

## **Dexcom G6 Troubleshooting**



## Can't hear alarms/alerts?



Verify that
Bluetooth and
volume are
turned on



# No readings alert for the last 20 minutes

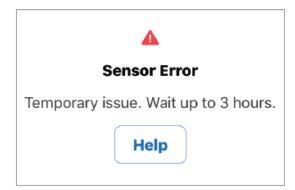
- Check transmitter, is it snapped into the holder?
- Wait (up to 3 hours) while the system fixes itself





## Sensor Error Alert (no G6 readings)

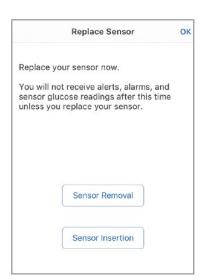
- Make sure sensor is secure
- Make sure transmitter is snapped flat into holder





### Sensor Failed Alert

Change sensor







#### Signal Loss Alert (no G6 readings)

- Keep transmitter and phone within
   20 feet of each other
- Wait 30 minutes
- App:
  - If that does not work turn
     Bluetooth off and on. Wait 10 minutes.
  - If that does not work, restart smart device and reopen Dexcom app
  - Wait up to 30 minutes



## "Low" or "High" Displayed

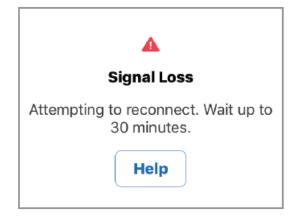
 G6 only displays numbers between <u>40-400 mg/dL</u>

Below 40 mg/dL



Above 400 mg/dL





#### **Additional Dexcom G6 tips**

- Sensor starting to peel off?
  - Reinforce adhesive patch with tape or tegaderm (cut hole in center of tegaderm so sensor is not compressed)
- Sweaty skin?
  - Prep skin with alcohol <u>and</u> skin prep (or mastisol)
- Patient leaving room or going off the floor?
  - Leave phone where it is unless directed by provider to send with the patient