

Additional File 2. Expert panel survey questionnaire

1) In what country do you practice? _____

2) What is your specialty? Internal Medicine

Infectious Disease

Pulmonology / Critical Care

Other

3) What is your academic rank? Fellow/Resident

Assistant Professor

Associate Professor

Professor

4) For how many years have you been practicing medicine since medical school? _____

4) What is your age? _____

5) What is your gender? Male Female

Please assign your estimated utility, on a scale from 0 to 1, for the average patient age > 65 years old who is hospitalized for community-acquired pneumonia in the following condition:

Admitted to the ICU _____

Admitted to the ward, but not well enough to be considered clinically stable _____

Admitted to the ward, considered to be clinically stable _____