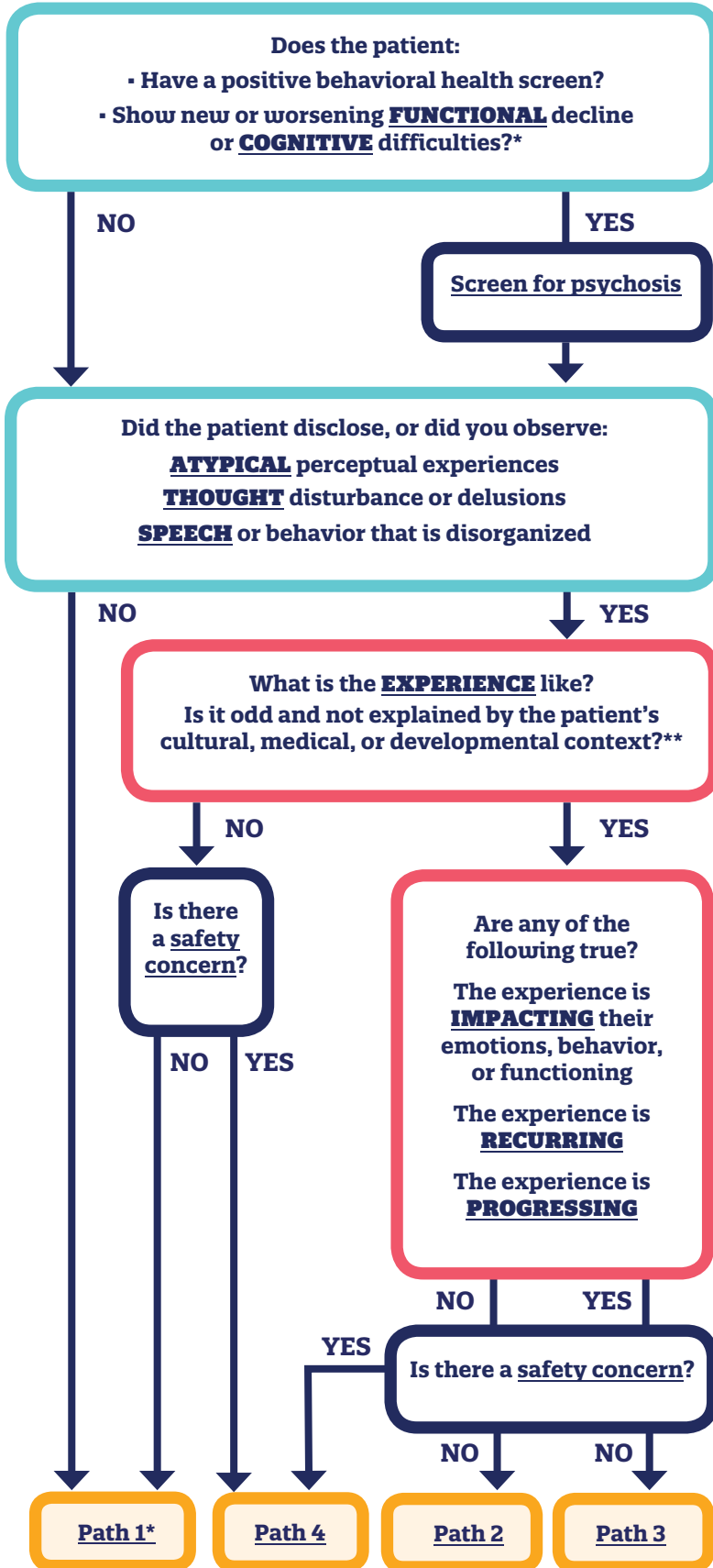


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***FAMILY HISTORY**

Patients who have a first- or second-degree relative with a psychotic disorder should receive **REGULAR SCREENING** for psychotic-like symptoms regardless of their mental health status.

These patients should fall under **PATH 2** in the absence of other psychosis risk indicators.

****PERFORMING A MEDICAL WORKUP**

See **Medical Workup** for considerations on differential medical work-up prior to or in conjunction with selection of a Path.

PATH 1: REASSURE & REDIRECT

- Reassure the patient; help them put their experience in context and know they are not alone
- Connect them to relevant educational resources and/or redirect them to appropriate mental health treatment

PATH 2: MONITOR & EDUCATE

- Monitor the patient's symptoms and screen regularly for additional psychotic-like experiences
- Educate the patient and family on general mental health resources and direct them to call if symptoms increase in intensity, frequency, or impact

PATH 3: SPECIALIZED ASSESSMENT & TREATMENT

- Refer the patient to specialized assessment of psychosis and/or psychosis risk
- Seek consultation/specialized treatment options

PATH 4: SAME-DAY ASSESSMENT

- Seek consultation from NNCPAP or mental health professional trained to address this level of need
- Respond to risk of harm using established protocols
- Consider calling a mobile crisis team or recommending that the family bring the child to a Psychiatric Emergency Room