

# Could it be **SEPSIS?**

Worried? Trust your gut and escalate

Any of these symptoms could be sepsis and is a **medical emergency!**



**Tachypnoea**  
 $\geq 25$



**Nausea and vomiting**



**Tachycardia**  
 $\geq 130$



**Hypothermia**  
 $<35.5^{\circ}\text{C}$



**Diarrhoea**



**Temperature  $\geq 38.5^{\circ}\text{C}$**   
(or  $\geq 38^{\circ}\text{C}$  for  
maternity patients)



**Not passed urine**  
for 12-18 hours



**New fatigue, confusion,  
drowsiness or change  
in behaviour**



**Pain or 'feeling  
worse than ever'**



**Start an adult  
Sepsis Pathway now!**



**Queensland  
Government**