

ADULT MEDICAL AM-13

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History and Physical:	
Historical Findings	Physical Findings
 Age (common in elderly and young) Recent infection (UTI, pneumonia, abscess, etc) Recent surgery Bedridden or immobile Indwelling devices Immunocompromised 	 Altered mental status Weakness Hypo or Hyperthermia

Assessment:

- Medical Assessment
- Obtain Temperature, if possible

Clinical Management Options:	
Interventions	Pharmacology
 O₂ via most appropriate method 	
External, passive cooling (remove excess	
clothing or blankets)	

Considerations:

- Use of full PPE is recommended
- Any changes in patient condition, refer to appropriate protocol