Pneumonia Severity Index (PSI)

Community-acquired pneumonia · 5 risk classes · 30-day mortality on the right (PORT, Fine)

I	**No risk factors in the algorithm** outpatient	~0.1%
II	**70 points or fewer** outpatient	~0.6%
III	**71-90 points** short observation or outpatient	~0.9%
IV	**91-130 points** admission	~9%
V	**More than 130 points** admission, consider ICU	~27%

I - II	III	IV - V
Low risk: usually outpatient	Intermediate risk: observation	High risk: admission

Points: age in years (women −10), comorbidities, examination, laboratory and X-ray data (~20 variables)