

## NOTE: FOR PENS & CARTRIDGES ONLY

- Insulin products come in **3ml** cartridges or pens packaged in **boxes of 5**
- The standard concentration is **100IU/ml** (\*beware exceptions below)
- Any opened pen or cartridge should be **discarded after 28 days**
- Insulin from two different pens/cartridges can be used to make up the total dose (i.e a patient needs to inject 70 units but only 30 remaining in current pen. Patient can use those 30 units and inject additional 40 from new pen)

300 units per pen/cartridge → 1500 units per box of 5

*EXCEPTIONS		
<i>Humalog Kwikpen 200</i>	Lispro <b>200IU/ml</b>	<b>RED:</b> Consultant only
<i>Toujeo Solostar</i>	Glargine <b>300IU/ml</b>	<b>RED:</b> Consultant only
<i>Tresiba FlexTouch</i>	Degludec available as <b>100UI &amp; 200IU/ml</b>	Different status on each local formulary

For all 100IU/ml products		
Total Daily Dose	Number of days for ONE pen	Number of days for ONE BOX OF 5 pens
10 units	28	140
15 units	20	100
20 units	15	75
25 units	12	60
30 units	10	50
40 units	7	37
50 units	6	30
60 units	5	25
70 units	4	21
80 units	3	18
90 units	3	16