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Figure 2. Management of diabetic ketoacidosis (DKA) in persons younger than 20 years. (HCO₃ = bicarbonate; IV = intravenous; K = potassium; Na = sodium; NaCl = sodium chloride; NaHCO₃ = sodium bicarbonate; SC = subcutaneous.)

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