

REGIONAL ADULT SEPSIS ALERT CRITERIA

Suspected Infection

- **AND** -

At least **TWO** of the following:

- Altered mentation*
*(*GCS <15, confusion, agitation, or any change from baseline)*
- Systolic Blood Pressure \leq 100 mmHg
- Respiratory Rate \geq 20
- Heart Rate > 90

- **AND** -

End Tidal CO₂ \leq 30 mmHg

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REGIONAL PEDIATRIC SEPSIS ALERT CRITERIA

Suspected Infection**
- AND -
Altered Mental Status, OR
Poor Perfusion⁺
- AND -
End Tidal CO₂ ≤ 30 mmHg

**All pediatric patients are at risk of sepsis; however, infection should be strongly considered in patients with:

- Indwelling lines
- Need for ventilator or tracheostomy support
- Recent surgery/hospitalization
- History of immunocompromise/unvaccinated
- Cancer
- Sickle cell disease
- Cystic fibrosis
- Congenital heart disease
- Transplanted organ
- Diabetes

⁺Capillary Refill >3 seconds, mottled skin, cool/clammy skin, weak/thready pulse

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