

Living Well with Diabetes

How to use your Prodigy VOICE™ blood glucose meter

What you need to test your blood glucose level

Your starter kit includes the following:

- Blood glucose meter
- Lancing device
- Vial of test strips
- Lancets
- Control solution



Before you start

You may need to insert batteries and set the date and time on the meter the first time you use it.

Wash your hands with warm water and dry them completely.



Insert a new test strip into your meter. Place the square end of the strip with the 3 contact bars as far into the meter as it can go. Your meter will greet you and confirm the date and time. It is now ready for use.

Please note: Coding is not required with this meter.

Getting your audible test results

Step 1: Get a blood sample

Use your lancing device and a new lancet to get a drop of blood from your fingertip.

Some people find that getting a blood sample from the side of their fingertip, rather than the top, makes it easier to apply the blood to the test strip.

Step 2: Apply blood to strip



Apply the blood droplet to the round end of test strip when the test strip and droplet symbols appear in your meter window.

Touch and hold the drop of blood to the narrow channel at the top edge of the test strip.

Make sure that the channel on the strip is completely full. This ensures that your meter has a large enough blood sample to give you a correct reading.

If your sample doesn't fill the channel, add more blood to that strip within 5 seconds. If you get an error reading, throw away the strip and start again.

Step 3: Read the result

Your meter will count down from 6 to 0 and display and voice the result of your blood glucose level.

If you have any questions or concerns, contact Diagnostic Devices at 1-800-243-2636.

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