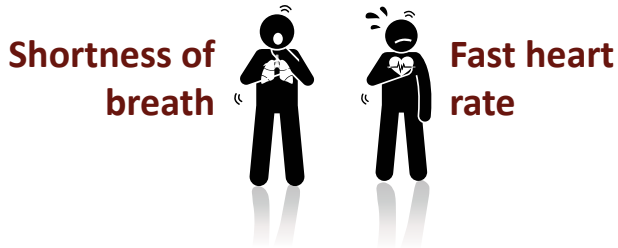


SEPSIS

Sepsis is the body's extreme response to an infection. It is a **medical emergency**, and without timely treatment, it can rapidly cause tissue damage, organ failure and death. Sepsis happens when an infection you already have - in your skin, lungs, urinary tract or somewhere else - triggers a chain reaction throughout your body.

SPOT THE SIGNS

There is no single symptom of sepsis. Symptoms can include a combination of any of the following:



ACT FAST

80%



of patients had symptoms of sepsis prior to hospitalization

Risk of death increases every **hour** that sepsis goes untreated

8%



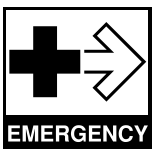
1 person every 2 minutes dies from sepsis in the U.S.

Only **55%** of U.S. adults have heard of sepsis



911 If you spot the signs of sepsis, call 911.

Spotting the signs of sepsis early and getting treatment **saves lives!**



If you suspect sepsis or have an infection that is not getting better or is getting worse, **seek medical care IMMEDIATELY!**

Source: www.cdc.gov/sepsis and www.sepsis.org