3.8 Diabetes Management**

559 Insulin management will follow the same routine that the subject was following at home prior to the
560 hospitalization. Insulin doses will be determined by parents or subjects in consultation with the
561 study investigator or his/her designee. For management, blood glucose levels from the Freestyle
562 meter will be used.

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564 Standard hypoglycemia treatment will be given for glucose values ≤ 70 mg/dl in children 7 years of
565 age or older and for glucose values ≤ 80 mg/dl in children less than 7 years old (approximately 10
566 grams of carbohydrate--e.g., glucotablets or juice--for children less than age 7 and approximately 15
567 grams of carbohydrate for children 7 or older; with a recheck of the blood glucose 10 minutes later).

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569 For two consecutive glucose values >300 mg/dl, a urine or serum ketone level will be determined.

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571 **3.9 Algorithms for Diabetes Management**

572 During the CRC admission, the Navigator, insulin pump, and HGM data from the pre-admission
573 week will be reviewed with the subject and parent. The subjects and parents will be taught how to
574 make changes to the diabetes management based on the data from the Navigator.

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576 **3.10 Daily Activities**

577 Subjects will be permitted to perform their usual indoor activities during the hospitalization.

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579 **3.11 Diet**

580 The prescribed diet will be at the discretion of the investigator.

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582 **3.12 Hospital Discharge**

583 Prior to discharge, the blinded Navigator sensor and CGMS sensor will be removed and a study
584 nurse or investigator will assess the skin in the area of Navigator sensor and CGMS sensor insertion
585 (see sections 7.5.1 and 7.5.4).

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587 Subjects will continue wearing the unblinded Navigator inserted at the time of admission and will
588 be provided with additional sensors. The subject and parent/guardian will be instructed to use the
589 Navigator on a daily basis and will be instructed in the use of the device including calibration of the
590 device using the built-in Freestyle meter and downloading the device.

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CHAPTER 4
HOME PROCEDURES AND DIABETES MANAGEMENT

4.1 Home Glucose Monitor

Subjects will use the Freestyle as required for calibration of the Navigator sensor. Additional blood glucose measurements may be performed by the subject at anytime.

4.2 Frequency of Use of the Navigator

Each subject will be asked to use a Navigator sensor on a daily basis, inserting a new sensor every 5 days or sooner if the sensor stops working or is pulled out.

Subjects will be instructed to insert a new sensor 5 days before the 3-week and 13-week visits. This will allow for skin assessments to be made following the removal of sensors after 5 days of use.

4.3 Instructions for Use of the Navigator

The subject and parent will be instructed on use of the Navigator and will be provided with a manual describing its calibration and use.

4.4 Downloading the Navigator

At specified intervals, each subject will download the Navigator data, which will be transmitted to the Coordinating Center. The steps to follow will be detailed in the subject instruction manual.

4.5 Self-assessment Using Navigator Download

Instructions will be provided for subjects and parents to download and review the Navigator glucose values.

The goals for blood glucose levels will be as follows:

- Fasting: 70-150 mg/dl
- Premeal: 70-150 mg/dl
- Two hours after each meal: 70-180 mg/dl
- Bedtime: 90-150 mg/dl
- 12a.m. to 4a.m. : 80-150 mg/dl

The aim is to have at least half of the values for each time of day within these ranges.

4.6 Algorithms for Diabetes Management Decisions

The clinical center will provide the subject or primary care giver with algorithms to make management decisions based on real-time data provided by the Navigator and Freestyle meter. The algorithms will be reviewed with the subject and parent during the CRC admission, at each follow-up visit, and during each phone contact.

Compliance with using algorithms will be assessed during phone calls and follow-up visits.

CHAPTER 5 FOLLOW-UP

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5.1 Timing of Visits

Follow-up visits will be completed at 1, 3, 7, and 13 weeks following the CRC admission. The visit windows will be ± 3 days at weeks 1, 3, and 7 and ± 1 week for week 13.

5.2 Overview

The main purpose of the follow-up visits is to review the data from the Navigator, pump (for subjects using an insulin pump), and Freestyle meter, review compliance with use of the algorithms, and make any necessary adjustments for diabetes management. The investigators will review the data and will, in conjunction with the nurse coordinators, implement all insulin adjustments.

At each visit, a skin assessment will be performed where the Navigator has been used. The accuracy of the subject's Freestyle meter will be assessed by comparing a blood glucose result obtained on the subject's meter to a simultaneous test performed on a Freestyle meter in the clinic.

At the 3, 7, and 13-week visits, the Insulin Dose Adjustment Guidelines Satisfaction Questionnaire will be administered (this questionnaire is described in Chapter 6).

At the 7-week follow-up visit, the following also will be done in addition to a standard clinic visit:

- HbA1c determination using the DCA 2000

At the 13-week follow-up visit, the following also will be done in addition to a standard clinic visit:

- HbA1c determination using the DCA 2000
- Completion of questionnaires (the questionnaires are described in Chapter 6)
 - PedsQL Diabetes Module
 - Diabetes Self-Management Profile (Treatment Adherence Questionnaire) – pump patients only
 - Fear of Hypoglycemia Survey – injection patients only
 - Continuous Glucose Monitor Satisfaction Scale
 - Insulin Dose Adjustment Guidelines Satisfaction Questionnaire

5.3 Continued use of the Navigator

At the 13-week visit, subjects not continuing the Navigator will be discontinued from the study.

Subjects willing to continue using the Navigator will be given additional sensors and instructed to use the sensors as often as they would like. These subjects will have a visit at 26 weeks. At the 26-week visit, a skin assessment will be performed where the Navigator has been used and frequency of continued use of the Navigator and algorithms will be assessed. The following will also be done in addition to a standard clinic visit:

- Measurement of HbA1c
- Completion of CGM Satisfaction Scale and Insulin Dose Adjustment Guidelines Satisfaction Questionnaire

At the 26-week visit, subjects will be given the opportunity to continue in the study until the device has FDA approval or until Abbott Diabetes Care can no longer provide supplies for the study.

Subjects who continue in the study will sign an addendum to the consent form and will return to the

690 clinic for a follow-up visit every 3 months. At each visit, the same procedures completed during the
691 26-week visit will be repeated.

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693 **5.4 Phone Calls to Subjects**

694 Phone calls will be made from the clinical center to each subject or primary care giver 3 days (± 1
695 day) and 2, 4, 8 and 10 weeks (± 3 days) following the CRC admission. The primary purpose of the
696 calls will be to review the subject's diabetes management and make alterations as indicated. During
697 each phone call, the coordinator will review the subject's diabetes management after discussion
698 with a study investigator. The downloaded Navigator data and Freestyle data will be available to
699 the clinical center for review during the call. Subjects will provide diet data as well as information
700 regarding any illnesses or stressful events. Female subjects will also be asked to provide menstrual
701 cycle information. The Procedure Manual will contain an outline for the clinical center to follow
702 during the call.

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704 **5.5 Optional Ancillary Nocturnal Hypoglycemia Prevention Study**

705 Subjects who have completed the 26-week visit will be given the opportunity to participate in an
706 optional ancillary study with the following objectives:

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- 708 • To compare the effects of a carbohydrate snack versus a carbohydrate plus fat snack on
709 overnight glucose levels
- 710 • To evaluate the relationship between daytime exercise and overnight hypoglycemia

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712 The data collected as part of this optional ancillary study will be pilot data used to help refine the
713 procedures for a potential larger study to be conducted in the future.

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715 **5.5.1 Overview**

716 The ancillary study consists of 12 nights with each subject consuming a primarily carbohydrate
717 (low fat) snack on 6 nights and a carbohydrate plus fat (high fat) snack on the other 6 nights. A
718 minimization algorithm⁽³³⁾ will be used to determine the ordering of the snack types balancing on
719 pre-snack glucose level and self-reported amount of activity (each defined as dichotomous
720 variables). During this time, glucose levels will be obtained with use of the Navigator.

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722 Each night prior to the bedtime snack, the subject will check his/her glucose level with the
723 FreeStyle meter built into the Navigator. If the glucose level is < 80 mg/dL, carbohydrate (such as
724 juice) will be taken and the glucose level rechecked after 10-15 minutes. This process is repeated
725 until the glucose level is ≥ 80 mg/dL. The last value will be considered the pre-snack glucose level.

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727 On the DirecNet website, the subject will enter the amount and type of snack consumed the
728 previous night and the time and amount of carbohydrates consumed the previous night for any
729 treatment for hypoglycemia. For the current night, the subject will enter the pre-snack glucose
730 level, how active the day was, the amount of carbohydrates he or she will take for the bedtime
731 snack, and the amount of insulin to be taken to cover the bedtime snack. The minimization
732 procedure will then be run (see above) and the subject will be informed as to the snack composition
733 (high fat or low fat) for that night.

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735 **5.5.2 Snack Composition**

736 Subjects will be randomly assigned each night to consume a pre-packaged snack consisting of
737 either:

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	Amount	Fat	Saturated Fat	Calories	Protein	Carbs
1. Lays Classic Stax*	26 chips	20g	5g	320	2g	30g
2. Honey Wheat Pretzels (Rold Gold)	10 pretzels	1.3g	0g	138	2.5g	30g

739 *Could also use Pringles Original (28 crisps = 22g Fat, 3g SF, 2g Prot, and 30g Carbs) or Wise Honey BBQ (28 chips =
740 20g Fat, 5g SF, 2g Prot, and 30g Carbs) or other comparable chip (to be provided by the site)

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742 The two snacks have been selected to have similar amounts of carbohydrate and protein but the
743 chips will have greater amounts of fat.

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745 Subject will use their usual algorithm for determining the amount (in 15 gram increments) of the
746 bedtime snack. When enrolled in the ancillary study, the subject will be queried as to the amount of
747 carbohydrate (rounded to the nearest 15 grams) in his/her usual snack and whether it varies based
748 on the glucose level and how active the day was. This information will be stored in the database.

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750 Subjects will be asked to consume only water if a drink is needed with the bedtime snack. The
751 subject will be asked to avoid the intake of caffeine after dinner.

752 **5.5.3 Bedtime Insulin Management**

753 Subjects will use their usual algorithm for calculating the bedtime insulin dose during the study.

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755 Before start the ancillary study, information regarding basal rates, correction doses, and bolus doses
756 to cover a bedtime snack and whether they vary on exercise and non-exercise days will be collected
757 and stored in the database for each subject.

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759 Each night prior to obtaining the snack composition, subjects will enter on the DirecNet website the
760 insulin dose that will be taken to cover the bedtime snack.

761 **5.5.4 Follow-up Visit**

762 Each subject will be asked to use a Navigator sensor for 12 nights (2 sensors worn for 5 nights each
763 and 1 sensor for 2 nights over a 3-week period).

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765 Subjects will return to the clinic after the 12 nights to have a skin assessment performed and have
766 the Navigator downloaded.

- 767 • If there are not at least 12 nights with a questionnaire completed and a minimum of 5 hours
768 of sensor data, subjects will be asked to wear another sensor and return to the clinic in
769 another week. Additional snacks will be provided if needed.
- 770 • After 12 days with a minimum of 5 hours of Navigator data and a completed questionnaire
771 are obtained, the data will be reviewed with the subject.

772 **5.5.5 Use of the Accelerometer**

773 Subjects may be asked to use the accelerometer at all times (day and night) when the Navigator is
774 worn as part of this optional ancillary study.

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CHAPTER 6 QUESTIONNAIRES

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6.1 PedsQL Diabetes Module

This is a 28-item scale developed and validated for the measurement of diabetes-specific quality of life. Separate forms have been validated for child self-report (2-4 year old; 5-7 year old; 8-12 year old; and 12-18 year old) and parent report for these same age groups. Participants record the extent to which they (or their child) experienced each of 28 problems related to diabetes in the prior month. This questionnaire will be completed at enrollment and at the 13-week follow-up visit. Administration time is approximately 15 minutes.

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6.2 Diabetes Self Management Profile (Treatment Adherence Questionnaire)

This is administered as a structured interview (DSMP) and will be used to determine if changes in diabetes treatment adherence occur during use of the Navigator and to assess whether benefit from use of the Navigator varies with the patient's level of treatment adherence. Parents and younger children will be interviewed together, while parents and children ≥ 9 years old will be interviewed separately. Since administration of the DSMP interview yields the most reliable and valid data if administered by a person not otherwise associated with the diabetes team, all DSMP interviews will be completed via phone by experienced staff at the Nemours Children's Clinic in Jacksonville, FL. The staff completing the interviews will be masked to the assignment group for the subjects. This questionnaire will be completed at enrollment and at the 13-week follow-up visit. Administration time is approximately 20 minutes.

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6.3 Fear of Hypoglycemia Survey

The original Hypoglycemia Fear Survey⁽³⁾ measured several dimensions of fear of hypoglycemia among adults with type 1 diabetes. It consisted of a 10-item Behavior subscale that measured behaviors involved in avoidance and over-treatment of hypoglycemia and a 13-item Worry subscale that measured anxiety and fear surrounding hypoglycemia. The instrument has since been revised to create a parent version⁽⁴⁾ and a child version⁽⁵⁾ of the original instrument. The Worry Scale for these latter two versions consist of 15 items, each with a 5-choice Likert response format. Higher scores indicate greater fear of hypoglycemia. For the present study, the Worry subscale items will be administered at Baseline and 13-weeks. Two additional items have been inserted for completion at the 13 week assessment, consisting of one item evaluating the overall level of fear of hypoglycemia during the prior 3 months and one open-ended item seeking respondents' opinions about whether and how use the Navigator affected their fear of hypoglycemia. Administration time is approximately 5 minutes.

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6.4 Continuous Glucose Monitor Satisfaction Scale

This 34-item questionnaire was designed for this study to measure the impact of using the Navigator on family diabetes management, general family relationships, and individual emotional, behavioral and cognitive reactions to use of the device. This questionnaire will be completed at the 13-week and 26-week follow-up visits. The questionnaire will also be completed at the post 26-week visits for those subjects who continue in the study. Administration time is approximately 15 minutes.

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6.5 Insulin Dose Adjustment Guidelines Satisfaction Questionnaire

This questionnaire was developed and will be piloted for this study to measure the frequency and convenience of use of study-developed algorithms and satisfaction with use of the algorithms in conjunction with the Navigator. This questionnaire will be completed at the 3-week, 7-week, 13-week and 26-week follow-up visits. The questionnaire will also be completed at the post 26-week visits for those subjects who continue in the study. Data from the pilot study will be used to

829 evaluate the measure's psychometric properties including internal consistency, parent-adolescent
830 agreement, associations with study outcomes and descriptive statistics. Administration time is
831 approximately 10 minutes.
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834 **CHAPTER 7**
835 **ADVERSE EVENTS**

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837 **7.1 Events To Be Reported**

838 Adverse event reporting will include (1) events that meet criteria for a serious adverse event (SAE),
839 (2) unanticipated adverse device events, (3) events that are considered to have a possible (or
840 greater) relationship to the Navigator or any study procedure, (4) hyperglycemia resulting in
841 diabetic ketoacidosis or hyperosmolar nonketotic coma, and (5) hypoglycemia resulting in seizures
842 or loss of consciousness.

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844 After 7 days following the completion of sensor use and all study procedures, only adverse events
845 with a possible or greater relationship to sensor use or study procedures will be reported.

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847 **7.2 Definitions**

848 Adverse events meeting the above reporting criteria will be reported with reference to: time and
849 date of event, relationship to the device, severity, and final outcome.

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851 An adverse event is considered a *Serious Adverse Event* (SAE) when it meets one or more of the
852 following criteria: (1) death, (2) life-threatening, (3) required or prolonged hospitalization, (4)
853 permanent disability, or (5) required intervention to prevent permanent impairment/damage.

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855 An *Unanticipated Adverse Device Event* is defined as an adverse event caused by, or associated
856 with, a device, if that effect or problem was not previously identified in nature, severity, or degree
857 of incidence.

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859 The relationship of any adverse event to the device or any other aspect of study participation will be
860 assessed and graded by a study investigator on a four-point scale: (1) not related, (2) possible, (3)
861 probable, and (4) definite. The intensity of adverse events will be rated on a three-point scale: (1)
862 mild, (2) moderate, or (3) severe. It is emphasized that the term severe is a measure of intensity:
863 thus a severe adverse event is not necessarily serious. For example, itching for several days may be
864 rated as severe, but may not be clinically serious.

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866 **7.3 Reporting Requirements for Serious and/or Unexpected Adverse Events**

867 Any serious or unexpected adverse event occurring during or within 7 days after completion of the
868 study will be reported to the Coordinating Center within one working day of occurrence. A written
869 report on such an event will be sent to the Coordinating Center within five days of occurrence,
870 stating a description of the reaction, any required intervention, and the outcome. Each principal
871 investigator is responsible for informing his/her IRB of serious study-related adverse events and
872 abiding by any other reporting requirements specific to their IRB. Contact information for the
873 Coordinating Center is located in the front of the protocol as well as in the Study Directory.

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875 **7.4 Data and Safety Monitoring Board**

876 An independent Data and Safety Monitoring Board will approve the protocol prior to its initiation
877 and will be informed of all serious adverse events and any unanticipated adverse device events that
878 occur during the study.

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880 **7.5 Risks And Discomforts**

881 **7.5.1 Navigator**

882 There is a low risk for developing a local skin infection at the site of the sensor needle placement.
883 Itchiness, redness, bleeding, and bruising at the insertion site may occur as well as local tape

884 allergies. The Abbott Diabetes Care application for FDA approval of the Navigator sensor proposes
885 a 3-day wearing period for each sensor. Nonetheless, Abbott Diabetes Care has indicated to
886 DirecNet that a 5-day wearing period should be safe, effective, and more acceptable to patients.
887 With the 5-day wearing period proposed for this study, the risk of skin reactions may increase.
888 During the CRC admission and at each follow-up visit, each site where the Navigator has been worn
889 will be assessed by study personnel. Both erythema and edema/induration will be scored on a 0 to 4
890 scale (as described on the case report form and in the Procedures Manual). If the sum of the
891 erythema score and the edema/induration score is 6 or greater, an Adverse Event Form will be
892 completed.

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894 **7.5.2 Fingerstick Blood Glucose Measurements**

895 Fingersticks may produce pain and/or ecchymosis at the site.

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897 **7.5.3 Psychosocial Questionnaires**

898 As part of the study, subjects and parents will complete psychosocial questionnaires which include
899 questions about their private attitudes, feelings and behavior related to diabetes. It is possible that
900 some people may find these questionnaires to be mildly upsetting. Similar questionnaires have been
901 used in previous research and these types of reactions have been uncommon.

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903 **7.5.4 CGMS**

904 Subjects using an insulin pump who use the CGMS during the CRC admission will be at low risk
905 for developing a local skin infection at the site of the sensor needle placement. If a catheter is left
906 under the skin for more than 24 hours it is possible get an infection where it goes into the skin, with
907 swelling, redness and pain. There may be bleeding where the catheter is put in and bleeding under
908 the skin causing a bruise (1 in 10 risk).

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910 **7.5.5 IV Risks**

911 For subjects using an insulin pump, a hollow needle/plastic tube will be placed in the arm for taking
912 blood samples or giving fluids during the CRC admission. This will be left in for 24 hours. When
913 the needle goes into a vein, it can cause pain. A special cream (Elamax or EMLA®) may be used to
914 numb the area where the needle will be inserted. The most common risks related to putting the
915 numbing cream on the skin are redness, blanching (temporary whiteness of the skin area), swelling,
916 and itching. There will be the minor discomfort of having the needle/plastic tube taped to the arm.
917 In about one in 10 cases a small amount of bleeding under the skin will produce a bruise. The risk
918 of a blood clot forming in the vein is about one in 100, while the risk of infection or significant
919 blood loss is one in 1000.

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921 **7.5.6 Exercise Risks**

922 For subjects using an insulin pump, the exercise session during the CRC admission involves
923 exercising for a short time while pulse and blood sugars are monitored. It is routinely used to
924 diagnose heart and lung problems. Four in 10,000 people get abnormal heartbeats or chest pain
925 while doing this test. One in 100,000 people die. These are usually older people who have a
926 history of heart conditions.

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928 **7.5.7 Risk of Hypoglycemia**

929 As with any person having insulin-dependent diabetes, there is always a risk of having a low blood
930 sugar (hypoglycemia) and of ketoacidosis. For subjects using an insulin pump, hypoglycemia may
931 occur during or following the time the exercise portion of the CRC admission. Symptoms of
932 hypoglycemia can include sweating, jitteriness, and not feeling well. Just as at home, there is the
933 possibility of fainting or seizures (convulsions) and that for a few days the subject may not be as

934 aware of symptoms of low blood sugar. Since we will be closely monitoring subjects during the
 935 CRC admission, a serious low blood sugar is not expected to occur. Even if severe low blood sugar
 936 does occur, it almost always goes away quickly with treatment to raise the blood sugar.

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938 **7.5.8 Post-breakfast Hyperglycemia**

939 For subjects using an insulin pump, the prebreakfast insulin bolus will be held until the completion
 940 of the one-hour postbreakfast blood draws. This is expected to produce a greater rise in the blood
 941 glucose than would occur had the prebreakfast bolus been given. Hyperglycemia is usually acutely
 942 benign, but may be associated with thirst, glycosuria, ketoacidosis, and hyperosmolar coma. A
 943 serious effect from the hyperglycemia is not expected to occur in a single subject as the insulin
 944 bolus will be given after an hour and the subjects will be monitored. Because of the monitoring, the
 945 risk is lower than it would be for the subject at home when a premeal bolus is missed (a not
 946 infrequent occurrence).

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948 **7.5.9 Blood Volume Requirements**

949 For subjects using an insulin pump, at the time of CRC admission the maximum number of blood
 950 draws that can be performed based on a subject’s weight will be determined so that the maximum
 951 blood volume in the blood draws will not exceed 5% of the subject’s blood volume (calculated by
 952 multiplying the subject’s weight in kilograms by 70 [70cc / kg blood volume] and then multiplying
 953 by .05). The maximum number of blood draws is then determined by dividing this maximum blood
 954 volume by the amount of blood in each blood draw at the center.

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956 The table below shows the blood volumes for each procedure at the “reinfusion” and “discard”
 957 centers, assuming a blood volume of 1.3 ml per blood draw at the “discard” centers and 0.3 ml per
 958 blood draw at the “reinfusion” centers. At the “discard” centers, the maximum number of blood
 959 draws per subject will be adjusted if the blood draw amount exceeds 1.3 ml.

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961 **Table 7.1 Blood Volume Requirements for Study Procedures According to Type of Blood**
 962 **Draw (Reinfusion or Discard)**
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Procedure	# of blood draws	Type of Blood Draw Employed at the Clinical Center	
		“Reinfusion” (0.3 ml per blood draw)	“Discard” (1.3 ml per blood draw)
		<i>blood volume (ml)</i>	
A. Half-Hourly measurements for 24 hrs	48	14.4	62.4
B. Quality control samples*	3	0.9	3.9
C. Blood draws for hypoglycemia*	3	0.9	3.9
D. Meal-induced hyperglycemia test	6	1.2	5.2
E. Exercise session	5	1.5	6.5

964 *This is a maximum number; see section 3.3.2 for details on quality control specimens and section 3.5 for details on
 965 additional blood draws at times of hypoglycemia

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967 The tables below indicate the procedures to be done based on the age and/or weight of the subjects.
 968 At the reinfusion centers, all procedures will be performed on all subjects with the exception of the
 969 exercise, which is only completed for subjects ≥ 7 years of age. For discard centers, the procedures
 970 performed will be based on the age and weight of the subjects.

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972 **Table 7.2: Procedures to Be Done and Blood Volume Required According to Age of Subject**
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A. “Reinfusion” Centers

	Procedure	

	<i>(see description in Table 7.1 for each 'letter')</i>					
Subject Age	A	B	C	D	E	Total Blood Volume*
< 7	14.4	0.9	0.9	1.2	-	17.4
≥ 7	14.4	0.9	0.9	1.2	1.5	18.9

* assumes 0.3 ml per blood draw

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B. “Discard” Centers

	Procedure <i>(see description in Table 7.1 for each 'letter')</i>					
Subject Age and Weight	A	B	C	D	E	Total Blood Volume**
<7, 14.5-<20.1 kg	42.9*	3.9	3.9	-	-	50.7
<7, 20.1-21.5 kg	62.4	3.9	3.9	-	-	70.2
<7, ≥21.6 kg	62.4	3.9	3.9	5.2	-	75.4
≥7, 20.1-21.5 kg	62.4	3.9	3.9	-	-	70.2
≥7, 21.6-23.3 kg	62.4	3.9	3.9	5.2	-	75.4
≥7, ≥ 23.4 kg	62.4	3.9	3.9	5.2	6.5	81.9

* based on adjusted schedule of every 30 min overnight (9PM – 6AM) and hourly at other times

**assumes 1.3 ml per blood draw

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The study may include other risks that are unknown at this time.

982 **CHAPTER 8**
983 **MISCELLANEOUS CONSIDERATIONS**

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985 **8.1 Benefits**

986 It is expected that continuous glucose monitors will have an important role in the management of
987 diabetes in children. Therefore, the results of this study are likely to be beneficial for children with
988 diabetes.

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990 It is possible that subjects will not directly benefit from being a part of this study. However, it is
991 also possible that the blood sugar information from the monitor along with the algorithms provided
992 for management decisions will be useful for subjects' diabetes self-management.

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994 **8.2 Subject/Parent Reimbursement**

995 The study will provide the Navigator and related supplies, and the Freestyle meter test strips.

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997 Children will be paid \$5 for every time the Navigator is downloaded on time and \$2 for every time
998 the Navigator is downloaded late during the first 3 months of the study. The amount earned by the
999 child will be recorded and paid in one payment at the end of the study (Maximum of \$60 during the
1000 study).

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1002 The study will be paying \$100 for the CRC admission for subjects using an insulin pump and \$25
1003 per completed visit for each of the six required study visits (7 visits for subjects using Lantus with
1004 MDI) to cover travel and other visit-related expenses. Payment will not be made for missed visits.
1005 Payment will be made after the child completes the study.

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1007 **8.3 Subject Withdrawal**

1008 Participation in the study is voluntary, and a subject may withdraw at any time. The investigator
1009 may withdraw a subject who is not complying with the protocol.

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1011 **8.4 Confidentiality**

1012 For security purposes, subjects will be assigned an identifier that will be used instead of their name.
1013 Protected health information gathered for this study will be shared with the coordinating center, the
1014 Jaeb Center for Health Research in Tampa, FL. Information given to the coordinating center will
1015 include: diagnosis, general physical exam information (height/weight/blood pressure/etc.) insulin,
1016 questionnaire results, hemoglobin A_{1C} results, continuous glucose monitor results, blood work
1017 results, HGM blood glucose measurements, information pertaining to hypoglycemic excursions and
1018 the treatment given, as well as all other study related data gathered during study visits. During each
1019 visit, the study devices will be downloaded to a computer that is secured and password protected,
1020 the files will be sent directly to the coordinating center via email. All files will include only the
1021 subject's identifier; no names or personal information will be included.

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1023 The Diabetes Self-Management Profile, administered at baseline and at the 3-month visit, must be
1024 conducted via telephone by trained personnel at the Nemours Children's Clinic in Jacksonville, FL.
1025 If the phone interview cannot be conducted during the office visit, the phone number where the
1026 subject and parent can be reached may be provided to the staff at Nemours. The interview will be
1027 conducted at a time that is convenient for the subject and parent.

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1029 During the study, subjects will be asked to download the Navigator and Freestyle data to their home
1030 computer. The downloaded data will be emailed to the coordinating center. Abbott Diabetes Care
1031 will be provided with the downloaded data as well as the data collected for the study during the

1032 CRC admission, at follow-up visits, and during phone contacts. The data provided to Abbott
1033 Diabetes Care will include only the subject's identifier; no names or personal information will be
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Chapter 9
Statistical Considerations

9.1 Sample Size

The sample size of 60 for this pilot trial is a convenience sample and is not based on statistical principles.

9.2 Analysis Plan

The analysis plan is summarized below and will be detailed in a separate document. The analyses below which refer to the CRC admission will only be completed for the 30 subjects using insulin pump therapy who will have the admission rather than a baseline visit.

9.2.1 Assessment of the Feasibility of Using the Navigator Continuous Glucose Sensor on a Daily Basis

From baseline through 13 weeks, average weekly values will be given for the following:

- Number of sensors used
- Number of sensors unsuccessfully calibrated
- Hours of sensor use

Use of the sensor on at least 6 of 7 days will be considered a successful week.

Results will also be stratified by week. The bootstrap will be used to account for correlated data from the same subject to test whether weekly hours of sensor use remains stable over time. Similar analyses will be conducted to see whether sensor use is associated with subject demographics such as age, gender or weight.

9.2.2 Development and Testing of Algorithms for Making Adjustments to Diabetes Management Based on Data from Navigator

Downloads from the insulin pump and Freestyle glucose meter will be manually reviewed by study investigators to evaluate the level of subject compliance with the algorithms. Methods for automatically calculating a compliance score based on the expert review will be explored.

9.2.3 Questionnaires

Analysis of total scores from the PedsQL Diabetes Module, the Diabetes Self-Management Profile and the Fear of Hypoglycemia Survey will be analyzed at baseline and 13 weeks separately for patients (≥ 9 years at enrollment) and parents (all subjects). Paired t-tests will be used to compare baseline vs. 13-week results separately for patients and parents. Correlations between patient and parent scores and baseline and 13-week scores will also be calculated.

9.2.4 Inpatient Accuracy of the Navigator and CGMS

Accuracy analyses will be done separately for the Navigator and the CGMS.

9.2.4.1 Difference Measures

Navigator and CGMS glucose measurements from the CRC admission will be paired to glucose values from simultaneous blood draws sent to the central laboratory. For each sensor-reference glucose pair the following accuracy measurements will be calculated:

- Difference (sensor glucose minus reference glucose)
- Absolute Difference (absolute value of the Difference)
- Relative Difference (Difference divided by reference glucose, expressed as a percentage)

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- Relative Absolute Difference (absolute value of the Relative Difference)
 - ISO criteria (binary assessment of accuracy: sensor within ± 15 mg/dL if reference ≤ 75 mg/dL or sensor within $\pm 20\%$ if reference > 75 mg/dL)
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1089 The primary assessment of accuracy will exclude glucose values during exercise. Separate analyses
1090 for exercise are described in Section 9.2.4.5.

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1092 Mean and 95% confidence interval, median and quartile values will be given for the first four
1093 accuracy measures listed above as well the percentage of pairs meeting the ISO criteria with 95%
1094 confidence interval.

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1096 Median relative absolute difference (RAD) and ISO percentages will be explored in subgroups
1097 defined by:

- reference glucose level
 - sensor age
 - day vs. night
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1102 Confidence intervals and statistical comparisons will be done using the bootstrap method to account
1103 for correlated data from the same subject.

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1105 **9.2.4.2 Precision of Navigator**

1106 When 2 Navigators are being worn simultaneously during the CRC stay, the glucose values from
1107 the devices will be paired to each other. The analyses described in Section 9.2.4.1 will be
1108 performed for these pairs to describe the precision of the Navigator.

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1110 **9.2.4.3 Detection of Hypoglycemia**

1111 Hypoglycemic episodes during the CRC stay defined by the reference glucose values will be
1112 evaluated for Navigator and CGMS sensitivity (percentage of episodes successfully detected by the
1113 Navigator and CGMS).

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1115 The false positive rate for Navigator hypoglycemic alarms and CGMS hypoglycemic episodes
1116 (defined below) will also be calculated using the reference glucose data.

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1118 A CGMS hypoglycemic episode will be defined as at least two sensor glucose values (not
1119 necessarily consecutive) ≤ 70 mg/dL without any intervening values > 80 mg/dL. There may be
1120 skips during the episode, but for no more than 30 consecutive minutes. An analogous definition
1121 will be used for continuous glucose sensor episodes ≤ 60 mg/dL (two values ≤ 60 mg/dL without any
1122 intervening values > 70 mg/dL).

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1124 For the Navigator, analogous calculations of sensitivity and false alarm rates will be calculated for
1125 the impending hypoglycemia alarms.

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1127 If there are a sufficient number of events, separate analyses will be given for day vs. night.

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1129 **9.2.4.4 Detection of Hyperglycemia**

1130 Analysis will parallel that described for hypoglycemia in Section 9.2.4.3. The definition of
1131 hyperglycemia for the Navigator will be ≥ 300 mg/dL when the hyperglycemic alarm is triggered. A
1132 hyperglycemic episode for the CGMS will be defined as at least 2 values > 300 mg/dL with no
1133 intervening values < 290 mg/dL.

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1135 **9.2.4.5 Assessment of Navigator and CGMS Function during Exercise**
1136 The analyses described in Section 9.2.4.1 will be run separately for sensor-reference pairs during
1137 exercise. The rate error-grid analysis will also be performed separately.
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1139 Sensitivity rates will also be calculated for hypoglycemia (during exercise). The glycemic
1140 excursions and rates of change during this period will be compared between reference vs. sensor
1141 glucoses by giving summary statistics for the difference, absolute difference, relative difference and
1142 relative absolute difference.
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1144 **9.2.4.6 Assessment of Navigator and CGMS Function Post-Breakfast**
1145 Analysis of the frequent post-breakfast blood draws described in Section 3.7 will include all pairs
1146 from the start of glucose rise until the reference peak. The start of glucose rise will be defined as
1147 the first measurement after which the next two values both show a rate of increase ≥ 0.5 mg/dL per
1148 minute. Sensitivity rates will be calculated for hyperglycemia as defined above. Glycemic
1149 excursions and rates of change during this period will be compared between reference vs. sensor
1150 glucoses by giving summary statistics for the difference, absolute difference, relative difference and
1151 relative absolute difference.
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1153 **9.2.5 Outpatient Accuracy of the Navigator**
1154 Navigator values from home use will be paired with corresponding Freestyle measurements.
1155 Freestyle values used to calibrate the Navigator will be excluded from analysis. The analyses
1156 described in Sections 9.2.4.1, 9.2.4.3 and 9.2.4.4 will be repeated for these data to describe
1157 Navigator accuracy during outpatient use. Additionally, potential associations of accuracy with
1158 subject demographics such as age, gender and weight will be explored.
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1160 **9.2.6 Comparison of Subject vs. Staff Freestyle Measurements**
1161 The difference measures described in Section 9.2.4.1 will be computed for the times when the
1162 subject and a CRC staff member made simultaneous Freestyle glucose measurements.
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1164 **9.2.7 Exploratory Assessment of the Effect of Use of the Navigator and Algorithms on A1c
and Frequency of Hypoglycemia**
1165 Mean and standard deviation of the A1c values will be given at baseline and 13 weeks. If the
1166 distribution of A1c values is suitable for least squares analysis, a paired t-test will be used to
1167 compare baseline vs. 13 week values. Otherwise, the Wilcoxon signed-rank test will be used
1168 instead. A similar procedure will be used to compare baseline vs. 13 week results for:
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1170 • Number of self-reported weekly episodes of symptomatic hypoglycemia
1171 • Number of Navigator defined episodes of hypoglycemia
1172 • Mean glucose (measured by the Navigator)
1173 • Percentage of Navigator measurements in target range 60-180 mg/dL
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1175 Mean and standard deviation values for the four measures listed above will also be stratified by
1176 baseline A1c values.
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1178 **9.2.8 Severe Hypoglycemia**
1179 All self-reported episodes of severe hypoglycemia defined by seizure or loss of consciousness will
1180 be tabulated.

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