

Flying with an insulin pump or CGM?

As a result of our campaign, we are delighted to issue the new Medical Device Awareness Card sponsored by the UK Civil Aviation Authority (CAA) and Airport Operators Association (AOA), which covers Insulin Pumps, CGMs and flash glucose monitoring devices including the Freestyle Libre.

Due to potential damage, insulin pump and CGM manufacturers advise that the medical devices should not be exposed to x-ray screening and full-body airport scanners.

Regulations allow passengers with these medical devices to ask for an alternative security screening process. The new double-sided Medical Device Awareness Card provides information for both the Security Officer and the passenger and can be downloaded and printed direct from the CAA website www.caa.co.uk.

Campaign Organiser, Rachel Crawford has had 8.5cm x 12.5cm double-sided versions of the Medical Device Awareness card printed (the perfect size to tuck in your passport!) and is happy to provide them free of charge upon receipt of a stamped addressed envelope (UK only).

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