

KERN MEDICAL CENTER: Sepsis Resuscitation and Maintenance Bundle

Severe Sepsis Interventions (To be completed within 3 hours)

Nursing

- Initiate Rapid Response Team to implement standardized procedure, notify MD and expedite transfer to ICU/DOU as necessary
-(ER/ICU/DOU notify charge nurse)
- Document vitals every 15 minutes until stable, then every 30 minutes x2, Temperature every hour until normal, Temperature every hour until normal, then every 4
- STAT labs:** **2 sets of Blood Cultures prior to antibiotics** **Stat Serum Lactate and Procalcitonin, if not collected in last 6 hours**
 CBC w/diff CMP PT/PTT/INR ABG *If not collected in last 12 hours*
- For hypotension/lactate greater than 4, immediately infuse fluid bolus 30ml/kg Normal Saline**
- Administer broad spectrum IV Antibiotics:** ER within 3 hours In-patient within 1 Hour
- Complete the following once order obtained (if no order received, request):
 Ensure 2 large bore IV's in place, 20g minimum Administer supplemental oxygen to keep SpO2 greater than or equal to 95%
 Insert urinary catheter and assess urine output hourly Carry out diagnostic tests for source identification stat

Physician

- Order 2 large bore IV's to be placed STAT
- Order broad spectrum antibiotics, Mark "Give additional Dose Now" box**
- Order urinary Catheter and medical necessity
- Order supplemental Oxygen Administration to keep SpO2 greater than or equal to 95%, prepare for intubation if indicated
- Order vitals every 15 minutes until stable, then every 30 minutes x2 and Temp every hour until normal, then every 4 hours
- Order continuous Cardiac Monitor with Pulse Oximetry
- Order labs for stat Sputum/Wound gram stain and C&S; UA gram stain stat and C&S
- Stat chest X-ray and other diagnostic tests needed to identify source

Septic Shock Interventions (To be completed within first 6 hours if refractory hypotension present)

Nursing

- Verify Rapid Response Team and MD aware of patient
- Assist with central line insertion (if necessary) and complete central line checklist
- Document CVP hourly and after each fluid bolus (if ordered)
- Aggressive fluid resuscitation per MD orders
- For refractory hypotension administer vasopressors per MD orders**

Physician

- Obtain an ICU consult and transfer patient to higher level of care (ICU/DOU or Trauma Room for ED)
- Insert Central Line (optional) and continue fluid resuscitation.

Reassess/Document volume status and tissue perfusion by repeat focused exam (after initial fluid resuscitation) including vitals, cardiopulmonary, capillary refill, pulse and skin finds or two of the following: Measure CVP/Measure ScvO2, Bedside cardiovascular ultrasound, Dynamic assessment of fluid responsiveness with passive leg raise or fluid challenge.

- Order vasopressors if MAP less than 65 and refractory to fluid boluses**, *Titrate to map greater than or equal to 65mmHg
 1st choice: NORepinephrine (Levophed®) IV drip If bradycardia present 1st choice: DOPamine IV drip
 - Start at 4mcg/min ▶ Titrate 2mcg/min every 10 minutes -Start 5 mcg/kg/min ▶ Titrate 2.5 mcg/kg/min every 10 minutes
 - Max 20mcg/min [JW1], per MD orders -Max 20mcg/kg/min, per MD orders
 If second vasopressor required add: Epinephrine IV drip
 - Start at 1mcg/min ▶ Titrate 1mcg/min every 5 minutes
 - Max 10mcg/min, per MD orders
- Only use corticosteroids if adequate fluids and vasopressors have not achieved hemodynamic stability:
*Order Hydrocortisone drip for total daily dose of 200mg
- (Optional) ScvO2 hourly and PRN, if less than 70%, CVP/MAP goals are met and Hgb greater than or equal to 9 ▶ initiate Dobutamine
*For ScvO2 less than 70% and Hct less than 30, consider blood products
- Arterial line insertion for mechanically ventilated patients
- Order procalcitonin to be drawn 6 hours after initial lab draw for all results 0.5 or greater and order in AM labs Q 24 hours times 2.
(Lactate^{Baseline}-Lactate^{6hour})x100

Lactate^{Baseline}

Severe Sepsis/ Septic Shock Maintenance Bundle (To be completed within first 24 Hours):

- Continue all Sepsis Resuscitation Bundle Interventions until expected outcomes are met.
- Control blood glucose/institute insulin drip to maintain blood sugars less than 140-180 mg/dl
- Control inspiratory plateau pressures* Maintain less than 30cmH2O for mechanically ventilated patients
- Cultures checked daily and antibiotics changed based on sensitivities.
- Institute Critical Care Standards of Care including:
 VTE Prophylaxis GI Prophylaxis Nutritional Support per Dietary recommendation VAE Prevention Pressure Ulcer Prevention

Goals of Treatment

- 1) MAP greater than or equal to 65 with **fluid boluses***, and vasopressors if **needed***
- 2) **Blood Cultures*** X2 prior to antibiotics – Do not delay **antibiotic*** administration – must be given within 1 hour in patient and 3 ED
- 3) Baseline **lactate*** collected and serial lactates drawn to evaluate effectiveness of treatment
- 4) Urine Output greater than or equal to 30ml/hour
- 5) Identify Source

*Indicates elements for reporting

PATIENT LABEL

ER/ACUTE CARE SEVERE SEPSIS SCREENING TOOL

Must be completed for all patients 18 and older in ER/ICU/DOU/3C/2C/3D/PACU (Excludes Trauma patients within first 48 hours)
Do not mark criteria if chronic or obvious rational. Example: Tachycardia in active hemorrhage patient

*****Must RE-SCREEN IF NEW SIRS DEVELOP*****
Place a check mark (✓) in box if patient meets criteria

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1) Systemic Inflammatory Response Syndrome (SIRS): Are any of the following NEW or WORSE in the past 24 hours?

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| Temperature greater than or equal to 101°F or less than 96.8°F | | | | | | | | | |
| Heart Rate greater than 90 bpm | | | | | | | | | |
| Respiratory Rate greater than 20/minute | | | | | | | | | |
| Acutely Altered Mental Status | | | | | | | | | |
| WBC Count greater than 12 or Diff with greater than 10% bands | | | | | | | | | |
| WBC Count less than 4 or Diff with greater than 10% bands | | | | | | | | | |

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2) Index of Suspicion: Is there suspected, documented or high risk for infection?

Mark if yes.

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FLOOR: Immediately notify Charge Nurse, Rapid Response Team (5#) and Physician. Evaluate patient for organ dysfunction.

ER/ICU/DOU: Immediately notify Charge Nurse, Physician and complete the following:

•Initiate Standardized Procedure. Draw STAT CBC with Diff, CMP, Lactate, Procalcitonin, PT/PTT, BC x 1. Evaluate for organ dysfunction.

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3) Organ Dysfunction: Are any of the following present and changed from baseline (New)?

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| CNS: Acutely Altered Mental Status | | | | | | | | | |
| Cardio: SBP less than 90 or MAP less than 65 SBP decrease greater than 40 from baseline | | | | | | | | | |
| Resp: New O2 requirement to maintain SpO2 greater than 90% PaO2/FiO2 ratio less than 300 | | | | | | | | | |
| Bowel: Severe abdominal pain with distention Absent bowel sounds | | | | | | | | | |
| Renal: Urine output less than 30mL/hour for 2 consecutive hours Creatinine greater than 2 | | | | | | | | | |
| Hepatic: Bilirubin greater than 2 | | | | | | | | | |
| Hematologic: Platelets less than 100,000 INR greater than 1.5 or PTT greater than 60 | | | | | | | | | |
| Metabolic: Lactate greater than 4 Blood glucose more than 140 in the absence of Diabetes | | | | | | | | | |

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Severe Sepsis Suspected

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Severe Sepsis Not Suspected
Triage PRN 1200 PRN 0000 PRN Admit
 Ruled out or criteria not met:
 Will continue to monitor patient and re-screen
 PRN if new criteria develop

Diagnosed with Severe Sepsis
Triage PRN 1200 PRN 0000 PRN Admit
 Will resume screening once:
 -Lactate below 4 and/or
 -Vasopressors discontinued

Communication to Receiving Nurse

Actions Pending:
Draw CBC with DIFF/CMP/LACTATE/PT/PTT
Draw Blood Cultures: X1 X2
Evaluate pending lab results
Fluid bolus 30ml/kg
Broad Spectrum Antibiotic
IMD Notification

PATIENT LABEL

OBSTETRIC SEVERE SEPSIS SCREENING TOOL

Must be completed for all patients 18 and older in L&D Triage, L&D and Postpartum (Excludes Trauma patients within first 48 hours)
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| Acutely Altered Mental Status | | | | | | | |
| Respiratory rate greater than 20/minute | | | | | | | |
| Fetal Tachycardia greater than 160 bpm | | | | | | | |
| Uterine tenderness on palpation | | | | | | | |
| Urine positive for Leukocytes or Nitrates | | | | | | | |
| WBC Count less than 4 or Diff with greater than 10% bands | | | | | | | |
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| ▪PROM (greater than 18 hours) ▪Fetal Demise ▪Manual extraction of placenta ▪Trauma/Surgery/Burns in the last 30 days ▪UTI | | | | | | | |
| ▪Invasive Devices ▪Antibiotics (not prophylaxis) ▪Chronic Liver/Kidney Disease ▪Immunocompromised ▪IV Drug Abuse ▪Trauma/Surgery/Burns in the | | | | | | | |

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