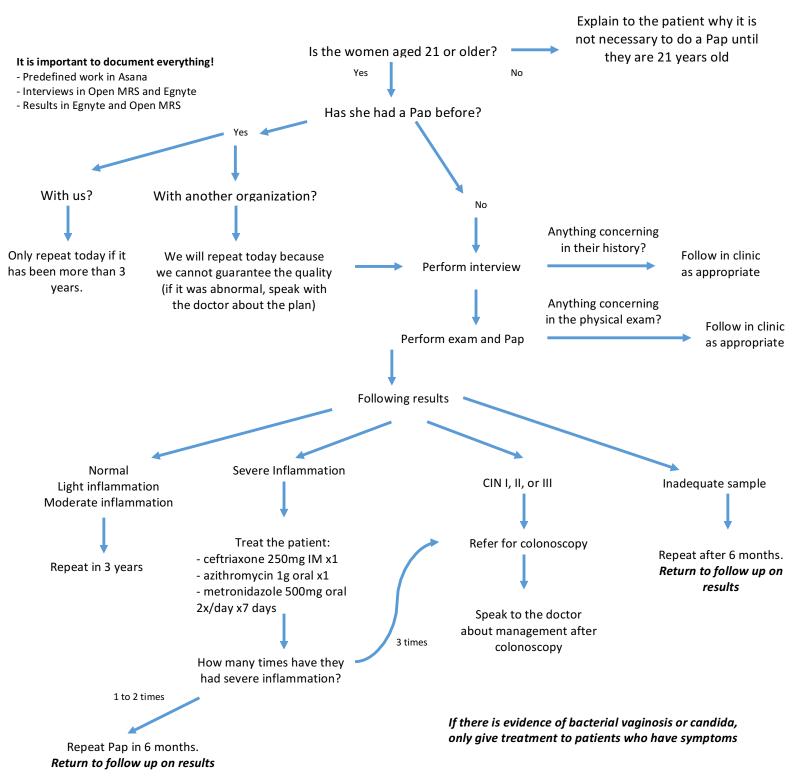


Pap Smear Protocol



Special cases

1) Women who have never had a partner: it is recommended to do a pap but it may hurt more; you may have to use a smaller speculum 2) Women who are older than 65 years

- if they have never had a Pap before, they should have it done 2 times

- if they have had a two normal Paps before they came in, they do not have to return

3) Women who have had hysterectomies: if the surgery was not for cancer, and if they removed cervix, they should have a Pap of the vagina after surgery

4) Pregnant women: it is safe to do a Pap during pregnancy, but if the patient prefers to wait, you may.