Hypertension					
Observation	Relevance				
migration of pain	0.2				
anorexia	0.2				
nausea/vomiting	0.3				
right lower quadrant tenderness	0.2				
right lower quadrant pain with coughing/hopping/percussion	0.1				
right Iliac fossa pain	0.1				
rebound pain	0.3				
Temperature	0.3				
Leukocytosis	0.3				
polymorphonucleocytes (PMN)	0.3				
C-reactive Protein (CRP)	0.3				

Observation Name	Label	Value	Unit	Relevance
migration of pain	present			0.1
anorexia	present			0.1
nausea/vomiting	present			0.1
right lower quadrant tenderness	present			0.2
right lower quadrant pain with coughing/hopping/percussion	present			0.2
right Iliac fossa pain	present			0.1
rebound pain	light			0.1
rebound pain	medium			0.2
rebound pain	strong			0.3
Temperature	high	>= 37.3	°C	0.1
Leukocytosis	elevated	10–14.9	10^9 per L	0.1
Leukocytosis	high	>= 15	10^9 per L	0.2
polymorphonucleocytes (PMN)	elevated	70–84	%	0.1
polymorphonucleocytes (PMN)	high	>= 85	%	0.2
C-reactive Protein (CRP)	elevated	10–49	g per L	0.1
C-reactive Protein (CRP)	high	>= 50	g per L	0.2

## TABLE 2

## **Diagnostic Tools for the Evaluation of Suspected Appendicitis**

Alvarado score		Pediatric Appendicitis Score		Appendicitis Inflammatory Response score	
Sign/symptom	Points	Sign/symptom	Points	Sign/symptom	Points
Migration of pain	1	Migration of pain	1	Vomiting	1
Anorexia	1	Anorexia	1	Right Iliac fossa pain	1
Nausea/vomiting	1	Nausea/vomiting	1	Rebound pain, light	1
Right lower quadrant	2	Right lower quadrant	2	Rebound pain, medium	2
tenderness		tenderness		Rebound pain, strong	3
Rebound pain	1	Rebound pain	2	Temperature ≥ 38.5°C (101.3°F)	1
Temperature ≥ 37.3°C (99.1°F)	1	Right lower quadrant pain with	2	Leukocytosis ≥ 10,000 to 14,900	1
Leukocytosis ≥ 10,000 per µL	2	coughing/hopping/percussion		per µL (10.0 to 14.9 × 109 per L)	
(10.0 × 10 <sup>9</sup> per L)		Temperature ≥ 38°C (100.4°F)	1	Leukocytosis ≥ 15,000 per μL	2
PMN ≥ 75%	1	Leukocytosis ≥ 10,000 per µL	1	(15.0 × 109 per L)	
Total possible score	10	PMN ≥ 75%	1	PMN 70% to 84%	1
		Total possible score	12	PMN ≥ 85%	2
				CRP 10 to 49 g per L	1
				CRP ≥ 50 g per L	2
				Total possible score	12

CRP = C-reactive protein; PMN = polymorphonucleocytes.

Information from references 10 through 12.