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Looping Safety/Emergency kit

Loop systems are complex but reliable though things can go wrong: smartphone, Orangelink, pod & sensor can get lost/damaged/malfunction/dislodged/discharged. BCDiabetes believes in Jack Reacher's maxim "hope for the best but prepare for the worst" & recommends, at a bare minimum, that all Loopers have ready access to, within one hour, wherever they are on the planet, the following backup supplies:

Rapid insulin pen and pentips

**Finger poker, strips & device for blood glucose testing
sugar/carb source (or glucagon)**

and if away from major backup for 12+ hours

Basal insulin pen and pentips

Depending on personality and resources Loopers will have their own preferences re Safety kit composition. These may include the following: extra pod(s), sensor(s), Orangelink, external battery pack, smartphone, connector cables.

BCDiabetes relies heavily on two very experienced Loopers for their advice. See their personal Loop safety kits outlined below.

[Ben's recommendations](#)

[Saveli's recommendations](#)

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