Notice regarding novel coronavirus and COVID-19

We understand the concern our pediatric diabetes patients and their families have experienced regarding the possible impact of the novel coronavirus and the COVID-19 infection on their child's or family's health.

All indications are that people with diabetes are not at higher risk to contract a COVID-19 infection, but, as with other diseases, their risk is higher to have more severe complications.

Two national organizations are providing highly reliable and continually updated information about COVID-19 for patients with diabetes: the <u>American</u> <u>Diabetes Association</u> and the <u>JDRF</u>. Please use these resources as your first line resource to access to the best information for your situation.

The Children's Diabetes Program at Children's Hospital remains ready to serve you with the highest quality care and attention should you need help with specific problems relating to diabetes management in your home.