**Supplemental Table 1.** Decline in in-hospital mortality observed, over time, among sepsis and severe sepsis admissions. \* Significant test for trend, p<0.05.

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|  | In-Hospital Mortality Among Explicit Sepsis Admissions, % \* | In-Hospital Mortality Among Explicit Severe Sepsis Admissions, % \* | In-Hospital Mortality Among Implicit Severe Sepsis Admissions, % \* |
| 2010 | 7.69  (34/442) | 35.35  (234/662) | 32.04  (257/802) |
| 2011 | 6.99  (67/958) | 33.79  (489/1447) | 30.30  (533/1759) |
| 2012 | 4.49  (56/1246) | 27.81  (532/1913) | 25.94  (570/2197) |
| 2013 | 4.32  (69/1597) | 28.07  (589/2098) | 25.62  (635/2479) |
| 2014 | 4.38  (92/2100) | 26.20  (618/2359) | 23.36  (669/2864) |
| 2015 | 4.52  (57/1260) | 26.18  (322/1230) | 23.34  (354/1517) |