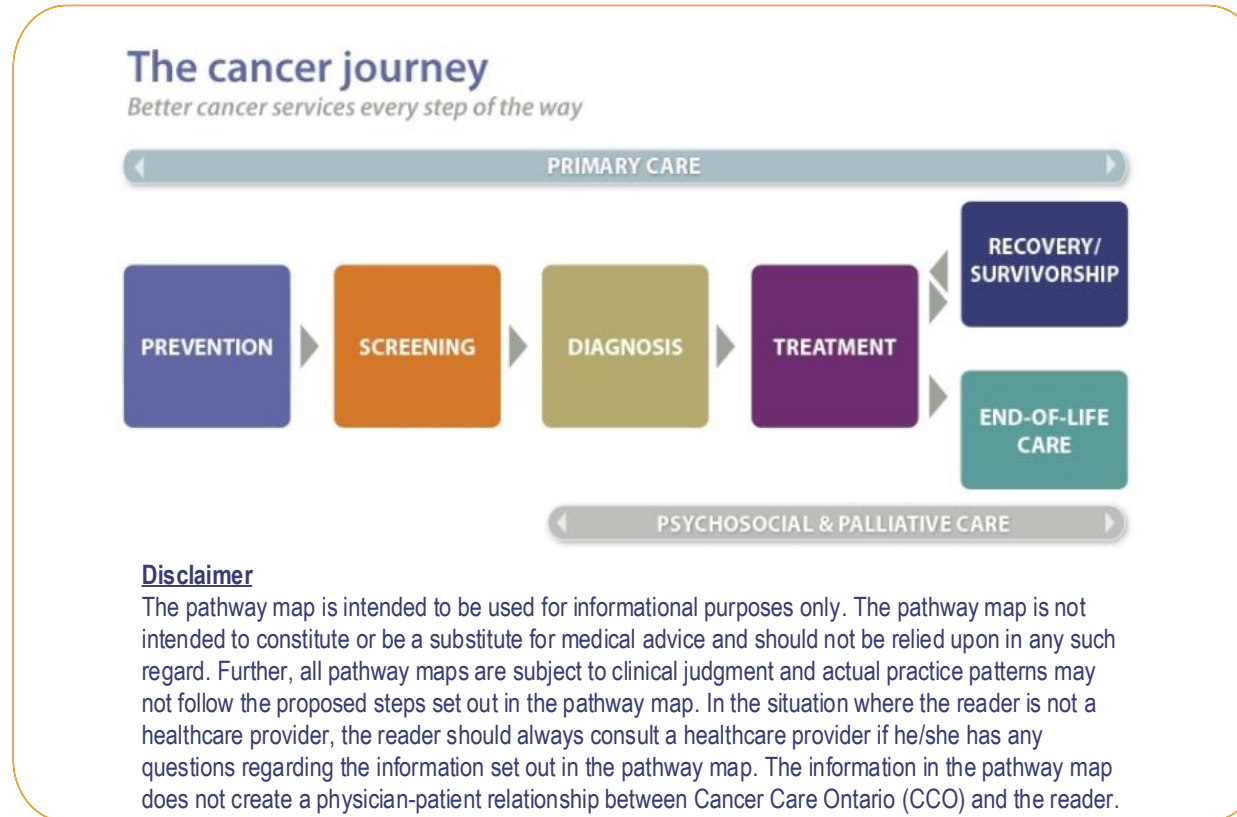


Endometrial Cancer Diagnosis Pathway Map

Disease Pathway Management

Version 2018.12



Target Patient Population

- Women presenting with endometrial cancer

Pathway Map Considerations

- For additional information about the optimal organization of gynecologic oncology services in Ontario refer to [EBS #4-11](#)
- The term 'healthcare provider', used throughout the Endometrial Cancer Diagnosis Pathway Map includes primary care providers, specialists, midwives, nurse practitioners, gynecologists, and emergency physicians.
- Primary care providers play an important role in the cancer journey and should be informed of relevant tests and consultations. Ongoing care with a primary care provider is assumed to be part of the pathway map. For patients who do not have a primary care provider, [Health Care Connect](#), is a government resource that helps patients find a doctor or nurse practitioner.
- Throughout the pathway map, a shared decision-making model should be implemented to enable and encourage patients to play an active role in the management of their care. For more information see [Person-Centered Care Guideline](#) and [EBS #19-2 Provider-Patient Communication*](#)
- Hyperlinks are used throughout the pathway map to provide information about relevant CCO tools, resources and guidance documents.

Pathway Map Legend

Colour Guide

- Primary Care
- Palliative Care
- Pathology
- Diagnostic Assessment Program (DAP)
- Surgery
- Radiation Oncology
- Medical Oncology
- Radiology
- Multidisciplinary Cancer Conference (MCC)
- Psychosocial Oncology (PSO)

Shape Guide

- Intervention
- Decision or assessment point
- Patient (disease) characteristics
- Consultation with specialist
- Exit pathway
- Off-page reference
- Patient/Provider Interaction
- Referral
- Wait time indicator time point

Line Guide

- Required
- Possible

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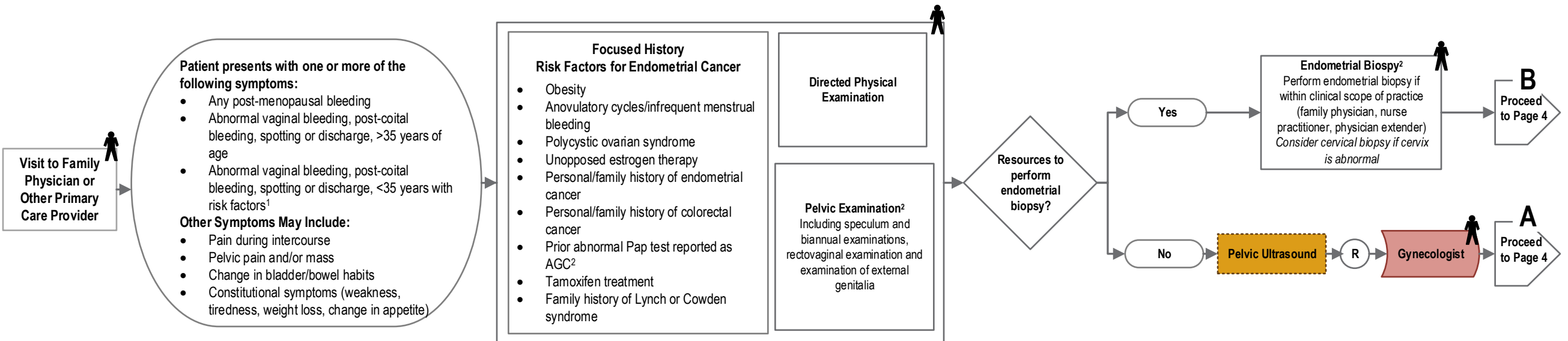
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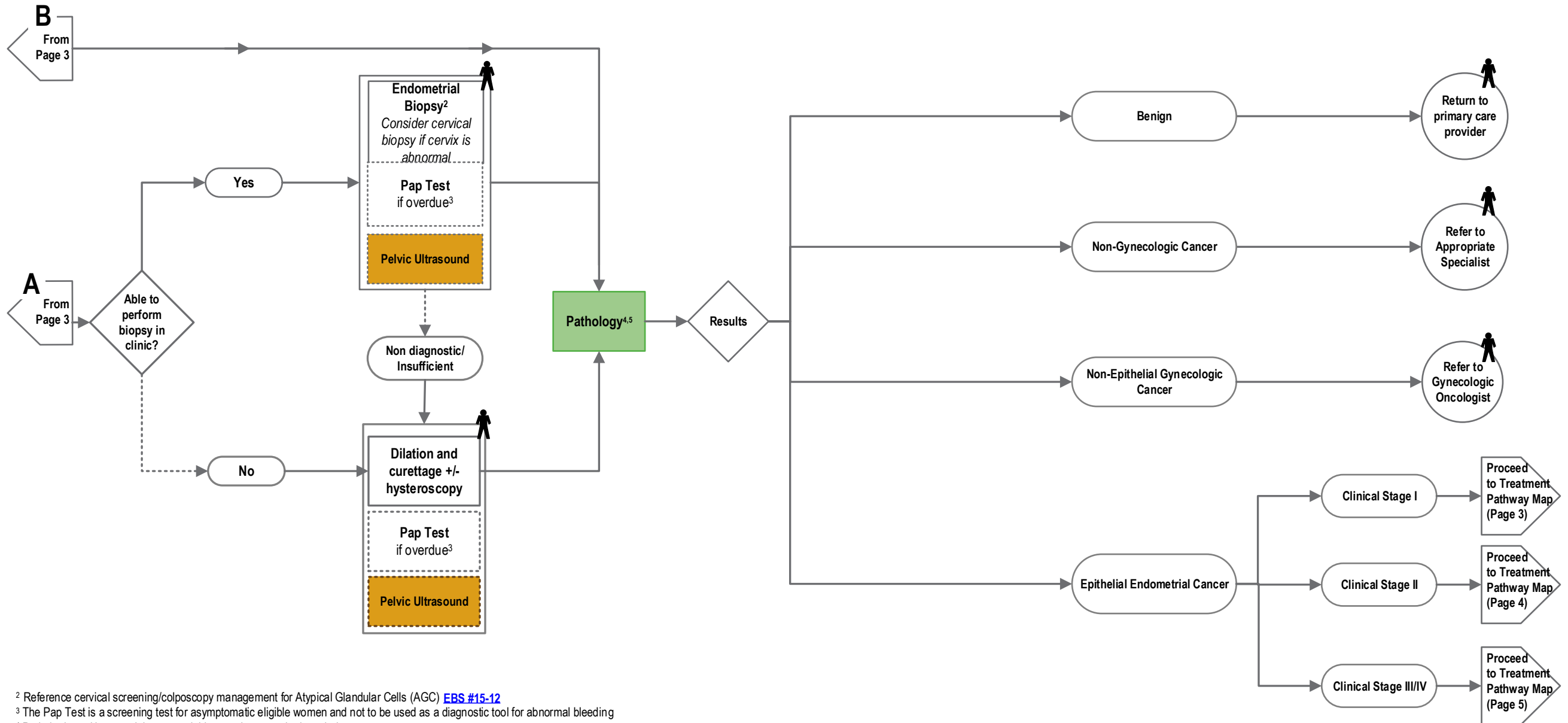
¹ Risk factors include obesity, chronic anovulation, polycystic ovarian syndrome (PCOS), lynch syndrome, Cowden syndrome, and family history of lynch or cowden syndrome

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³ The Pap Test is a screening test for asymptomatic eligible women and not to be used as a diagnostic tool for abnormal bleeding

⁴ Pathologists with a specialty or special interest in gynecologic pathology

⁵ All endometrial cancers in women <70 years old should have reflex MMR IHC to screen for Lynch syndrome. If MLH1 deficient, reflex hypermethylation should be performed.