

Additional file 8. McNemar's test, pairwise comparison of specificity for septic shock.

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	<0.001	X						
RETTS ≥orange	0.064	<0.001	X					
RETTS red	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	X				
Clinical Judgment	<0.001	0.001	<0.001	0.005	X			
Predict Sepsis tool 1 ≥2	<0.001	<0.001	0.015	<0.001	<0.001	X		
Predict Sepsis tool 2 ≥2	0.005	<0.001	0.185	<0.001	<0.001	0.063	X	
Predict Sepsis tool 3 ≥2	<0.001	<0.001	0.002	<0.001	<0.001	0.999	0.302	X

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

P-values derived from McNemar's test are presented in the table. Bold numbers of P-values indicate a significant difference between the models with respect to specificity for septic shock.

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