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## **ED CHECKLIST FOR SEPSIS - TO ORGANIZE AND ENHANCE BEDSIDE CARE**

### **1. First 15-30 minutes**

- Screen patient for spot sepsis criteria, Physician decides to call “Code Sepsis”.**
- Establish 2 large bore IV’s, 30CC/kg initial fluid bolus over 30’**
- Sepsis order set/ Draw Labs/ Lactate/ Blood Culture**
- Start antibiotics- use TMC Antimicrobial guidelines for suspected source ( see desktop share drive )**
- VS q 15’ report to physician**

### **2. 30 minutes – 3 hours**

- Re-evaluate perfusion and volume status**
- Continue fluid resuscitation as appropriate (make sure patient fluid responsive/not in ARDS)**
- Recheck Lactate at 3 hours (goal >10% clearance)**
- Pressors if MAP <65 despite adequate volume (initiated pressor of choice is norepi)**
- Facilitate ICU transfer**
- Accomplish ancillary studies/ review of lab for findings**

