

ABOUT WORLD SEPSIS DAY

World Sepsis Day is an initiative by the Global Sepsis Alliance and has been established in 2012. Every year on September 13th, countless events raising awareness for sepsis are organized worldwide. There are events for medical professionals, sport activities, pink picnics, gala events, online



events, campaigns on social media, and much more. World Sepsis Day is an opportunity for people worldwide to unite in the fight against sepsis. Depending on country and education, sepsis is only known to 7 - 50 percent of the people. This lack of knowledge and awareness makes sepsis the number one preventable cause of death worldwide.

WHAT YOU CAN DO

- Learn about the symptoms of sepsis - worldsepsisday.org/sepsis
- Sign the World Sepsis Declaration - worldsepsisday.org/sign
- Donate to support our cause - worldsepsisday.org/donate
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WHAT IS SEPSIS?

Sepsis arises when the body's response to an infection injures its own tissues and organs. It may lead to shock, multi-organ failure, and death - especially if not recognized early and treated promptly. Sepsis is the final common pathway to death from most infectious diseases worldwide, including COVID-19.

IMPACT OF SEPSIS

Sepsis is a global health crisis:

- 47 000 000 - 50 000 000 cases per year
- At least 11 000 000 die - 1 death every 2.8 seconds
- Survivors may face lifelong consequences
- 1 in every 5 deaths worldwide is associated with sepsis

LEARN MORE ABOUT SEPSIS - WATCH OUR VIDEO EXPLAINING IT IN 3 MINUTES



SYMPTOMS OF SEPSIS

Slurred speech or confusion

Extrême shivering or muscle pain, fever

Passing no urine all day

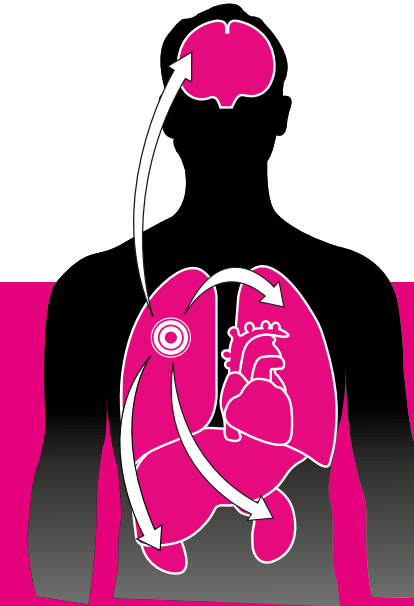
Severe breathlessness

It feels like you're going to die

Skin mottled or discolored

Experiencing any of these symptoms?

Contact your local hospital or physician immediately.



ABOUT US - OUR MISSION

The Global Sepsis Alliance is a non-profit charity organization with the mission to provide global leadership to reduce the worldwide burden of sepsis. The GSA is the initiator of World Sepsis Day on September 13 and World Sepsis Congress, a series of free online congresses bringing knowledge about sepsis to all parts of the world, among other initiatives. The GSA works closely with its over 100 member organizations, patient advocacy groups, professional societies, healthcare authorities, and governments to implement changes on how sepsis is prioritized, diagnosed, and treated all around the world, as laid out by the WHO Resolution on Sepsis.



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