

<b>Evidence gap identifier</b>	INEWS 7
<b>Brief title</b>	Predictive ability of acute healthcare early warning systems for adults
<b>Report</b>	<u><a href="#">The Irish National Early Warning System (INEWS)</a></u>
<b>Date identified</b>	19/02/2018
<b>Identified by</b>	CICER
<b>Supported by</b>	Systematic review
<b>Population</b>	Adults
<b>Intervention</b>	Early warning systems (EWSs)
<b>Comparator</b>	Reference standard e.g., other validated EWSs such as the national early warning score (NEWS)
<b>Outcome(s)</b>	Area under the receiver operator curve; sensitivity; specificity; positive predictive values; negative predictive values; likelihood ratios; correlations coefficients; kappa
<b>Setting</b>	Acute healthcare
<b>Study design</b>	Development and validation studies
<b>Further information</b>	Further research examining the predictive validity of early warning systems is warranted.