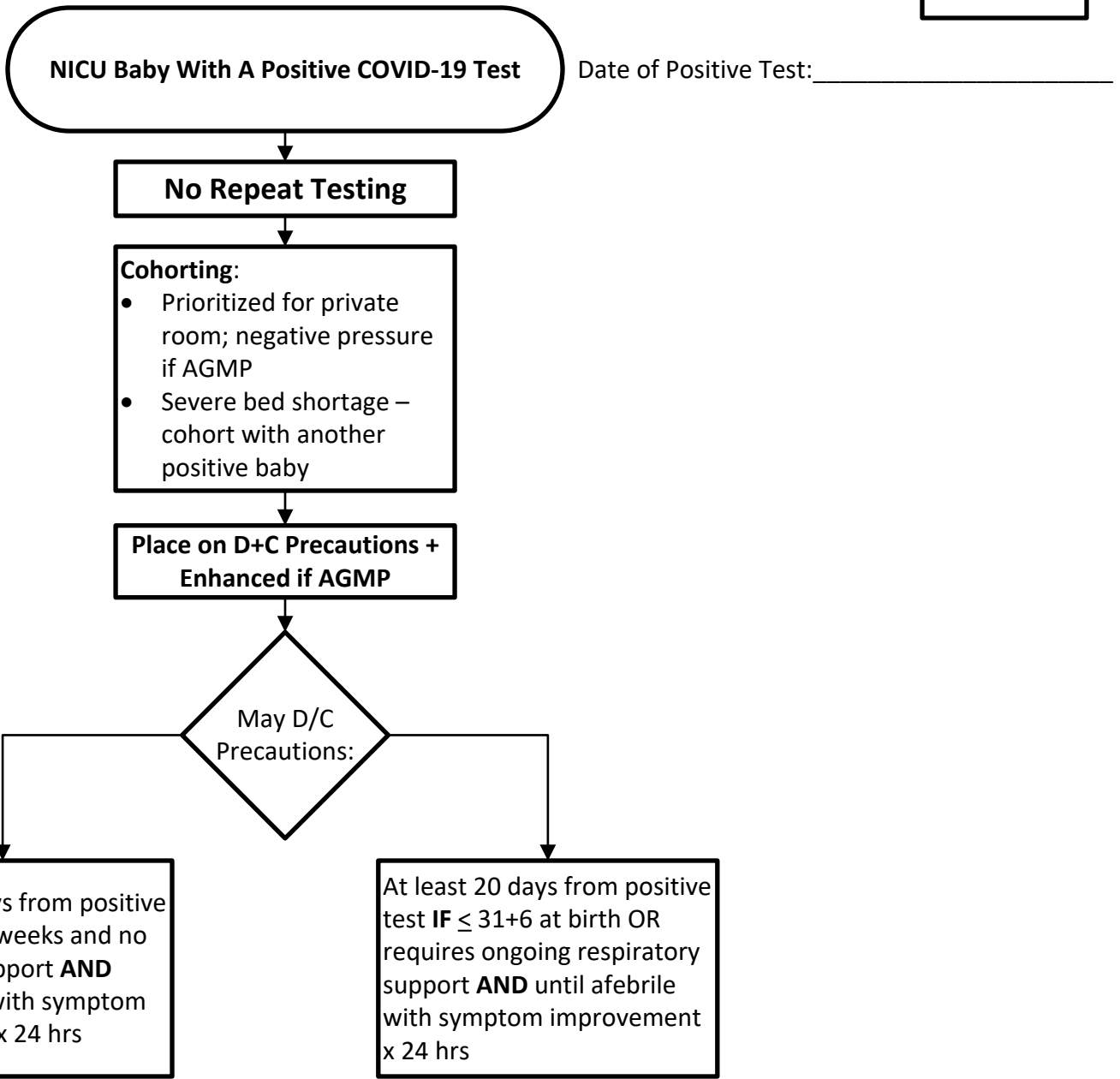


**NICU Baby Testing and Isolation Precautions**  
NICU COVID-19 Isolation and Visitation Guidelines

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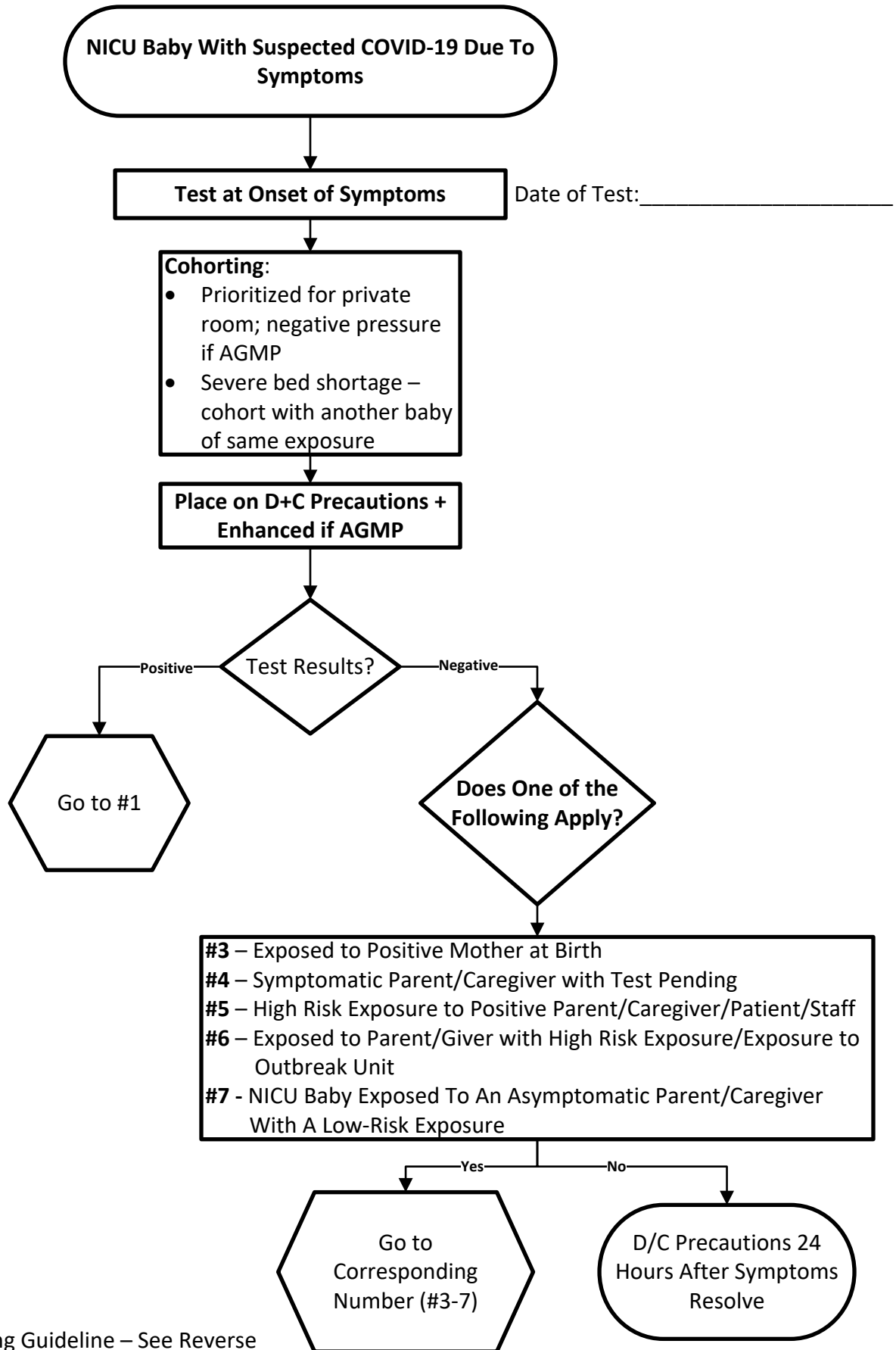
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**3.**

**NICU Baby Exposed To Positive Mother At Birth**

**Test**

Test on Admission  
AND  
Test at 48 hours  
AND  
Test on Day 7 after Exposure

**Cohorting:**

- Prioritized for private room; negative Pressure if AGMP
- Severe bed shortage – cohort with another baby of same exposure

**Institute D+C Precautions + Enhanced if AGMP**

Test Results?

Positive

Negative

Go to #1

Continue precautions for 14 days from baby's last exposure to positive parent/caregiver

Date to D/C Precautions: \_\_\_\_\_

If Baby Develops Symptoms – Go to #2

Date of Positive Test: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Baby's Last Exposure: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Baby's Admission Test: \_\_\_\_\_

Result: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Baby's 48 Hour Test: \_\_\_\_\_

Result: \_\_\_\_\_

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**NICU Baby Of Symptomatic Parent/Caregiver  
With Covid-19 Test Pending**

Date of Parent/Caregiver Test: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Baby's Last Exposure: \_\_\_\_\_

**Cohorting:**

- Prioritized for private room
- Severe bed shortage – cohort with another baby of same exposure

**Place on D+C Precautions + Enhanced if AGMP**

Parent/Caregiver Test Result?

Parent/Caregiver Test Result: \_\_\_\_\_

Positive

Negative

Go to #5

Do Parents Have High Risk Exposure?

Yes

Go to #6

No

Go to #7

Do Parents Have Low Risk Exposure?

Date to D/C Precautions: \_\_\_\_\_

Yes

No

Discontinue Precautions

If Baby Develops Symptoms – Go to #2

Please Note Item 2 in Parent/Caregiver Visiting Guideline – See Reverse

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**5.**

**NICU Baby With A High Risk Exposure To A Covid-19 Positive Parent/Caregiver/Patient/Staff**

Date of Parent/Caregiver Patient/Staff Test: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Baby's Last Exposure: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Baby's First Test: \_\_\_\_\_

Result: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Baby's 7 Day Test: \_\_\_\_\_

Result: \_\_\_\_\_

**Test**  
Test on Day of Notification of Exposure  
**AND**  
Test on Day 7 after Exposure

**Cohorting:**

- Prioritized for private room; negative pressure if AGMP
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**Place on D+C Precautions + Enhanced if AGMP**

Test Result?

Positive

Negative

Go to #1

Continue precautions for 14 days from baby's last exposure

Date to D/C Precautions: \_\_\_\_\_

If Baby Develops Symptoms – Go to #2

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Date of Parent's Exposure: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Baby's Last Exposure: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Parent's Test: \_\_\_\_\_

Result: \_\_\_\_\_

- Cohorting:**
- Prioritized for private room; negative pressure if AGMP
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**Place on D+C Precautions +/- Enhanced if AGMP**

Is Baby Symptomatic?

Yes

No

**Test Baby**

**No Testing Required**

Test Results?

Negative

Is Parent Positive?

No

Continue Precautions for 14 Days From Baby's Last Exposure (Assuming Baby and Parent/Caregiver Remain Asymptomatic for 24 hours)

Positive

Yes

Go to #1

Go to #5

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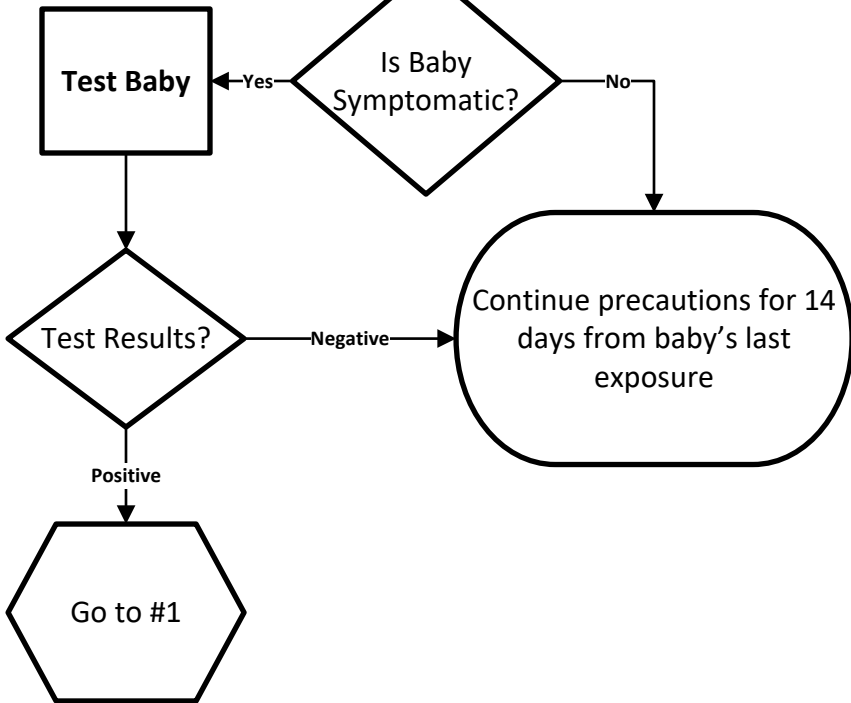
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