

Siemens – Hybrid

HS-Tnl Algorithm



Clinical judgment
supersedes algorithm



Not all injuries are MI's
and not all MI's are ACS!

CP or angina equivalent

hs-cTnl: 0-hr and 1-hr

Strict rule out !

Lenient rule in !

(<5 ng/L **OR** $\Delta < 2$) **AND** *CPO ≥ 3 hrs

5-106 ng/L **OR** $\Delta = 2-6$ **OR** *CPO < 3 hrs or Unk

≥ 107 ng/L **OR** $\Delta \geq 7$

*CPO: chest pain onset

Rule out Zone

Indeterminate Zone

Abnormal Zone

use clinical judgment guided by:

Modified Heart Score (MHS)

hs-cTnl: 3-hr **AND** HEART score

MHS ≤ 3

MHS ≥ 4

0-3-hr $\Delta < 7$
AND MHS ≤ 3

0-3-hr $\Delta \geq 7$ **OR**
MHS ≥ 4

Consider admission,
observation, or more
evaluation.

D/C f/u PCP

Out-Patient stress test



If ACS suspected
involve Cardiology early

The MODIFIED HEART Score for Chest Pain Patients in the ED

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| History | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Highly Suspicious • Moderately Suspicious • Slightly or Non-Suspicious | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 points • 1 point • 0 points |
| ECG | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Significant ST-Depression • Nonspecific Repolarization • Normal | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 points • 1 point • 0 points |
| Age | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ≥ 65 years • $> 45 - < 65$ years • ≤ 45 years | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 points • 1 point • 0 points |
| Risk Factors | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ≥ 3 Risk Factors or History of CAD • 1 or 2 Risk Factors • No Risk Factors | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 points • 1 point • 0 points |
| Troponin (HS-Tnl) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • > 34 ng/L • $4 - 34$ ng/L • < 4 ng/L | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 points • 1 point • 0 points |
| Risk Factors: DM, current or recent ($< one month$) smoker, HTN ,HLP, family history of CAD, & obesity | | |