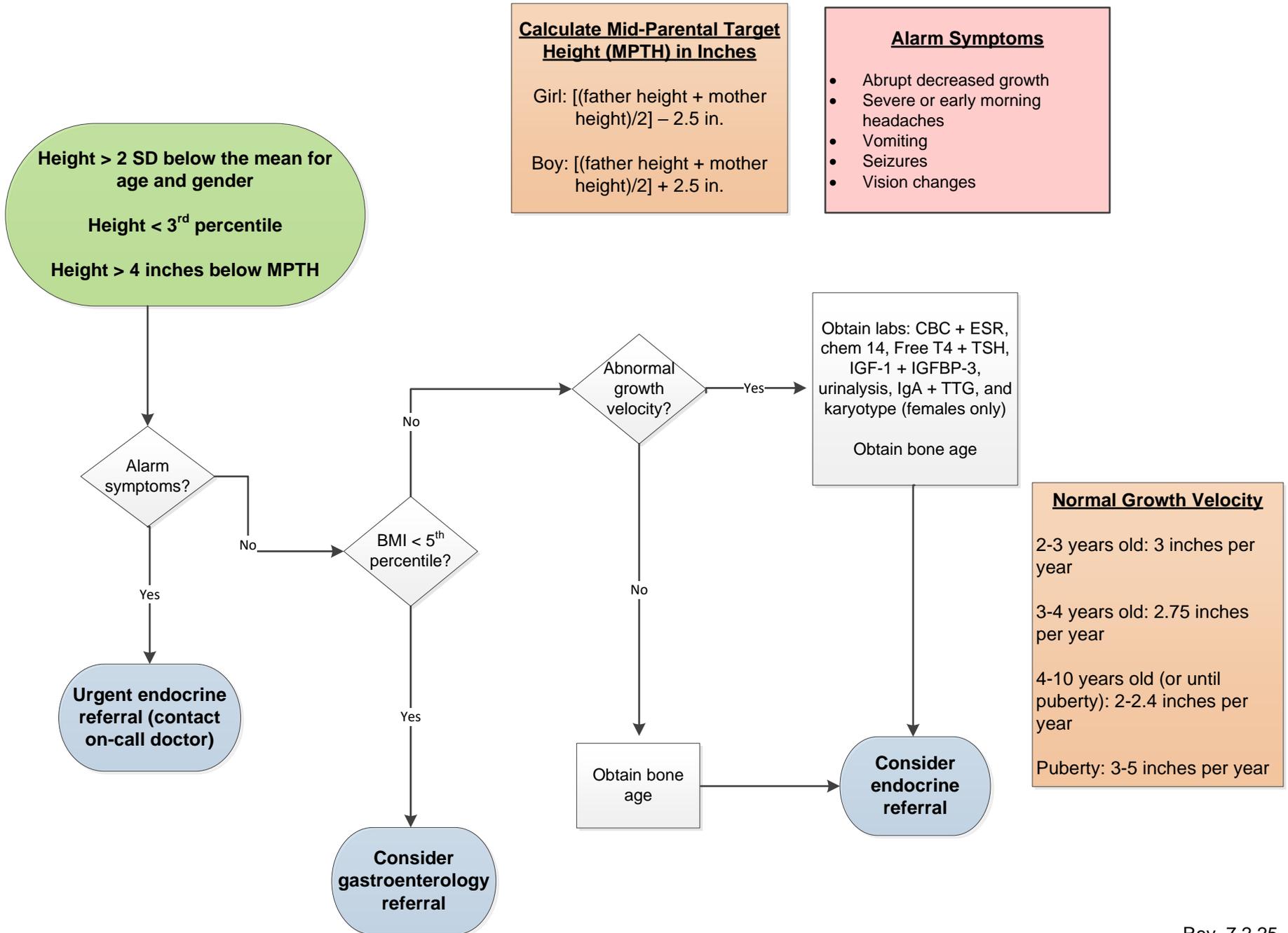


Short Stature



Calculate Mid-Parental Target Height (MPTH) in Inches

Girl: $[(\text{father height} + \text{mother height})/2] - 2.5 \text{ in.}$

Boy: $[(\text{father height} + \text{mother height})/2] + 2.5 \text{ in.}$

- Alarm Symptoms**
- Abrupt decreased growth
 - Severe or early morning headaches
 - Vomiting
 - Seizures
 - Vision changes

Normal Growth Velocity

2-3 years old: 3 inches per year

3-4 years old: 2.75 inches per year

4-10 years old (or until puberty): 2-2.4 inches per year

Puberty: 3-5 inches per year