

Anna Jaques Hospital ED Sepsis Screening

The screening is for adults only and is automated in the electronic health record.

An adult patient with 2 triggers + possible source will be flagged with a question of sepsis = ? SEPSIS

The triggers include any 2 vital signs that are outside the set parameter **PLUS** a suspected source.

Temp >100.4 or <96.9 and/or Recent fever within (was 24) 6 hours = Y

Pulse >90

Respirations >20

Suspected source of infection = Y

If the patient meets the ? SEPSIS criteria, labs are ordered, including blood cultures are ordered by nursing staff. An IV saline lock is placed and the patient is made an ESI 2.

Blood Pressure:	90/50	Pulse:	120	Respirations:	22	Mean Arterial Pressure (MAP):	
Temperature:	100.5	Temperature Source+	Oral	Recent fever w/in 6h?	Y		
% O2SAT	98	O2 Device+	Room Air	O2 LPM:			
Trigger count:	3	Suspected infection?	Y	Sepsis Screening:	?Sepsis		