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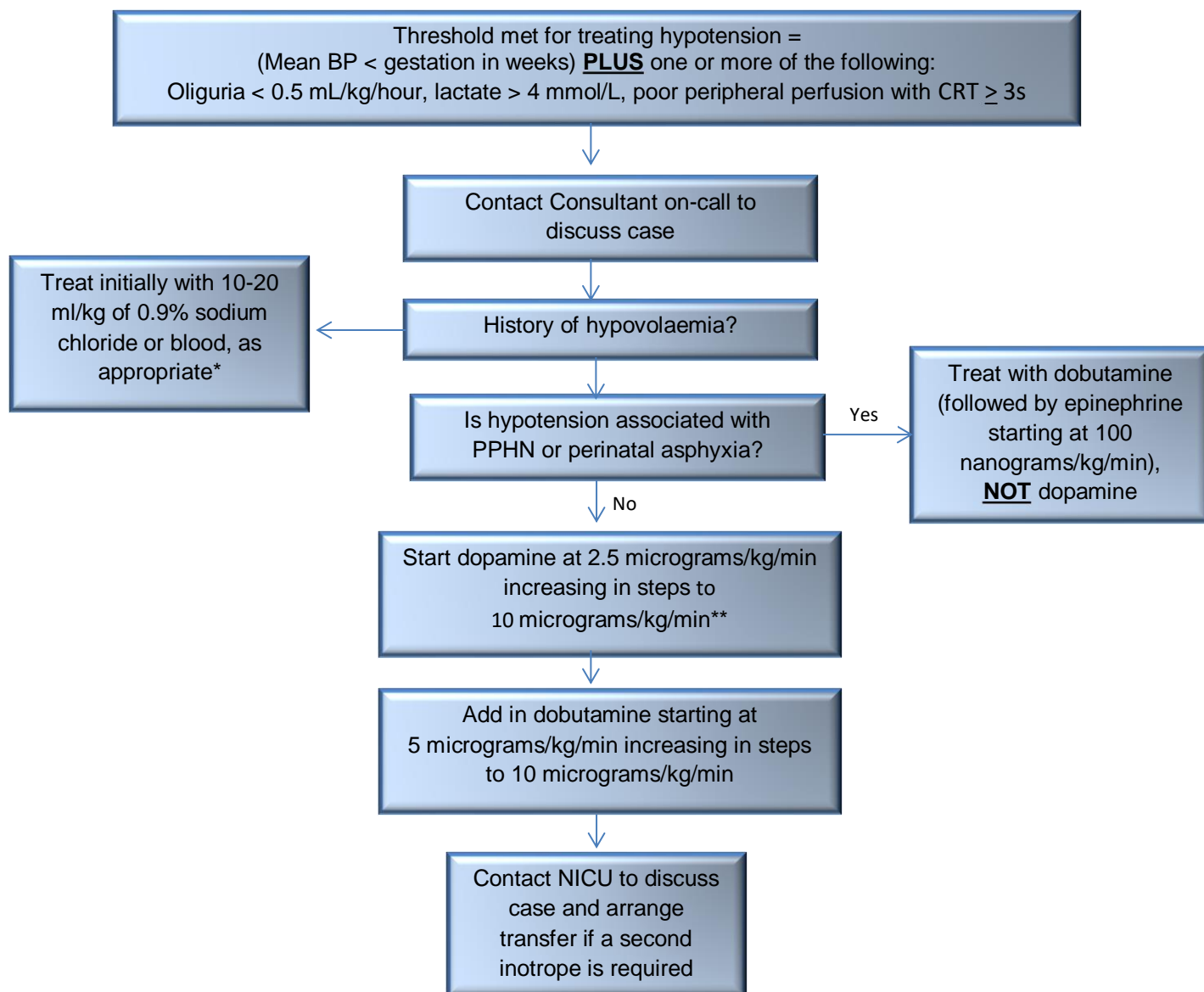


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*Treatment should be limited to a single dose of volume expander unless there is clear evidence of hypovolaemia

**Increase dose in steps every 30 minutes by 2.5 micrograms/kg/min