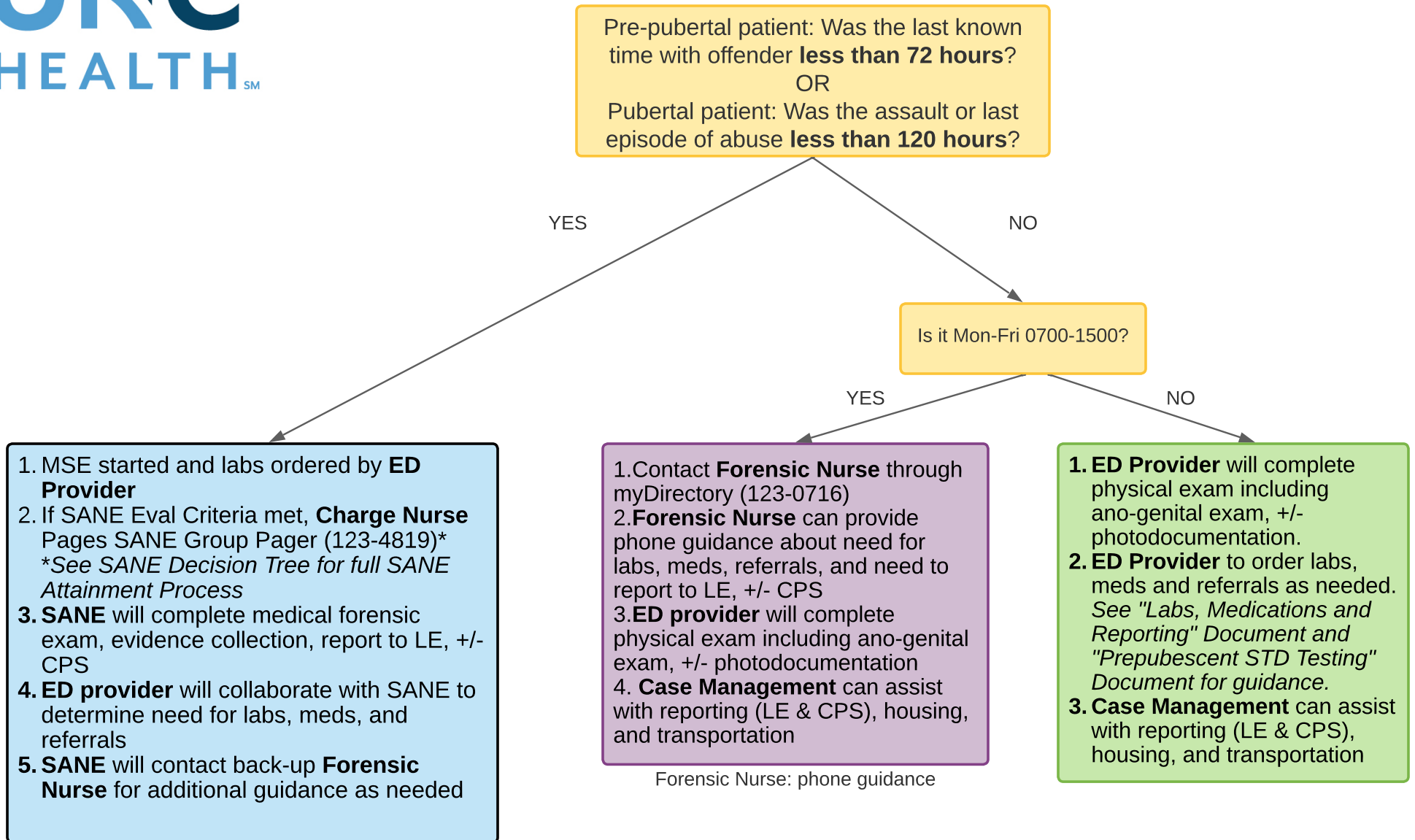


# ED Pathway for Child Sexual Abuse: (<18 y/o)

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SANE: Acute exam with evidence collection (24/7)

## Labs, Medications and Reporting for Chief Complaint of Sexual Abuse/Assault in Peds ED

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### Labs

#### Prepubertal:

- Unless drawing blood for other reasons, blood testing not *usually* indicated at time of ED visit.
- Gonorrhea/ Chlamydia NAA and Trichomoniasis NAA on dirty urine
- Urine pregnancy test for female patients of SMR 3+

#### Adolescent:

- Blood testing for:
  - HIV
  - Hep B
  - Hep C
  - RPR (syphilis)
  - CBC - if nPEP will possibly be prescribed
  - CMP - if nPEP will possibly be prescribed
  - Gonorrhea/ Chlamydia/ Trichomoniasis testing (NAA on dirty urine or self-swab v. provider-collected swab)
  - Urine pregnancy test

### Medications

- Pregnancy prophylaxis when indicated (<120 hours):
  - Ulipristal PO once - begin considering for SMR 3+
    - patient must have negative UPT
- Vaccinations to consider:
  - Hep B vaccine if not vaccinated or has unknown titer
  - HPV vaccine if not vaccinated for patients ages 9+
- Prophylactic medications to consider for adolescents - **prophylaxis NOT indicated for prepubertal patients, only given for known infection with confirmatory testing**
  - Ceftriaxone 500 mg IM diluted with 1% Lidocaine Once
    - 1 g ceftriaxone for patients >150 kg,
    - 250 mg ceftriaxone for patients <45 kg
    - Gentamycin 240 IM Once **and** Azithromycin 2g PO Once if patient has cephalosporin allergy
  - Doxycycline 100 mg BID x 7 days
    - Patient must have negative UPT
  - Metronidazole 500 mg BID x 7 days
- If HIV non-occupational Post Exposure Prophylaxis is possibly indicated (<72 hours), please consult Dr. Thomas Belhorn with Peds ID.

### Reporting

**North Carolina law requires all adults to report suspected child sexual abuse/ assault to Child Protective Services *and* Law Enforcement.**

For CPS: Report to county where child resides.

For LE: Report to LE Agency in jurisdiction of where abuse occurred.

**Concerns for a minor being exploited for sex or labor requires mandated reporting for human trafficking.**

*You do not need proof that maltreatment has occurred; you only need reasonable cause to suspect maltreatment.*