

Advanced Breast Cancer

4th ESO–ESMO International Consensus Guidelines for Advanced Breast Cancer

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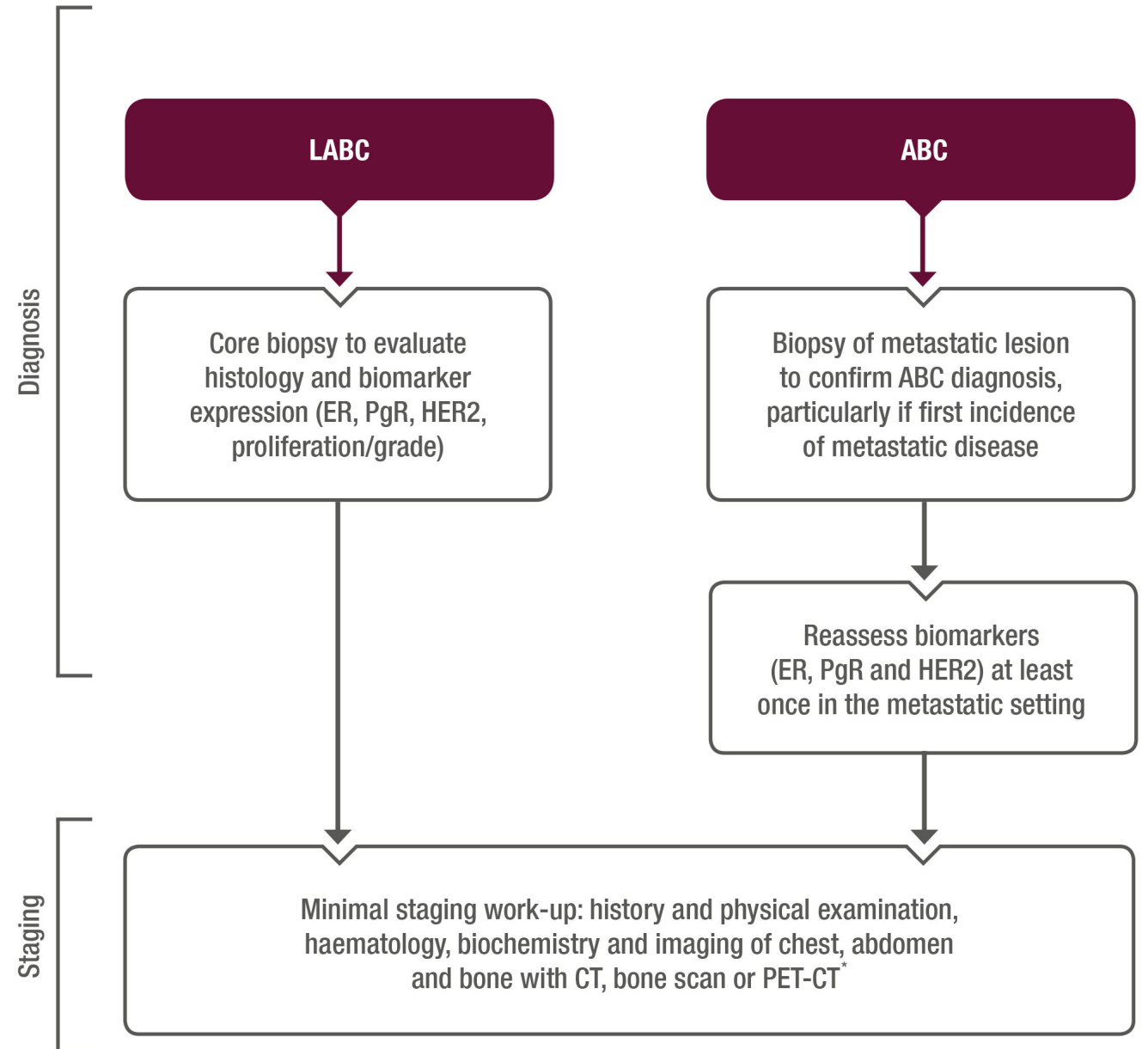
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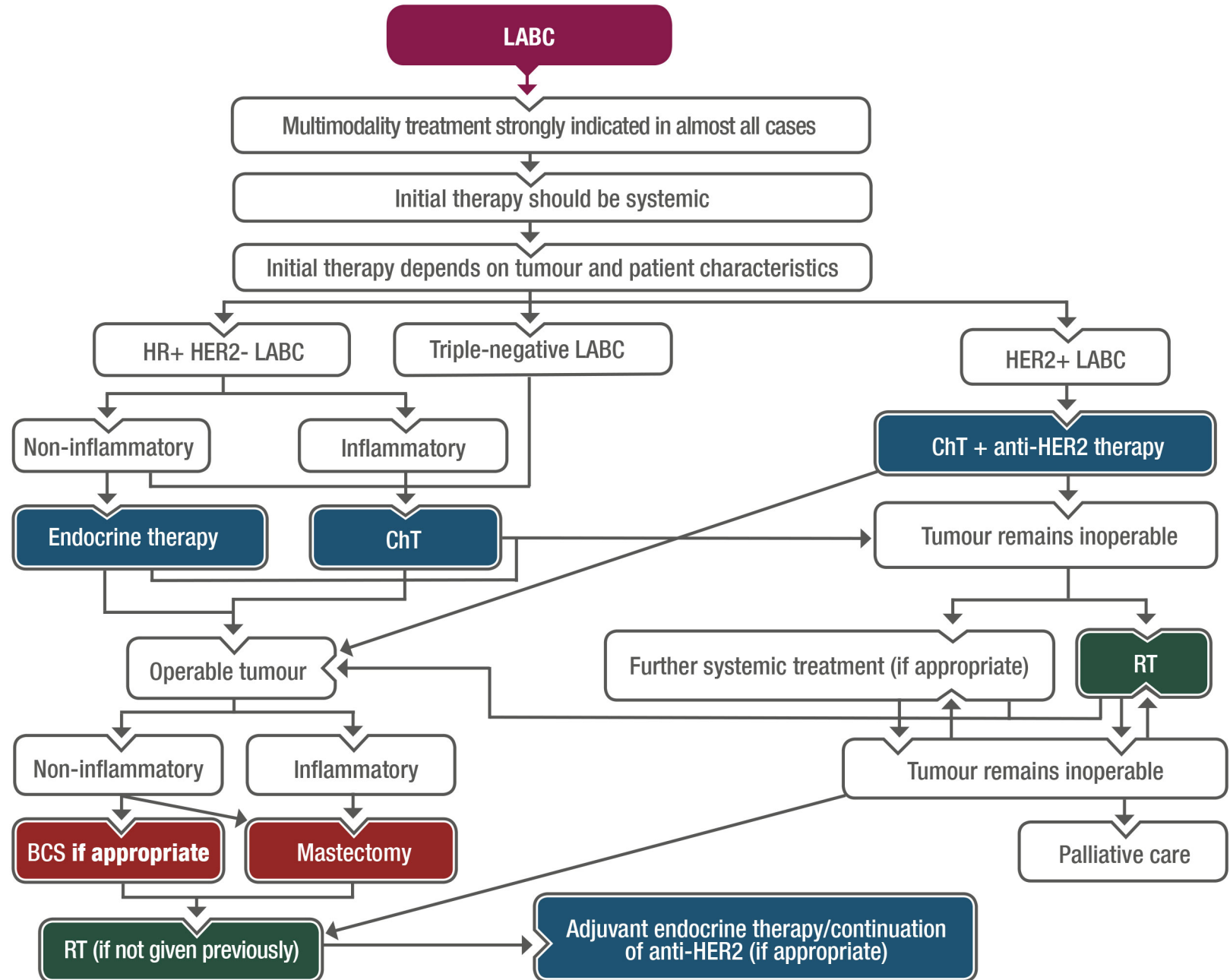
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ABC diagnostic work-up and staging



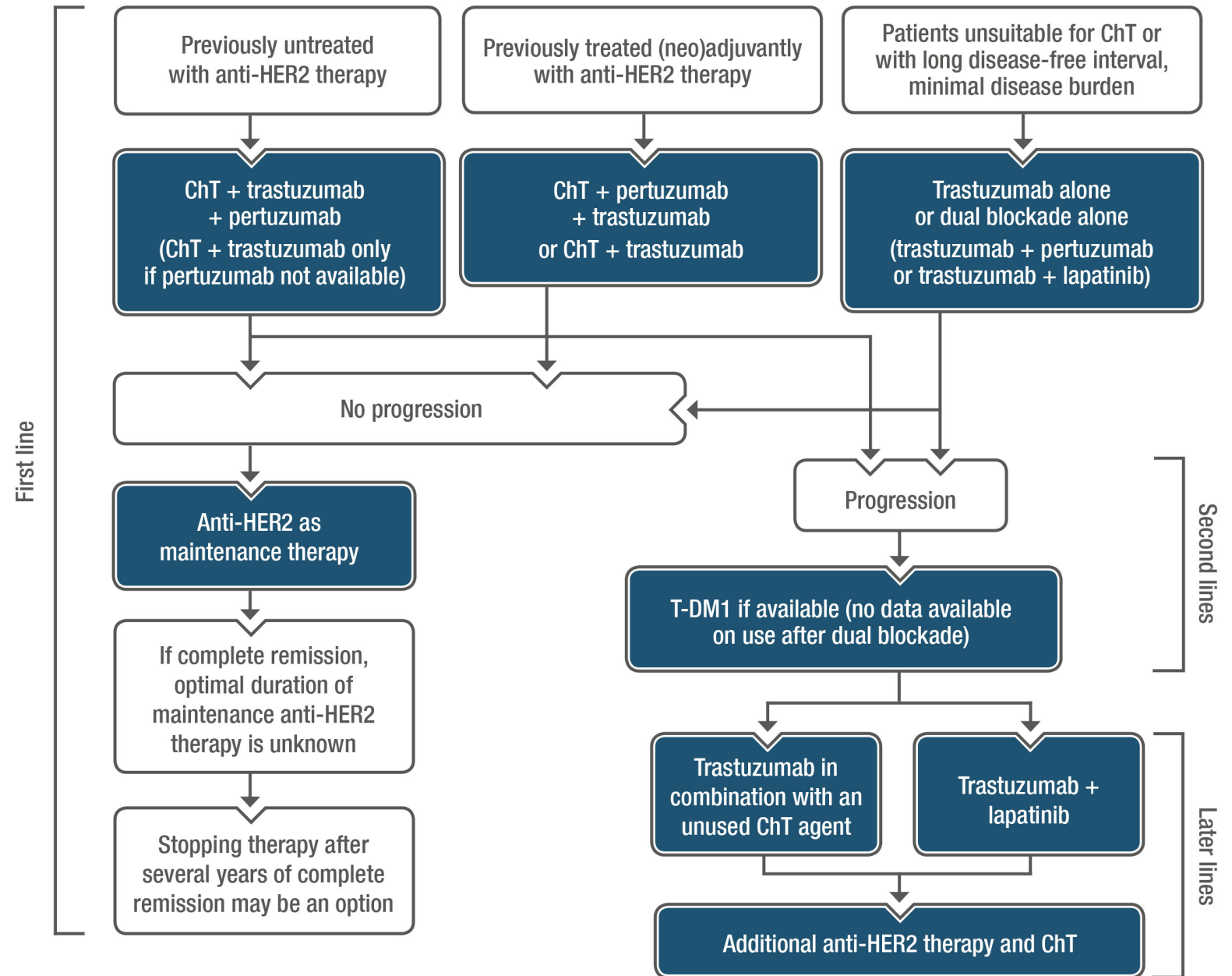
*Discuss indications. Brain MRI not indicated unless there are symptoms

Treatment of LABC



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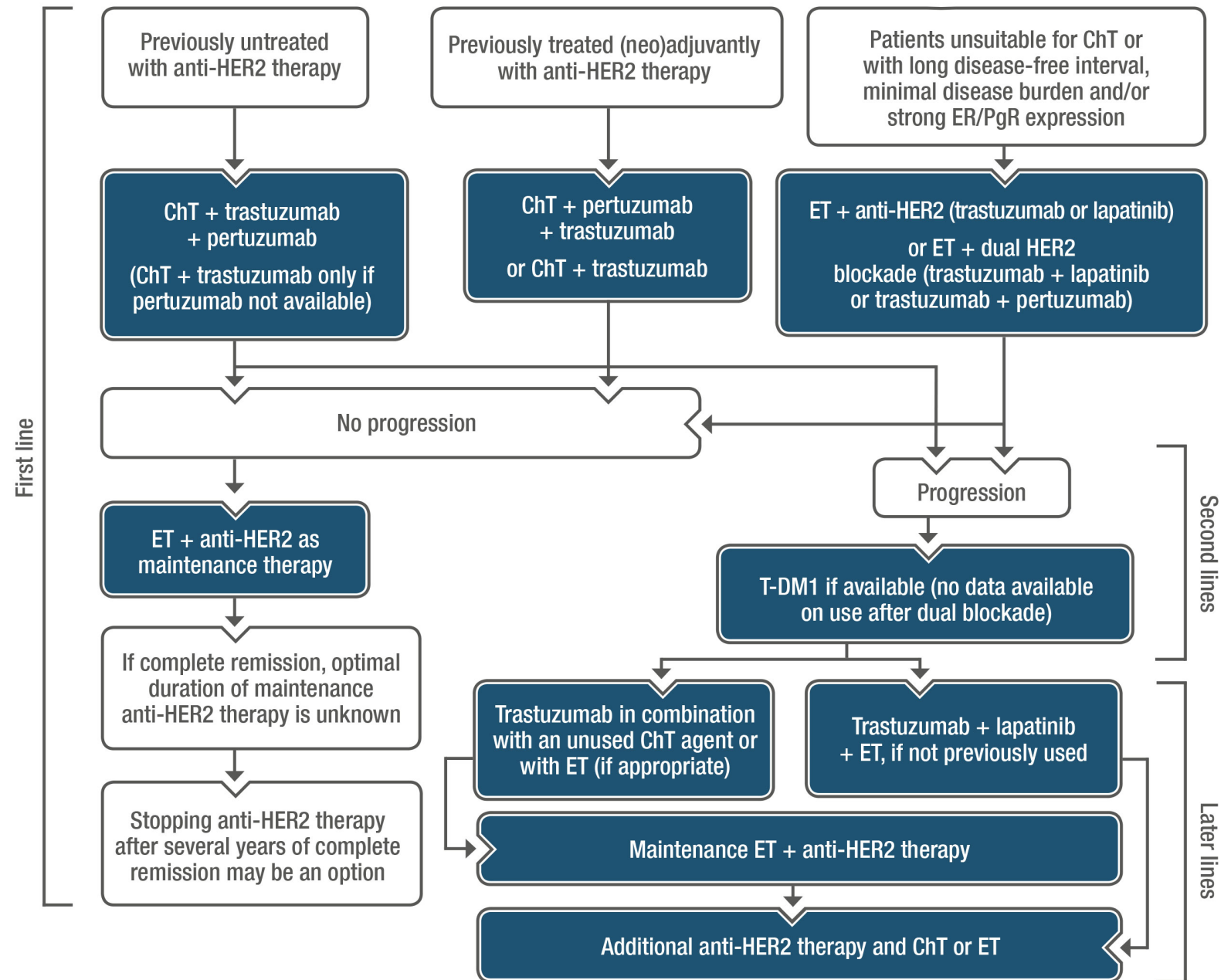
Treatment of ER-negative / HER2-positive ABC



Note: Include in clinical trials when available

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Treatment of ER-positive / HER2-positive ABC



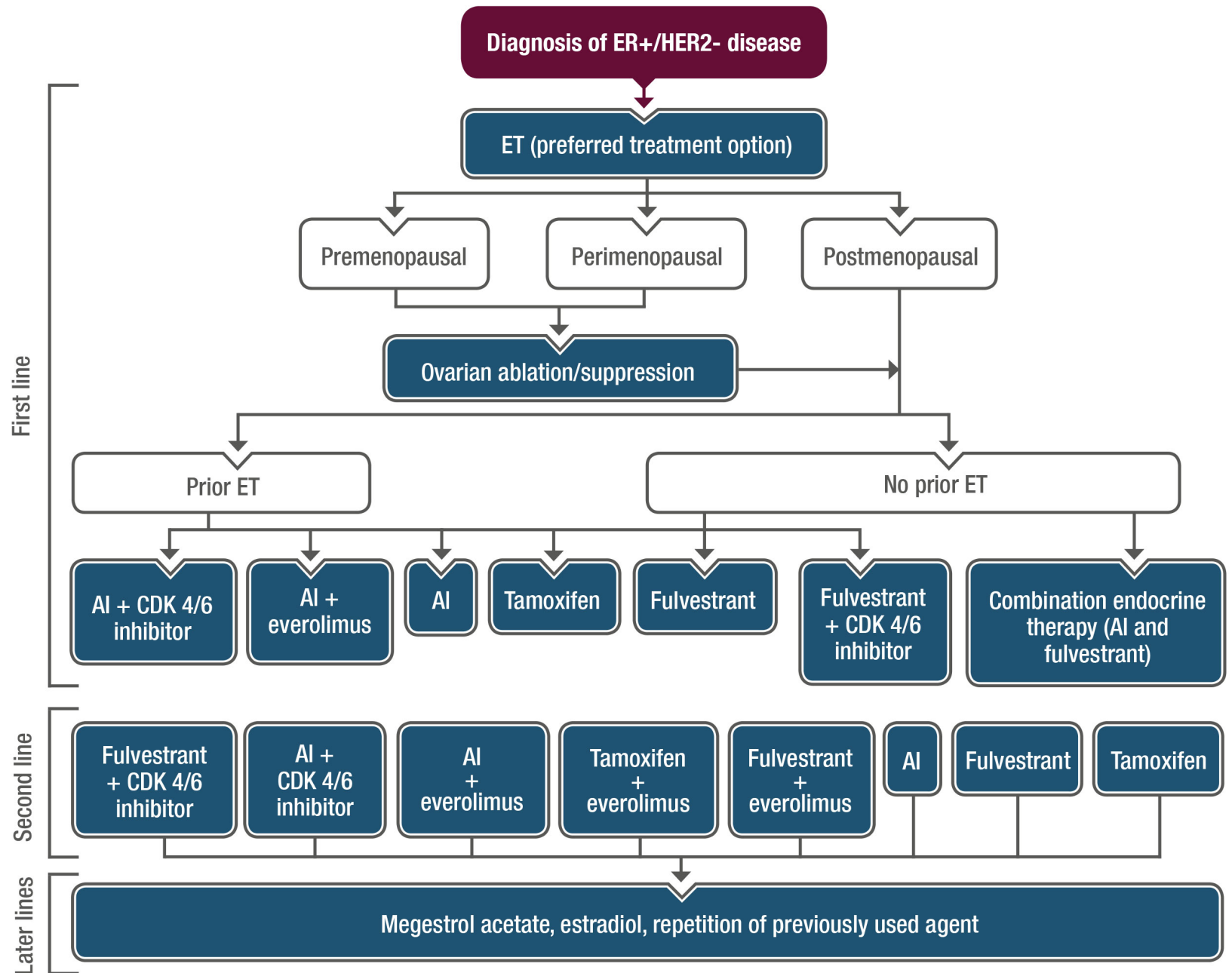
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Treatment of ER-positive / HER2-negative ABC

Endocrine Therapy (ET)

Genetic counselling and *BRCA* mutation status testing to be discussed with selected patients

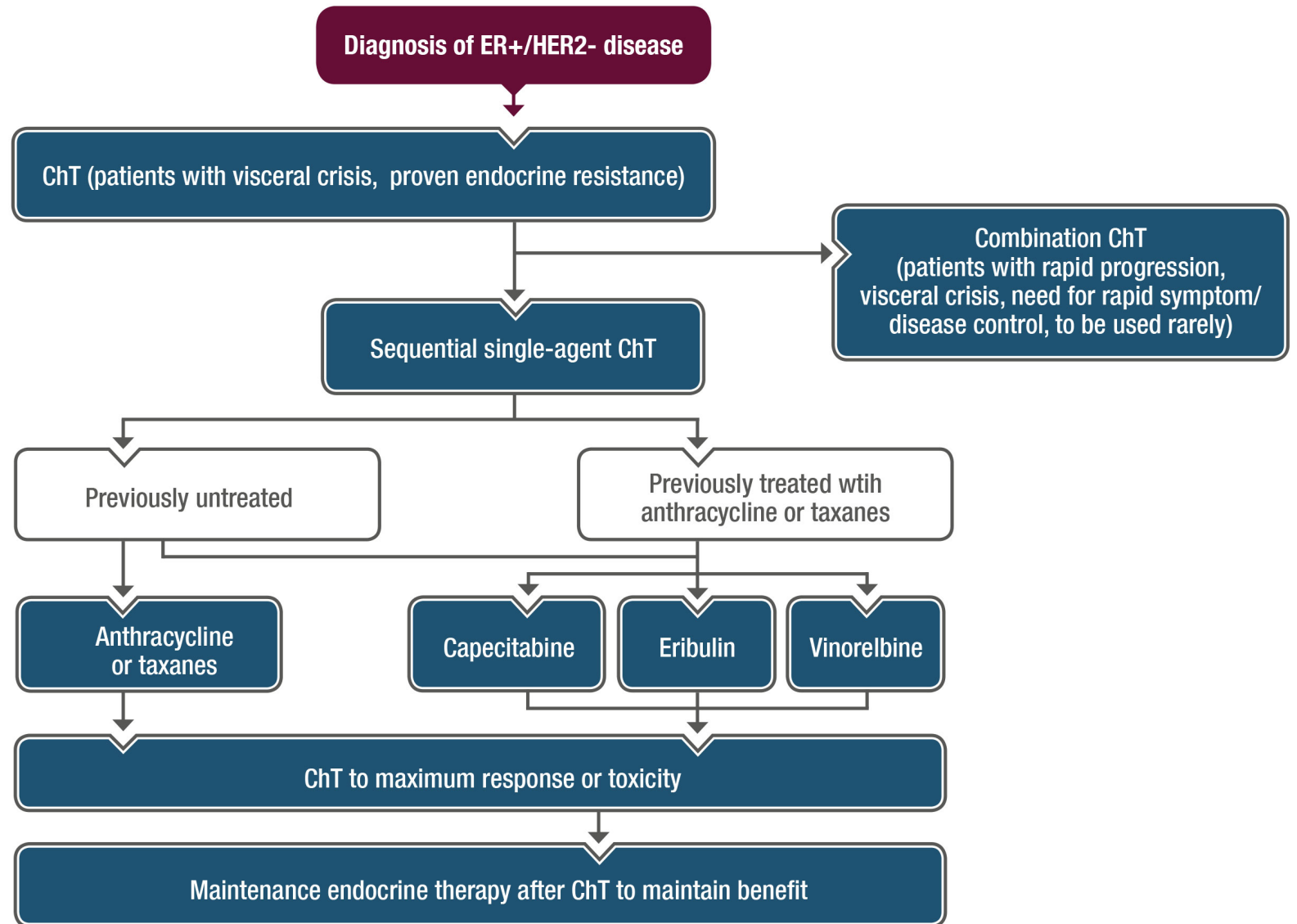


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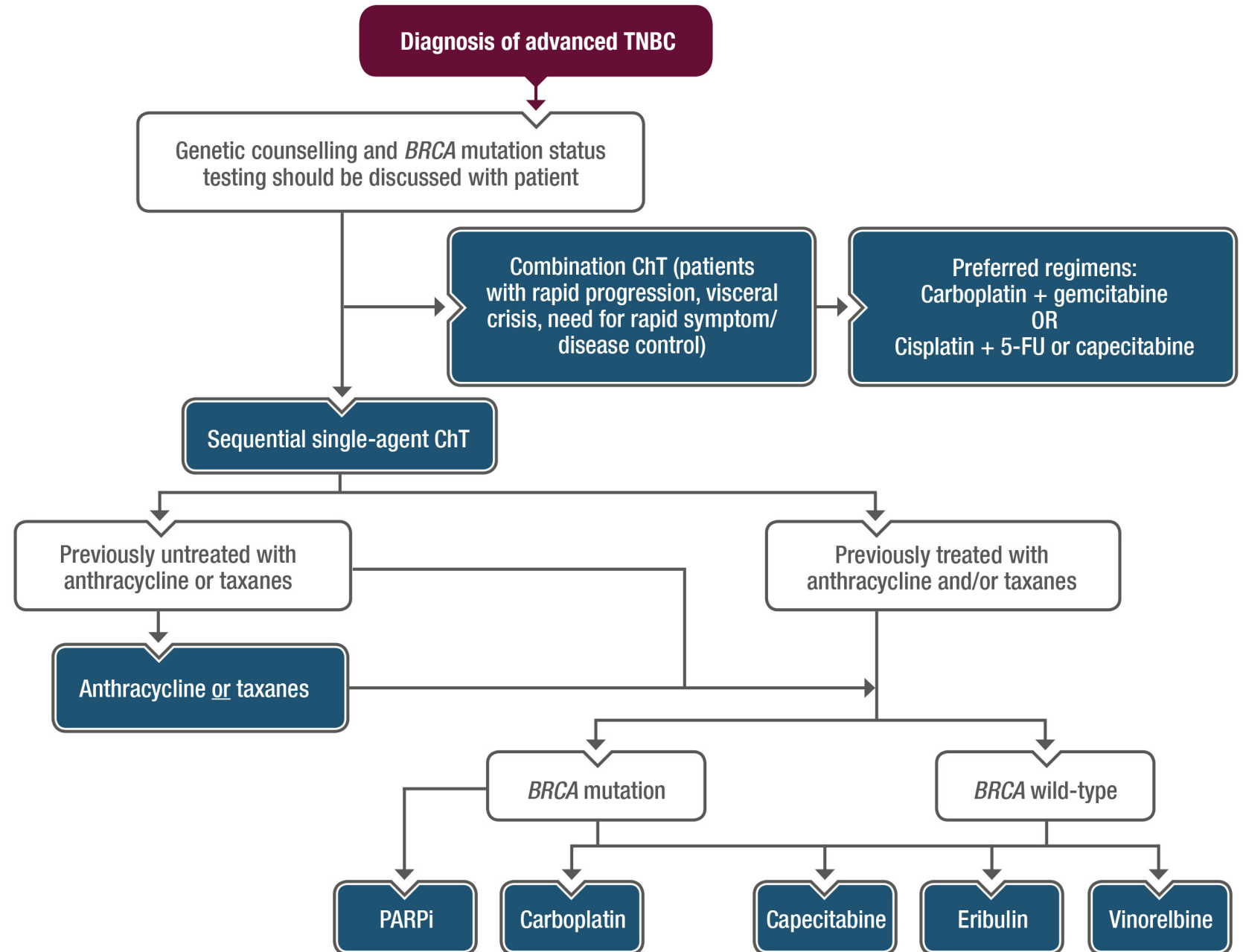
Treatment of ER-positive / HER2-negative ABC

Chemotherapy (ChT)

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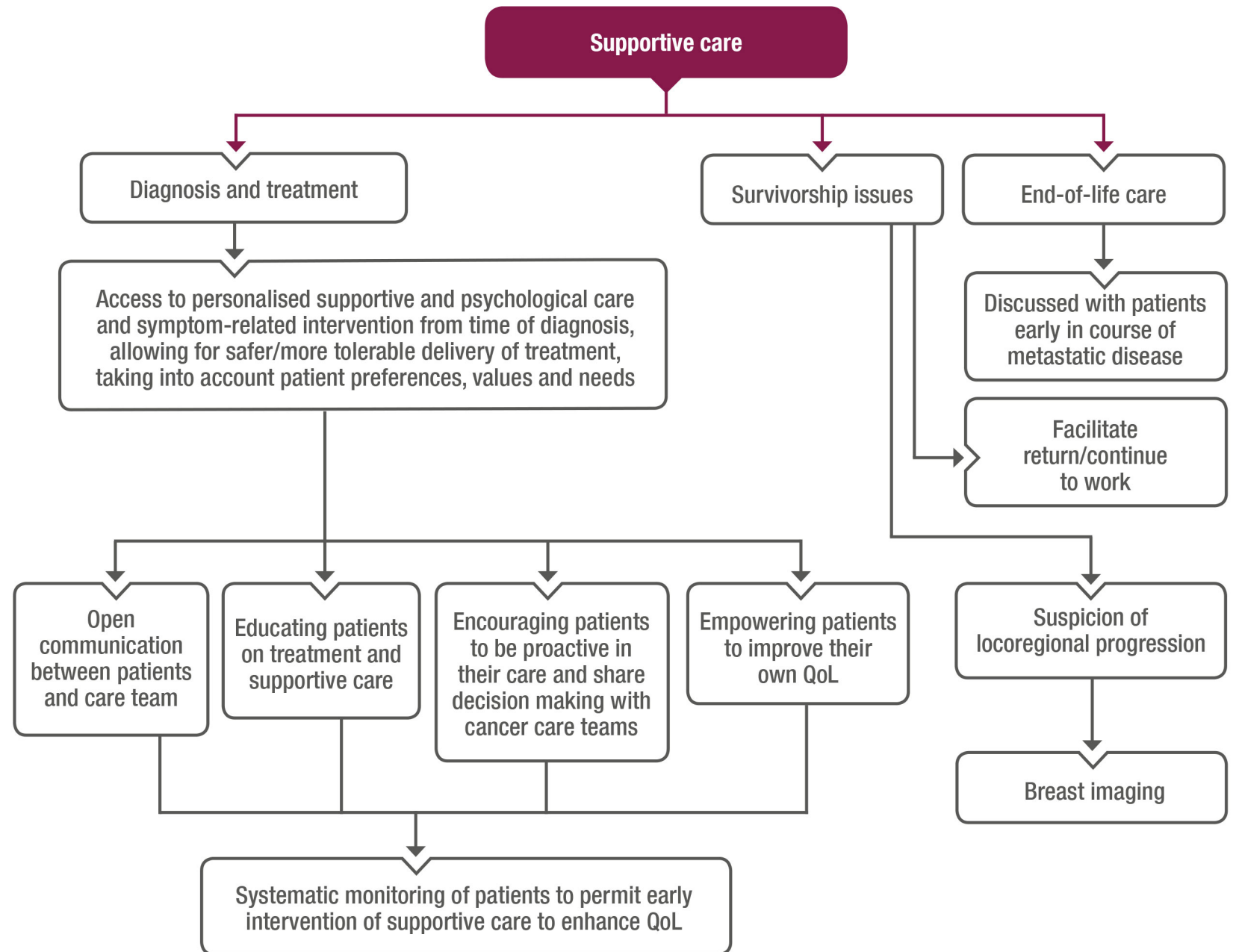
Treatment of advanced TNBC



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ABC follow-up and supportive care

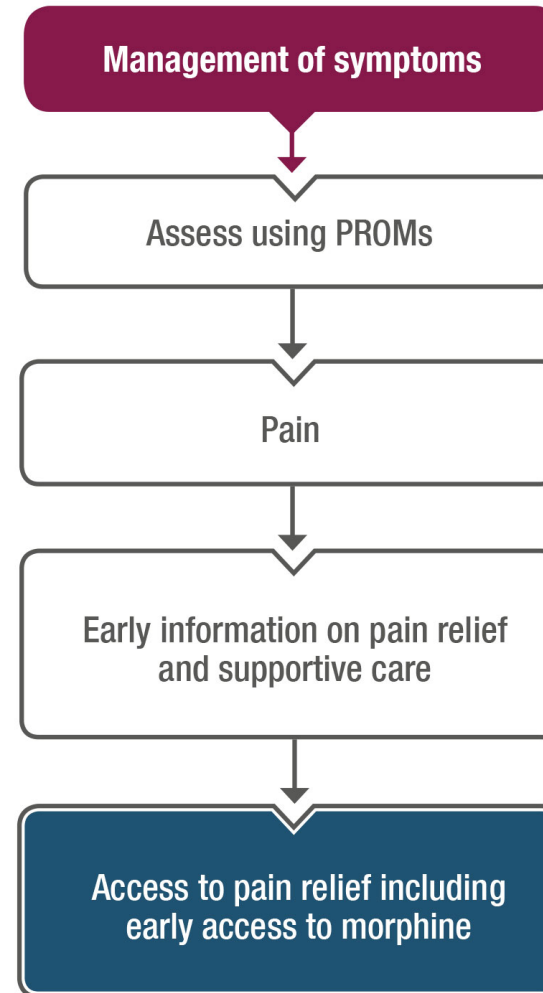


Note: Throughout the cancer path, adequate information should be provided to the patient

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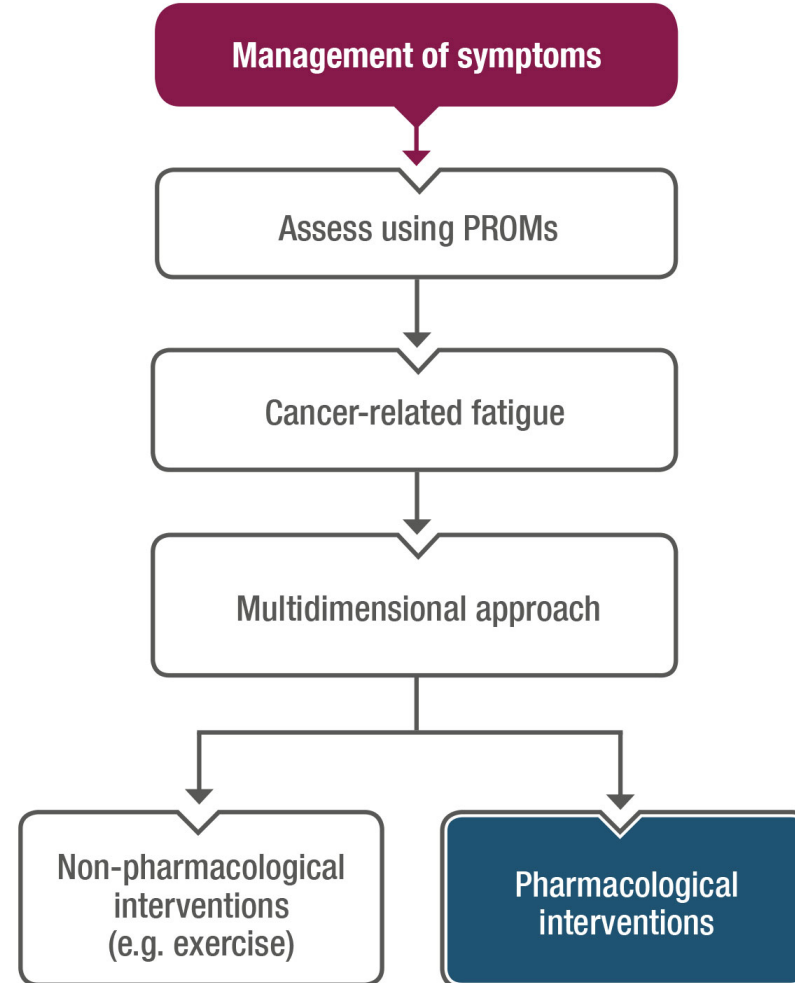
ABC symptom control

Pain



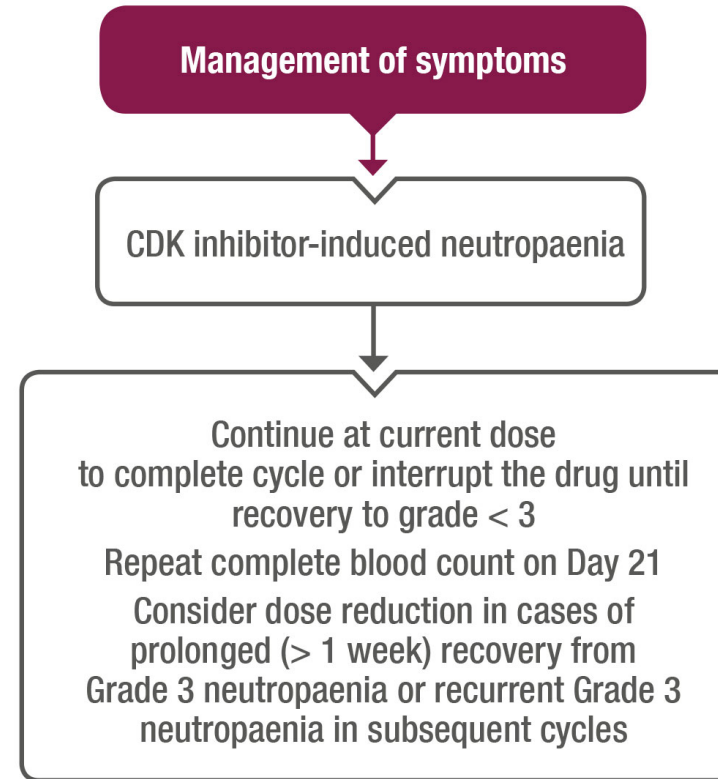
ABC symptom control

Cancer-related fatigue



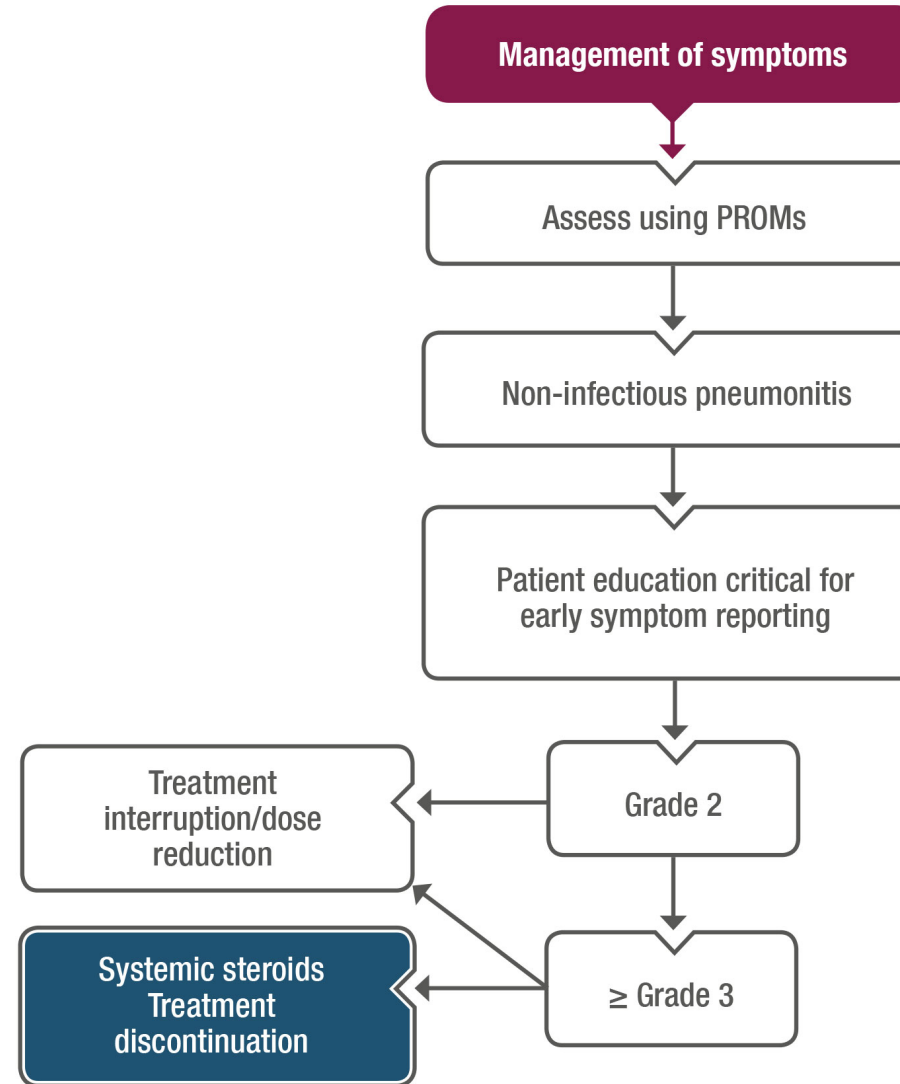
ABC symptom control

CDK inhibitor-induced neutropaenia



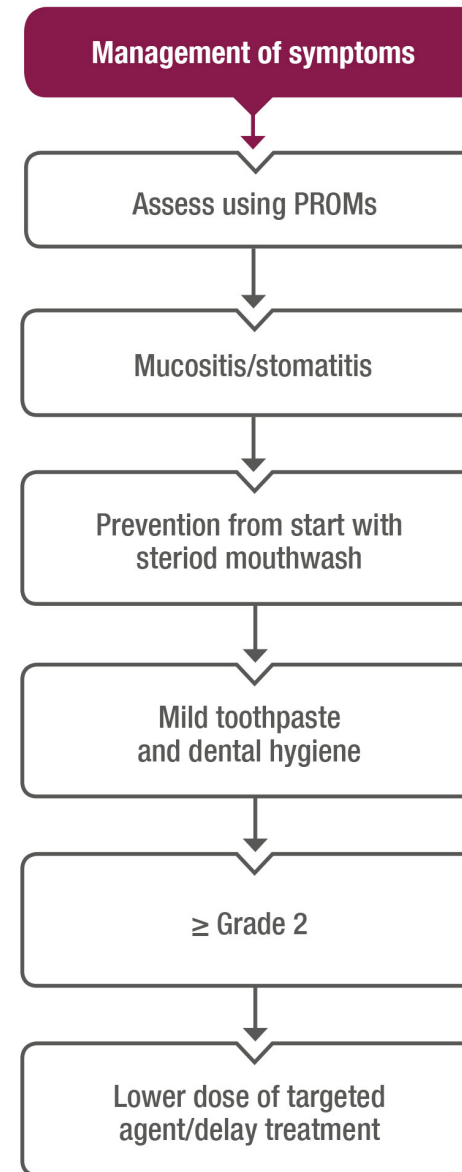
ABC symptom control

Non-infectious pneumonitis



ABC symptom control

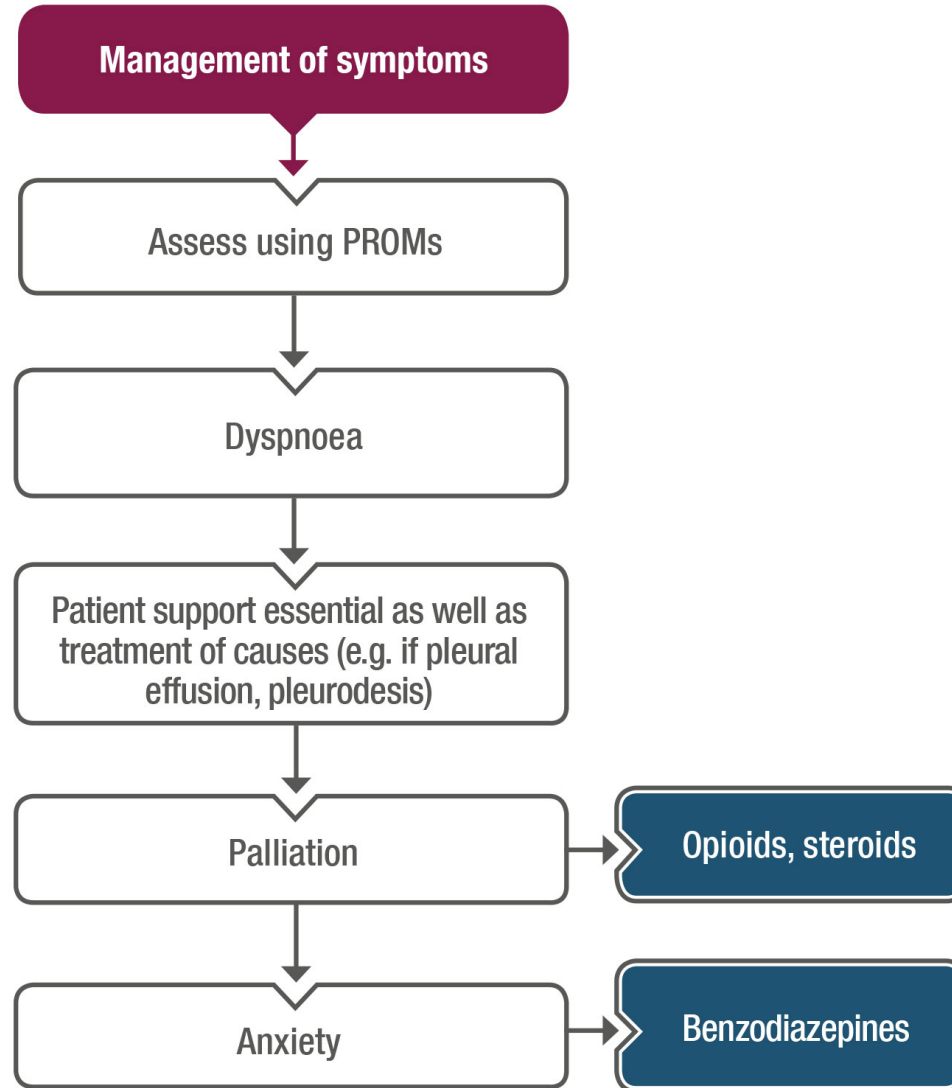
Mucositis/stomatitis



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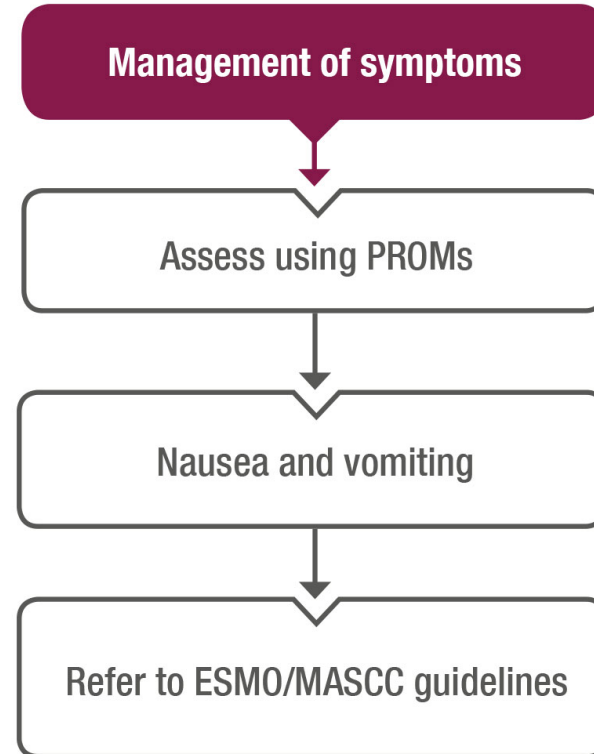
Dyspnoea



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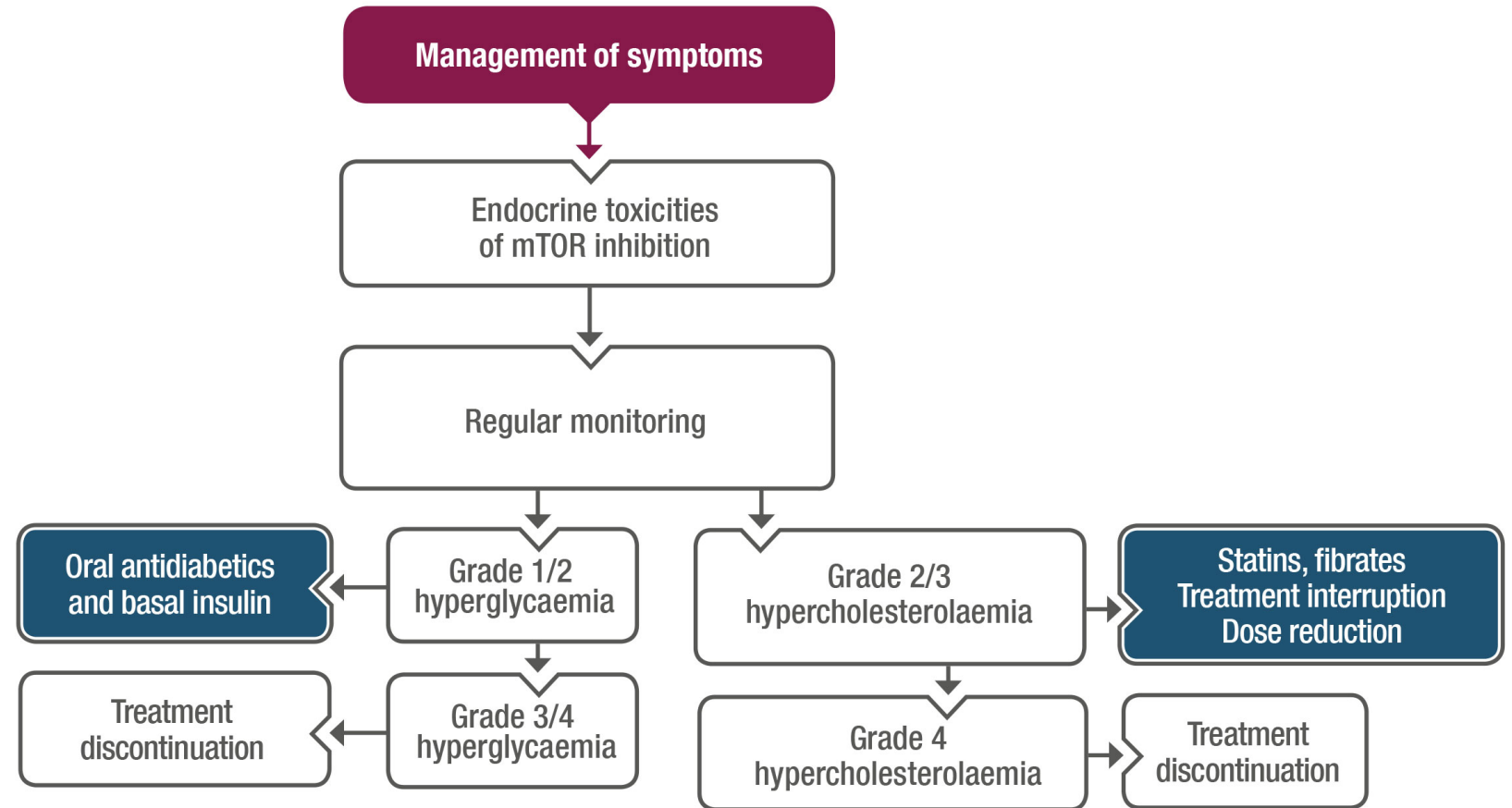
ABC symptom control

Nausea and vomiting



ABC symptom control

Endocrine toxicities of mTOR inhibition



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