Every pregnant (or recently pregnant) woman and newborn is at risk of an infection that could trigger sepsis.

Sepsis occurs when the body's response to infection causes injury to its own tissues and organs.

GLOBALLY, EVERY YEAR:

- Infections are the primary cause of about 35,000 maternal deaths
- Sepsis can contribute to up to 100,000 maternal deaths
- Sepsis kills more than 1 million newborns

If you see a pregnant (or recently pregnant) woman with
- an infection
- abnormal vital signs
- abnormal laboratory test results
- looks unwell

**SUSPECT SEPSIS**

Sepsis is life-threatening, but when caught early and treated promptly, it can be stopped.

**STOP SEPSIS!**

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