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ID Emergencies:

1. Make a table comparing the CSF findings of bacterial and viral meningitis, including opening pressure, leukocyte count, leukocyte predominance, glucose level, protein level and gram stain and culture positivity.
2. Describe the clinical presentations of viral meningitis and bacterial meningitis.
3. List the indications for CT head prior to LP for evaluation of meningitis.
4. Describe the initial empiric regimen for bacterial meningitis including the doses. Who warrants added coverage for listeria?
5. List at least 5 clinical manifestations that should make you worried about a NSTI.
6. Describe the immediate steps you would take if worried about a NSTI in your patient, including antibiotic choice and consults.