**Fever in Children with Sickle Cell Disease**

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**Red flag CBC results**
- Hemoglobin <2g/dl below baseline or <6g/dl
- WBC <5000 or >30,000

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*If prompt office evaluation is not possible, consider evaluation in Emergency Department.*