

# SBAR REPORT TO A MEDICAL PROVIDER

## Before calling provider

Review patient's chart for medications, allergies, labs, most recent weight, and advance directive and options

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### SITUATION

- Hi, Dr. (name), this is (name and title) at (name of facility). I am calling about ( patient name and location)
- Patient (name) has a (state changes, e.g. decline in mentation, a moist, non-productive cough)

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### BACKGROUND

Discuss the patient's:

- ✓ Baseline mental status and any changes (e.g. patient has been confused this morning)
- ✓ Medical history (chronic diseases such as diabetes)
- ✓ Allergies
- ✓ Code status
- ✓ Labs if any (e.g. CBC with diff, UA/culture, )

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### ASSESSMENT

- Sepsis symptoms and/or risk factors
- Vitals are ( blood pressure, pulse, temperature, oxygen saturation (if on oxygen, how many liters)
- Current treatment (e.g. Tylenol for fever, oxygen and how many liters)
- I am concerned about an infection (sepsis)

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### RECOMMENDATION

- ❖ Would you like you to come see the patient at this time?
- ❖ Would you like any diagnostics done – labs, CXR, UA/culture
- ❖ Would you like to start any treatments – IVF, antibiotics
- ❖ Would you like patient transferred to hospital?
- ❖ What is your recommendation as patient wishes to stay in facility?