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Stop Sepsis Nurse – nurses and doctors experience after the program

Background:
Sepsis must be identified and treated early in order to improve survival and decrease morbidity. In 2011, a quality improvement project, Stop Sepsis Nurse, was initiated at an emergency community hospital in Mid-Norway to improve compliance of the Surviving Sepsis guidelines.

Aim:
The aim was to explore the experiences of nurses and physicians after implementation of Stop Sepsis Nurse program.

Method:
This was a qualitative study using individual interviews. Thirteen nurses and five physicians who had taken part in the program participated. The data were analyzed using systematic text condensation inspired by Malterud.
Results:
The participants talked about five themes: They described that Stop Sepsis Nurse had led to increased awareness on development and prevention of sepsis. They also described that the program had influenced the way physicians and nurses collaborated, the importance of measuring vital signs and using screening tools, observations and flow chart for treatment. In addition the nurses talked about the importance of using "the clinical judgement" in addition to the assessment of objective measurements.

Conclusion:
Nurses and physicians experienced that Stop Sepsis Nurse had influenced and improved practice. The initiatives seemed too have become a normalized part of everyday work. This competence should be maintained through systematic plans. Future research should provide more insight into how interdisciplinary implementation of interventions affects the collaboration between health professions.