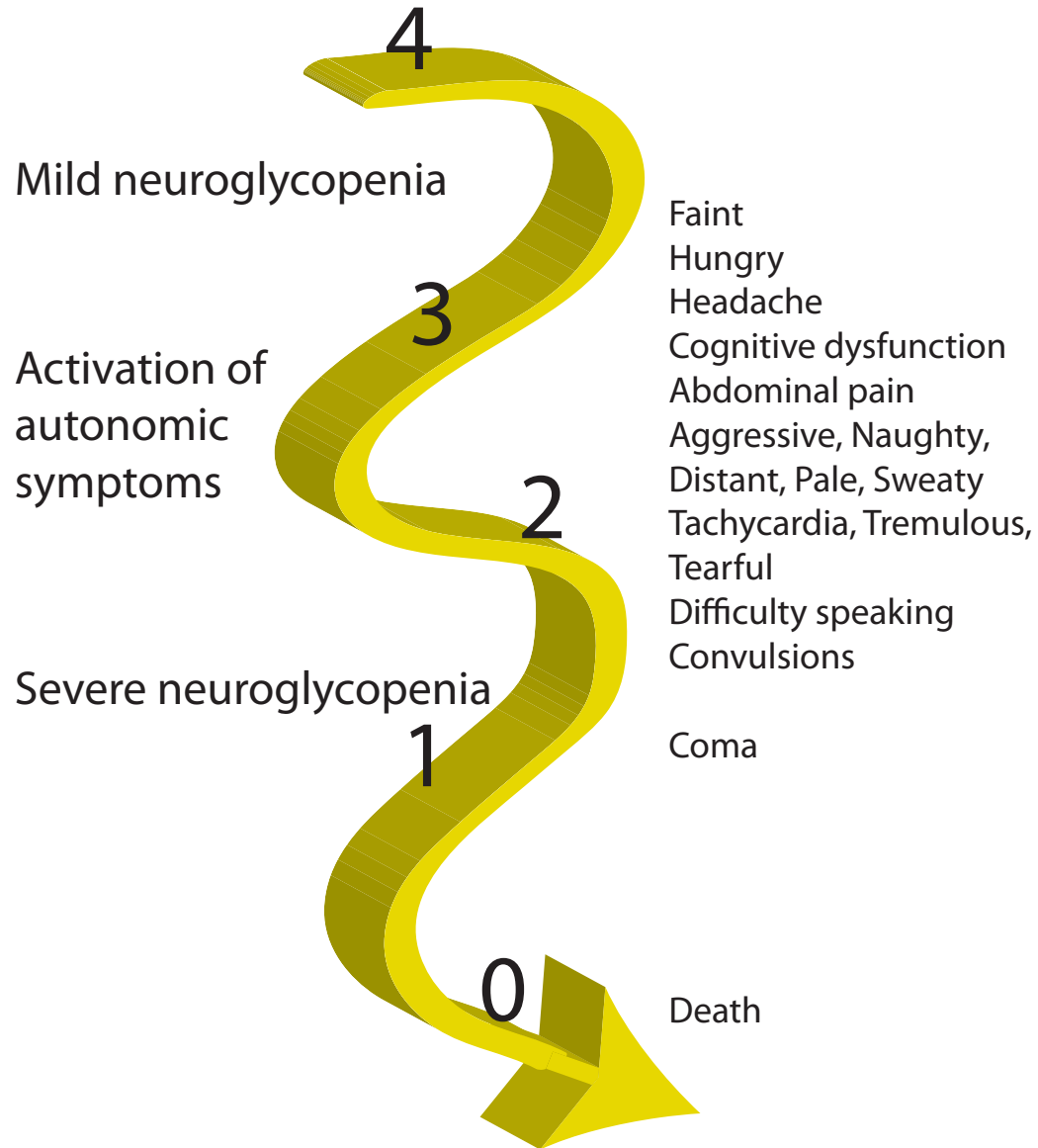


Blood glucose (mmol/L)



## Hospital Treatment of Hypoglycaemia

Blood glucose < 2.5 mmol/L

IV glucose bolus dose 1g/kg (2ml/kg 50%)

Start 10% glucose infusion at 6ml/kg/hr

If IV access not available:

Give Glucagon IM (>6yr 1mg, <6yr 0.5mg)

NB: may cause vomiting

Blood glucose 2.5 - 4.0 mmol/L

Oral glucose unless vomiting  
when IV glucose as above

Blood glucose >4.0 mmol/L - normal (no Rx req.)

If coma persists, monitor blood glucose frequently  
and infuse glucose as required

Restlessness may be due to a full bladder

Consider other causes of decreased consciousness