

Medical Standard & Governance Pre-approval Form

This is a pre-requisite form provided for **Sepsis**

Kindly fill in all the requested information given below. This is a mandatory step to proceed further. Failure to provide information relevant to approval will delay the processing of the applicant's request. The provider will be contacted in case further clarifications are required.

GENERAL INFORMATION	
-	Member's Name:
☐ New	☐ Established
-	Card number:
-	Date of birth:
-	Gender: ☐ Female ☐ Male

DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENT
Please indicate the suspected/confirmed source of infection along with the relevant test(s) conducted to identify it Attached medical reports include: ☐ Laboratory Test ☐ Microbial Result ☐ Radiology Report ☐ Others, specify

PATIENT'S DIAGNOSTIC CATEGORY
Please select the patient's sepsis diagnosis from the options below and ensure that all required values for the applicable scoring system are provided in the relevant section: ☐ Early sepsis in pediatric patient ☐ Severe sepsis in pediatric patient ☐ Early sepsis in adult patient ☐ Severe sepsis in adult patient ☐ Septic shock

CLINICAL ASSESSMENT & SEVERITY SCORING CRITERIA FOR PEDIATRICS (<18 years old)

Early sepsis criteria:

Quick Paediatric Septic Shock Screening Score (qPS4)

Instructions: Assign 1 point for each criterion present, please provide value measured

- ☐ Temperature and Age-adjusted Mean Shock Index (TAMSI)(_____points)
- ☐ Age-adjusted tachypnea(_____points)
- ☐ Capillary refill time(_____points)
- Abnormal mental status(_____points)

Total qPS4 Score: ____ /4points, a score of ≥ 2 out of 4 is suggestive of pediatric sepsis and supports consideration for early sepsis management

Note: Score ≥ 2 suggests increased risk and the need for urgent clinical assessment.

Severe sepsis criteria:

Phoenix Sepsis Score

Instructions: Assess organ dysfunction

Respiratory System:

- ☐ PaO₂/FiO₂ ratio dysfunction (_____ points)
- ☐ Mechanical ventilation required (_____ points)

Cardiovascular System:

- ☐ MAP dysfunction for age (_____ points)
- ☐ Vasoactive medication required (_____ points)
- ☐ Lactate > 5 mmol/L (_____ points)

Coagulation System:

- ☐ Platelet dysfunction (_____ points)
- ☐ INR dysfunction (_____ points)

Neurological System:

- ☐ GCS dysfunction for age (_____ points)

Total Phoenix Score: _____ points

Note: Score ≥ 2 indicates sepsis; Score ≥ 2 + cardiovascular points indicate septic shock

CLINICAL ASSESSMENT & SEVERITY SCORING CRITERIA FOR ADULTS (≥18 years old)

Early sepsis criteria:

qSOFA Score (Quick Sequential Organ Failure Assessment)

Instructions: Assign 1 point for each criterion present

- ☐ Respiratory Rate ≥ 22 /min (_____points)
- ☐ Altered Mental Status (GCS < 15) (_____points)
- ☐ Systolic Blood Pressure ≤ 100 mmHg (_____points)

Total qSOFA Score: _____ / 3 points, a score of ≥ 2 indicates a high risk of poor clinical outcomes

NEWS-2 Score (National Early Warning)

- ☐ Respirations breath/min(_____points)
- ☐ SpO2 Scale 1 (_____points)
- ☐ SpO2 Scale 2 (_____points)
- ☐ Supplemental oxygen(_____points)
- ☐ Blood pressure mmHg (_____points)
- ☐ Pulse beats/min(_____points)
- ☐ Consciousness (_____points)
- ☐ Temperature °C(_____points)

Total NEWS-2 Score: _____/20 points, an aggregate NEWS-2 score of 5 or more is a key threshold that should trigger an urgent clinical review.

Severe sepsis criteria:

SOFA Score (Sequential Organ Failure Assessment-If performed)

Total SOFA Score: _____ / 24 points

Note: Score ≥ 2 indicates organ dysfunction; Higher scores correlate with increased mortality

SEPTIC DIAGNOSTIC SHOCK CRITERIA

Septic shock criteria:

- ☐ MAP Value_____mmHg
- ☐ Serum Lactate_____mmol/L
- ☐ Vasopressor administration

MANAGEMENT SUPPORTING DIAGNOSIS

Treatment course includes:

☐ Antibiotic

☐ Antifungal

☐ Antiviral

☐ Others, please specify