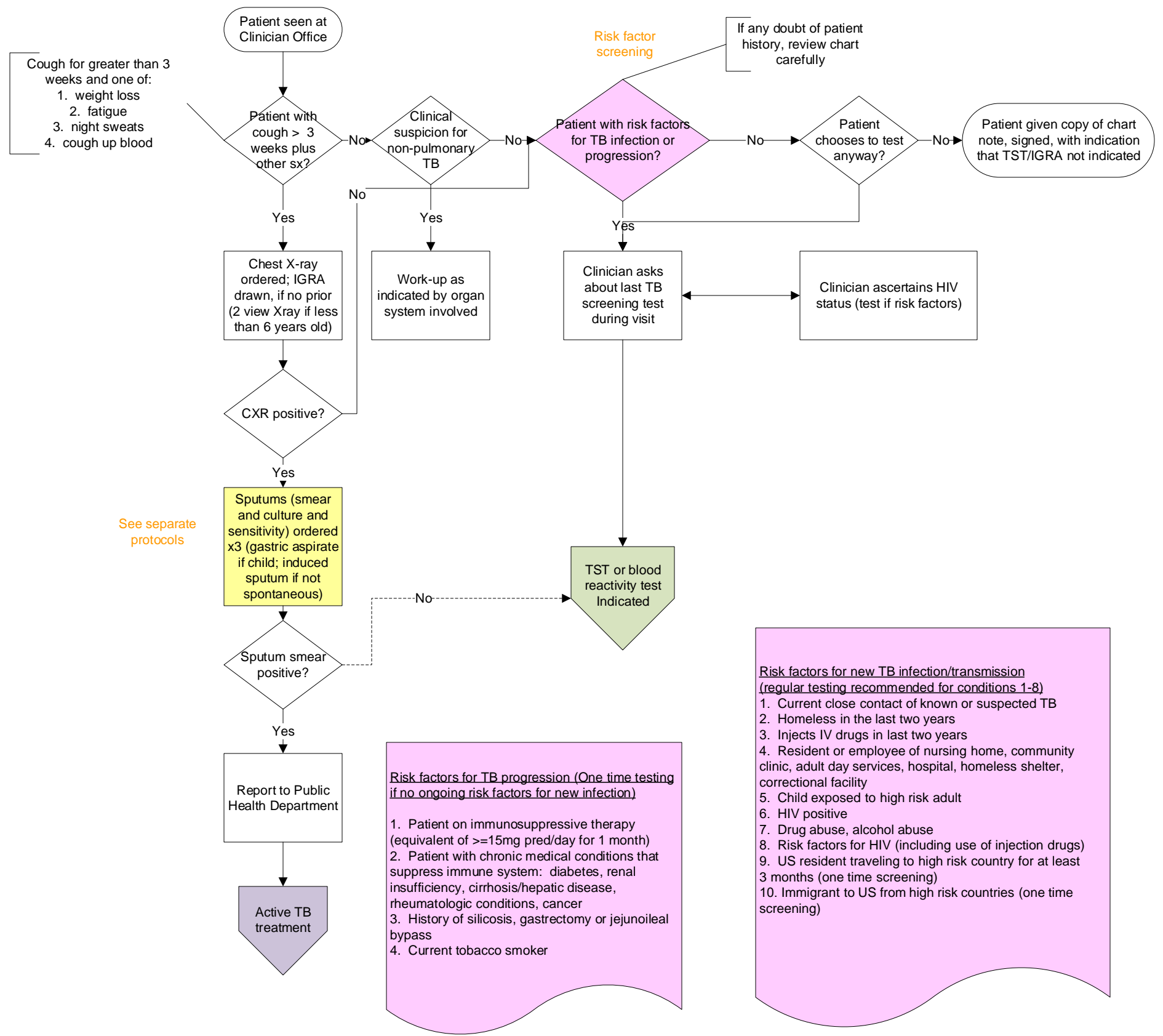


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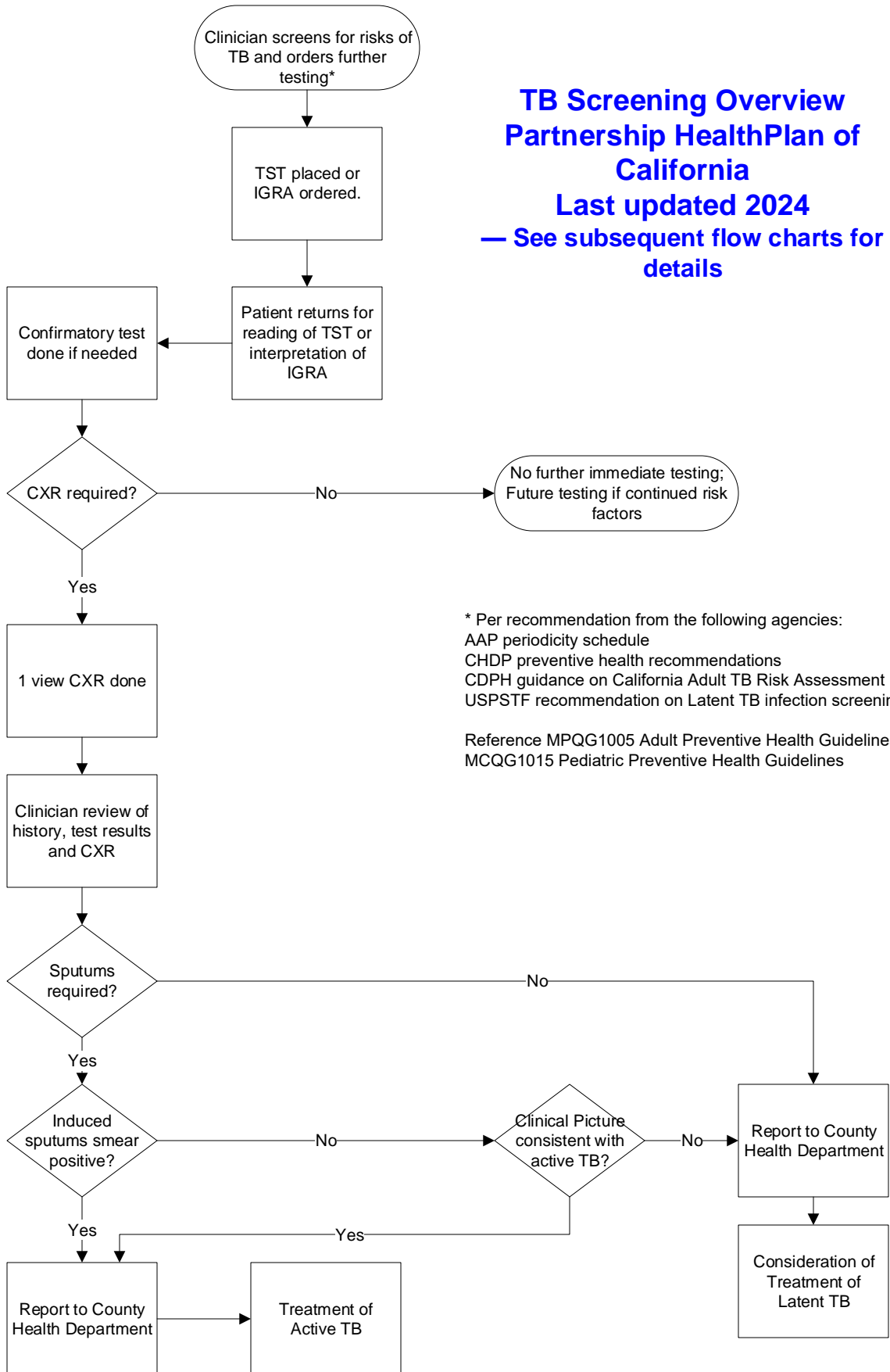
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- Risk factors for new TB infection/transmission (regular testing recommended for conditions 1-8)**
1. Current close contact of known or suspected TB
 2. Homeless in the last two years
 3. Injects IV drugs in last two years
 4. Resident or employee of nursing home, community clinic, adult day services, hospital, homeless shelter, correctional facility
 5. Child exposed to high risk adult
 6. HIV positive
 7. Drug abuse, alcohol abuse
 8. Risk factors for HIV (including use of injection drugs)
 9. US resident traveling to high risk country for at least 3 months (one time screening)
 10. Immigrant to US from high risk countries (one time screening)

- Risk factors for TB progression (One time testing if no ongoing risk factors for new infection)**
1. Patient on immunosuppressive therapy (equivalent of ≥ 15 mg pred/day for 1 month)
 2. Patient with chronic medical conditions that suppress immune system: diabetes, renal insufficiency, cirrhosis/hepatic disease, rheumatologic conditions, cancer
 3. History of silicosis, gastrectomy or jejunioleal bypass
 4. Current tobacco smoker

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— See subsequent flow charts for
details



* Per recommendation from the following agencies:
 AAP periodicity schedule
 CHDP preventive health recommendations
 CDPH guidance on California Adult TB Risk Assessment
 USPSTF recommendation on Latent TB infection screening

Reference MPQG1005 Adult Preventive Health Guidelines and
 MCQG1015 Pediatric Preventive Health Guidelines