

Additional file 10. DeLong's test, pairwise comparison of AUC for septic shock for models with specific cut-offs.

Compared with:	NEWS2¹ ≥5	NEWS2 ≥7	RETTS² ≥orange	RETTS red	Clinical Judgment	Predict Sepsis tool 1³ ≥2	Predict Sepsis tool 2³ ≥2	Predict Sepsis tool 3³ ≥2
NEWS2 ≥5	X							
NEWS2 ≥7	0.651	X						
RETTS ≥orange	0.738	0.547	X					
RETTS red	0.753	0.985	0.621	X				
Clinical Judgment	0.222	0.436	0.097	0.398	X			
Predict Sepsis tool 1 ≥2	0.049	0.072	0.020	0.143	0.008	X		
Predict Sepsis tool 2 ≥2	0.133	0.146	0.088	0.230	0.021	0.023	X	
Predict Sepsis tool 3 ≥2	0.057	0.103	0.001	0.188	0.010	0.361	0.794	X

NEWS2=National Early Warning score 2, RETTS= Rapid Emergency Triage and Treatment System.

P-values derived from DeLong's test are presented in the table. Bold numbers of P-values indicate a significant difference between the AUC values (for models with specific cut-offs) with respect to outcome septic shock.

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