

SIRS	SOFA
<i>Criteria (2 required of the following)</i>	<i>Criteria (each parameter given a score of 0 – 5)</i>
Temperature >38 or <36 degrees Celcius	PaO2 (including requiring respiratory support)
Heart Rate >90 beats per minute	Platelets
Respiratory Rate or PaCO2 >20 breaths per minute or <32 mmHg/4.3 KPa	Mean Arterial Pressure (including vasopressor/ionotropic support)
White Blood Cell Count >12 /cm ³ or <4/cm ³	Bilirubin
	GCS
	Creatinine or urine output

Table 1: Comparison of Systemic Inflammatory Response Syndrome (SIRS) and Sequential Organ Dysfunction Score (SOFA)