Table 1. National early warning score (NEWS)

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| Variables | NEWS | | | | | | |
| 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| SBP (mmHg) | ≤90 | 91-100 | 101-110 | 111-219 |  |  | ≥220 |
| Heart rate (bpm) | ≤40 |  | 41-50 | 51-90 | 91-110 | 111-130 | ≥131 |
| Respiratory rate (bpm) | ≤8 |  | 9-11 | 12-20 |  | 21-24 | ≥25 |
| Temperature (°C) | ≤35 |  | 35.1-36.0 | 36.1-38.0 | 38.1-39.0 | ≥39.1 |  |
| AVPU Score |  |  |  | A |  |  | V, P, U |
| Added O2 |  | Yes |  | No |  |  |  |

SBP, systolic blood pressure; A, alert; V, responds to verbal stimuli; P, responds to pain only; U, unresponsive to stimuli.