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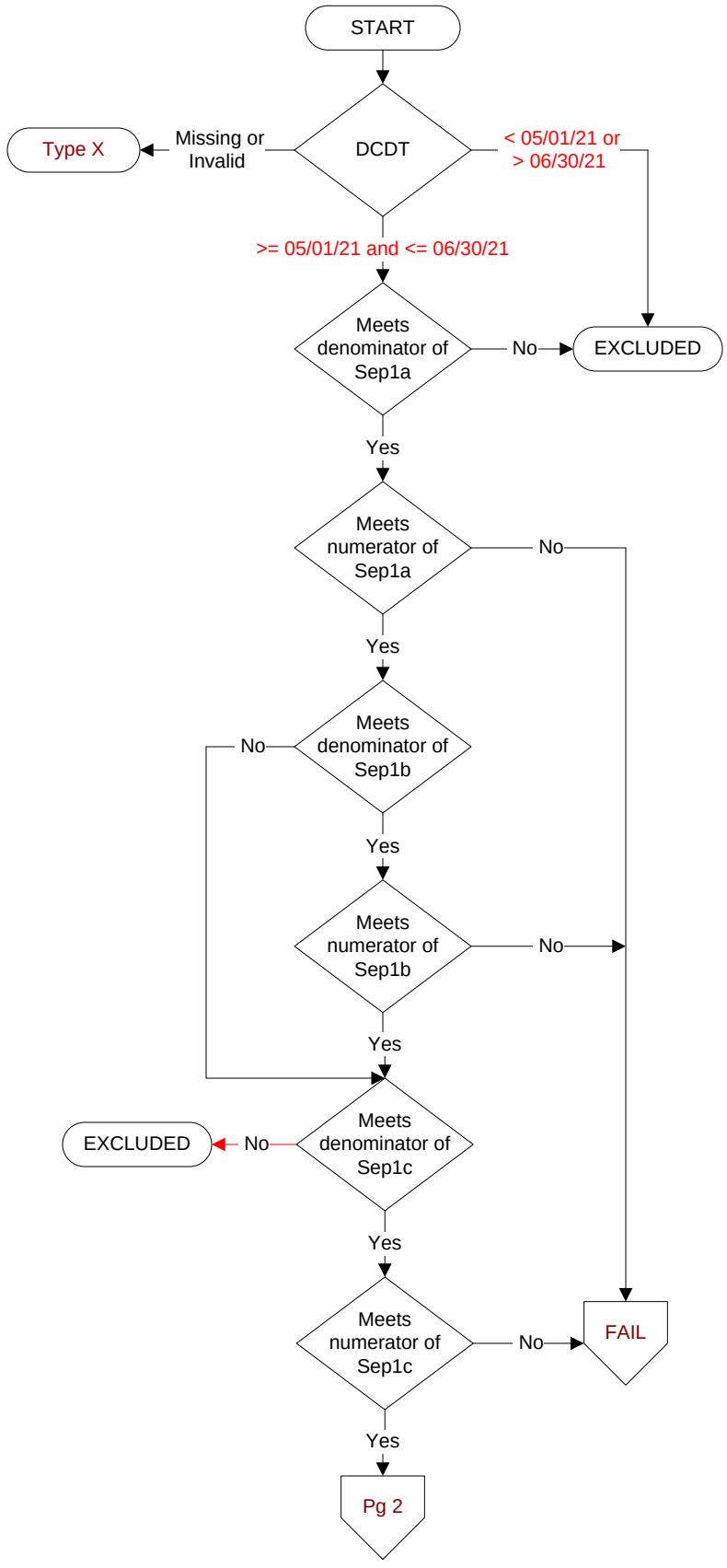
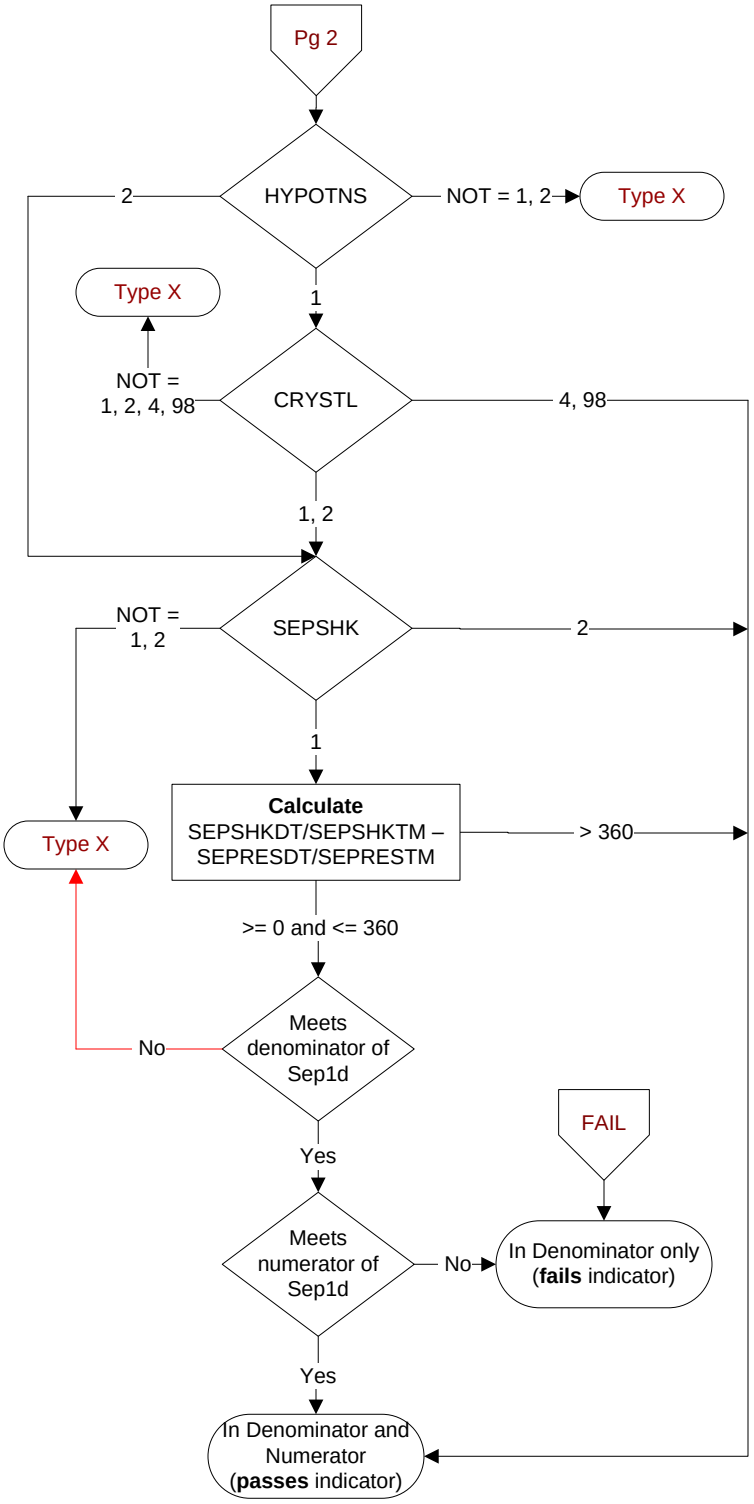
Sepsis Instrument





HYPOTNS
During the time frame from (computer to display sepresdt/seprestm - 6 hours) to (computer to display sepresdt/seprestm + 6 hours) is there documentation initial hypotension was present?
Criteria for determining initial hypotension:
- Two hypotensive blood pressure readings at different times within specified timeframe
  - o systolic blood pressures <90, or
  - o mean arterial pressures (MAP), <65 or
  - o a decrease in systolic BP by >40 mm/Hg

1. Yes
2. No or unable to determine

CRYSTL
During the timeframe from [(If hypotns = 1, and sepshk = 2, computer to display hypotnsdt/hypotnstm - 6 hours) to (hypotnsdt/hypotnstm + 3 hours) OR (If hypotns = 2 and sepshk = 1 computer to display sepshkdt/sepshktm - 6 hours) to (sepshkdt/sepshktm + 3 hours) OR (if hypotns = 1 and sepshk = 1, computer to display earliest of hypotnsdt/hypotnstm – 6 hrs) to (hypotnsdt/hypotnstm + 3 hours or sepshkdt/sepshktm - 6 hours to sepshkdt/sepshktm + 3 hours) were crystalloid fluids initiated?
1. Yes
2. No
4. There is documentation the patient has an implanted Ventricular Assist Device (VAD)
98. The patient or authorized patient advocate refused IV fluids.

SEPSHK
Did a physician/APN/PA document presence of septic shock or severe sepsis with shock?
1. Yes
2. No or unable to determine

SEPSHKDT / SEPSHKTM
Enter the earliest date and time a physician/APN/PA documented the presence of septic shock OR the earliest date and time on which the final criterion was met to establish the presence of septic shock.

SEPRESDT
Computer to auto-fill earliest valid date entered in sepdt or sepsisdt.

SEPRESTM
Computer to auto-fill earliest valid time entered in septm or sepsistm.